

End of Year Giving Campaign for ESCAPE Theatre

Dear ESCAPE Family,

November 13, 2023

It is with great excitement that we write this letter for our "End of year giving campaign". As most of you know, **ESCAPE is a 501(c)3 nonprofit corporation**. As such, gifts to ESCAPE in the form of sponsorships and outright donations ARE FULLY TAX DEDUCTIBLE! ESCAPE is hopeful that you will invest in our theatre arts program that benefits over 700 youth and teens of the Santa Clarita Valley and beyond each year!!

We are asking all our families, and/or grandparents, and Alumni families to make a tax deductible gift to ESCAPE of just \$25 or more by December 31, 2023. Your gift will help underwrite the operational costs of our productions, theatre rental, costumes, rent at our Studio and large Warehouse, staff, and full orchestras for the next 2 productions! As budgets for the arts are slashed in the school systems, ESCAPE is still here providing a home for our youth and teens each year, where your children are encouraged to let their gifts shine. ***There is no greater investment than an investment in the creative education of our children.***

We are so grateful that ESCAPE is still around after all of the challenges in 2020 and 2021. It is a miracle that we survived the pandemic, and with the **"End of Year Giving Campaign"** we can sustain our theatre program, and will continue serving our wonderful kids and families.

3 easy ways to give your Tax-deductible gift!

- Call the ESCAPE office number to make your gift using any credit **card.(661-360-6769)**
- Give at Rehearsal- Nov. 15, 27, 29, Dec. 4, 5, 6, 11, 12 13.*(Put in same envelope given)*
(Cash, check, credit card, or Facebook donation will also be an option)
- Mail to the ESCAPE office at 26639 Valley Center Dr. #109, Santa Clarita, CA 91351.

*On behalf of the 11,700 youth and teens that have directly benefited from their ESCAPE experiences in the last 21 years, and the countless future stars of ESCAPE, **we thank you** for remembering ESCAPE in your year-end giving. and we hope to be one of your philanthropic priorities this November/December.*

****All Families who contribute will have their name listed in the upcoming Wizard of Oz Program!***

Best wishes for a wonderful holiday season. We are SO thankful for our students & families!
Kyle & Elizabeth Burson, ESCAPE Theatre Co-Founders

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Name as you wish to appear in **The Wizard of Oz** program. *Example- The Smith Family.*

Name: _____

Gift given: \$25_____ \$50_____ \$100_____ \$250_____ \$500_____ \$1000_____

Date given _____ Payment information _____