



January 12, 2026

Dear Valued Sponsor,

We're pleased to announce that Brickton Montessori School Annual Benefit, **The Big Leap**, will be held on **Saturday, May 2, 2026**. This event can offer great exposure for your business, and we invite you to get involved.

The Big Leap will be held at Fountain Blue Banquet and Conference Center, 2300 Manheim Road, Des Plaines, 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm.

Sponsorship is a wonderful way to advertise your business and show support for a quality Montessori education at Brickton. Our three levels of sponsorship (Founding, Leadership and Presenting) allow you to promote your business in front of hundreds of people through our online auction, website and the live event. Sponsorship includes complimentary tickets to the benefit, as well as raffle tickets for one free week of summer camp. Some levels also provide your organization exposure before and leading up to the benefit. Information on sponsorship is on the reverse side of this letter.

The Big Leap is Brickton's biggest fundraising event. Each year the benefit's proceeds support our mission to provide an outstanding Montessori education to the next generation of leaders. Our diverse student population comes from throughout the northwest Chicago community. Your involvement helps us serve even more families, connecting learning beyond the classroom.

Thank you for your consideration to support Brickton's annual benefit. If you have any questions, please give Kelly McDermott a call at Brickton Montessori School, 773-714-0646.

Warmly,

Kelly McDermott
Director of Advancement





\$1000 Founding Sponsor

Benefits include:

- 4 tickets to the event on Saturday, May 2, 2026
- 2 raffle tickets
- Recognition on the online silent auction site
- Recognition on our annual report
- Recognition on the Brickton.org website with logo and link, as well as inclusion in social media efforts

\$500 Leadership Sponsor

Benefits include:

- 2 tickets to the event on Saturday, May 2, 2026
- 1 raffle ticket
- Recognition on the online silent auction site
- Recognition on our annual report
- Recognition on the Brickton.org website with logo and link, as well as inclusion in social media efforts

\$300 Presenting Sponsor

Benefits include:

- Recognition on the event signage
- Recognition on the online silent auction site
- Recognition on the Brickton.org website with logo and link
- Recognition on our annual report

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Brickton Montessori School is a 501©(3) tax-exempt entity.

Taxpayer identification number 36-3443480.

All donations are deductible to the extent permitted by law.



YES! We would like to be a sponsor of Brickton's Annual Benefit: The Big Leap
to provide an outstanding Montessori education to the next generation of leaders.

☐ Founding Sponsor (\$1,000)

☐ Leadership Sponsor (\$500)

☐ Presenting Sponsor (\$300)

Contact Person: _____

Company Name: _____

Full Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

☐ Check enclosed (Please make payable to Brickton Montessori School)

☐ Please charge the gift indicated to my Credit Card

Credit Card Number: _____

Billing Zip Code: _____

Credit Card Exp. Date: _____

CVV (3 or 4 digit security code): _____

Please send the completed form to:

Kelly McDermott - Brickton Montessori School
8622 West Catalpa Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60656.

Or email and attach the form as a completed PDF to: kelly.mcdermott@brickton.org
Questions? Give Kelly a call at 773.714.0646.

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