

2013 Recipient - Outstanding Philanthropic Organization Lenny Wilkens Foundation



Lenny Wilkens Foundation

In partnership with local and national businesses as well as, community leaders, the Lenny Wilkens Foundation supports *healthcare and education for all children regardless of their financial means*.

The Foundation is built on the legacy of over four decades of service that honors children's dignity and self-respect. By helping to ensure a level playing field for all children, the Lenny Wilkens Foundation enriches our community allowing its youngest members to see themselves as participants in a promising future.

Sponsors of the Lenny Wilkens Foundation activities benefit from brand exposure in a diverse, multi-cultural arena. Drawn by the Foundation's long record of steady growth and expanding community engagement, sponsors are encouraged to collaborate with the Foundation for creative partnership opportunities.



Sponsor Opportunities

Each year, the Lenny Wilkens Foundation Celebrity Weekend has become one of the "must attend" events of the summer in Seattle. Including a gala dinner auction and golf tournament, the Celebrity Weekend draws over near 1,000 participants a year. They include business and community leaders as well as, celebrities in sports, the arts and more.



Other activities vary throughout the year based on the creative collaboration between the Foundation and its supporters. The Foundation welcomes exploration of new partnership opportunities that promote potential sponsors' unique goals for visibility and community involvement in the Seattle area and beyond.

"LWF night at Jimmy Choo"

Volunteers from Microsoft at the annual Golf Tournement

About the Foundation

The Lenny Wilkens Foundation was founded over forty years ago by Lenny and his wife, Marilyn. Along with their family the Wilkens believe that:



- Today's children are tomorrow's leaders and it is our duty and privilege to make sure that all have equal opportunity to succeed.
- Children have the right to receive basic healthcare with dignity, regardless of their families' ability to pay.
- All children should have access to educational tools that prepare them to thrive in our increasingly competitive world.

Quality Healthcare With Dignity

To date, the Lenny Wilkens Foundation has raised over \$7 million to support services and programs in the Puget Sound and surrounding communities. The majority of funds is given annually to the Odessa Brown Children's Clinic in Central Seattle who provide medical, dental and mental healthcare for culturally diverse families.



Helping to Launch Futures



The Lenny Wilkens Foundation supports education for children. In many ways the Foundation strives to make a difference in the lives of children. Whether a new bike for an 18 year old to get to school and work or through an organization that promotes education and sports for kids who may never have had the mentoring needed to achieve their dreams. Each year, the Foundation grows and sponsors partner with the Foundation to secure that all children can reach their full potential, regardless of their circumstances. By support from sponsors, the services and programs funded by the Lenny Wilkens Foundation allows us to fund beyond basic healthcare and afford children a stable environment and provide them with the opportunity to learn and grow.

Partnership

At the Lenny Wilkens Foundation, we know that the quality of our commitment to today's children will determine the future of our community and our nation. Together, we can ensure a bright and thriving future that benefit from the contributions of a healthy, well-educated, confident workforce.

Join us! To discuss collaborating with the Lenny Wilkens Foundation to create a brighter future for our community:

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