

**Continental Societies, Incorporated**

Washington DC Chapter

633 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004

“Our Children, Our Commitment, Our Concern”

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March 20, 2017

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Dear \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_:

The Continental Societies, Inc. Washington D.C. Chapter is a 501(c)(3) non-profit public service organization whose mission is to advance the welfare of underserved children. We provide community-based programs for students in elementary, middle and high schools in the Washington Metropolitan area. Continental Societies has been actively devoted to this goal for more than 60 years providing assistance in the areas of health, education, employment, recreation, and the arts and humanities.

Last year, we served more than 6,000 students in programs ranging from dental screenings to scholarships. We contributed approximately $26,000 in in-kind services to HEER Plus (Health, Education, Employment and Recreation) we also provided $7,000 in scholarships, and $3,000 in in-kind value for tutorial/mentoring services.

We ask that you consider supporting our organization in meeting our goal to more than double the students that we supported last year. Your donation or sponsorship will help ensure the success for the students that benefit from our programs. Please see the attached form and instructions on how to make a donation and information regarding our annual gala.

We hope you can join us for our Annual Gala on October 28, 2017 and will also consider supporting our mission through a sponsorship. Please let us know by June 1, 2017 if you are interested in being a featured sponsor.

For additional information please contact Ms. Denise Shelton, Marketplace Chairperson at (202) 246-9287, or email dmshelton3@comcast.net, or visit our website at www.dccontinentals.com. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Denise Shelton

Denise Shelton  
Chairperson

Margo H. Briggs  
President

Attachment: Sponsor Form

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