



NORTH ANDOVER SCHOOLS ENRICHMENT COUNCIL

November 2009

Dear North Andover School Parent,

For more than 20 years, the *North Andover Schools' Enrichment Council (NASEC)* has been enhancing the classroom curriculum with in-school performances by artists and educators. We strive each year to fulfill our mandate, which is to coordinate enrichment programs on a town-wide basis so that each child has the same experience regardless of what school they attend. We work closely with your children's teachers to make sure the programs truly expand upon their classroom learning. In past years our children have listened to authors, talked with paleontologists, learned about world cultures, danced to the rhythms from far away places and put science in motion. This year NASEC is excited to host performances by: Johnny the K, Mainely Stars Planetarium, Art Quest, Discovery Museum, Zoo New England, Bubblemania, Techsploration, Opera to Go and the Museum of Science.

Although NASEC serves all North Andover schools from kindergarten to eighth grade, **we receive no funding from the town or school district.** NASEC receives a portion of its funds from PTOs, corporations, foundations and special events, **but it is only with individual donations, from parents like you, that we are able to fully fund current programs.** The average cost per student for NASEC programs is \$15.50 per year, and each child attends an average of four programs a year. That is less than the cost of a single out-of-school field trip, making the value of bringing outside performers into our schools via NASEC *cost effective, time productive and an invaluable tool* in educating our children.

Your tax-deductible gift of \$31 will provide enrichment programs for two students for the entire year! A gift of \$100 would greatly assist the NASEC* in continuing to bring quality programs into the school and support the curriculum! Please consider making a meaningful gift to support what your children are learning in school.

Thank you for your support,

Kim Marroni
Enrichment Council Chair

North Andover Schools Enrichment Council
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Provide enrichment for TWO students this year	_____ \$31
Support FOUR enrichment shows for my child this year	_____ \$62
Ensure NASEC continues to provide quality programs	_____ \$100
Pledge support of enrichment programs in the amount of	_____

Name _____

Address _____

My children attend the _____ school(s).

Please return slip and check in envelope provided or make your donation on-line at:
www.naenrichmentcouncil.org

*All contributions are tax-deductible and should be made payable to NASEC.
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