



Spring Fling

THE JOHN BUCK COMPANY
BUILDING BEYOND BUILDINGS

28th ANNUAL

BENEFITING



Big Brothers Big Sisters
of Metropolitan Chicago

JUNE 16, 2016

5:30 PM - 10:00 PM

MERCHANDISE MART PLAZA • CHICAGO, IL

SPRING FLING BENEFICIARIES • 1989 - 2016

The John Buck Company Spring Fling has become the Chicago Real Estate community's benefit (party!) of the year.

It began in 1988 when a few JBC partners found themselves in a beer garden one fine spring afternoon. John Buck suggested, so as not to be deemed a waste of time, that the outing should be viewed, in part, as a charitable function. Thus, each contributed \$50.00 into a hat. A second hat held the names of each participant's favorite youth/educational organization. As the lovely waitress pulled the winning name out of the hat, Spring Fling was born.

The early outdoor parties were held in April (rain); May (rain); early June (rain) and are now held on the third Thursday of June. JBC's Spring Fling has grown to include over 2,500 attendees and now averages over \$650,000 of net proceeds each year.

1989

Boys & Girls Club of Chicago

Net Proceeds: **\$25,000**

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Boys & Girls Club of Chicago

Net Proceeds: **\$40,000**

1991

Boys & Girls Club of Chicago

Net Proceeds: **\$45,000**

1992

Golden Apple

Net Proceeds: **\$85,000**

1993

United Charities

Net Proceeds: **\$85,000**

1994

Junior Achievement

Net Proceeds: **\$75,000**

1995

Chicago Cares

Net Proceeds: **\$115,000**

1996

Victor C. Neumann Association

Net Proceeds: **\$145,000**

1997

**Heartland Alliance for Human
Needs & Human Rights**

Net Proceeds: **\$167,450**

1998

Metropolitan Family Services

Net Proceeds: **\$171,075**

1999

Link Unlimited

Net Proceeds: **\$300,580**

2000

Junior Achievement

Net Proceeds: **\$395,090**

2001

Horizons for Youth

Net Proceeds: **\$350,000**

2002

Lutheran Family Mission

Net Proceeds: **\$332,000**

2003

HighSight

Net Proceeds: **\$412,500**

2004

San Miguel School

Net Proceeds: **\$457,000**

2005

LEARN Charter School

Net Proceeds: **\$574,000**

2006

B.U.I.L.D.

Net Proceeds: **\$552,650**

2007

Holy Family Lutheran School

Net Proceeds: **\$638,910**

2008

Hephzibah Children's Services

Net Proceeds: **\$708,320**

2009

Legacy Charter School

Net Proceeds: **\$522,600**

2010

High Jump

Net Proceeds: **\$538,390**

2011

US Empowered

Net Proceeds: **\$587,850**

2012

**Noble Network
of Charter Schools**

Net Proceeds: **\$582,000**

2013

New Schools for Chicago

Net Proceeds: **\$674,000**

2014

Working In The Schools

Net Proceeds: **\$740,000**

2015

Off The Streets Club

Net Proceeds: **\$647,000**

2016

Big Brothers Big Sisters

Net Proceeds: **TBD**



Big Brothers Big Sisters
of Metropolitan Chicago

What if **every child**
reached their **potential**?



Changing Perspectives. Changing Lives.



Big Brothers Big Sisters of Metropolitan Chicago helps children realize their potential and build their futures. We nurture children and strengthen communities and believe that inherent in every child is the ability to succeed and thrive in life.

As Metro Chicago's largest donor and volunteer supported mentoring network, Big Brothers Big Sisters:

Makes meaningful, monitored matches between adult volunteers ("Bigs") and children ("Littles").

Improves the odds that the children in our programs will perform better in school, avoid violence and illegal activities, have stronger relationships with their parents and peers and succeed as adults.

Our Mission is to empower at-risk youth by providing high impact one-to-one mentoring that enables lifelong success.

Our Vision is that all children achieve success in life.

Organizational Background

An affiliate of Big Brothers Big Sisters of America (BBBSA) Big Brothers Big Sisters of Metropolitan Chicago has provided high quality, measurable, outcome-based services to high needs children and families across the entire metropolitan Chicago area for nearly 50 years through collaboration with our donors, community partners and volunteers.

We build programming that meets the needs of each child individually, whether he/she comes from a disadvantaged or single-parent home, lives in foster care, has been abused or neglected, is involved in the juvenile justice system or simply needs a consistent friendship.

Volunteer Opportunities:

There are two core programs that people can volunteer in:

Community Based Program - Spending time together out in the local community is primarily how Bigs and Littles develop their relationship. After all, to change a child's perspective of the world, it helps to spend some time out in it.

Site Based Programs - Sometimes the best place for enjoying activities together is at the child's school, community center, or at the volunteer's workplace. And, the best part is, it can be a great learning experience, in or out of the classroom. We have a variety of Site Based options to choose from to fit the volunteer's schedule.



ABOUT THE FIRM

Founded in 1981, The John Buck Company has established a track record and reputation as a premier, vertically-integrated real estate operating company focused on major U.S. urban markets. Since inception, we have successfully completed over \$11 billion of real estate transactions and acquired, developed, or redeveloped over 24 million square feet of office, high-rise residential, hotel, retail, and mixed-use properties. After more than 30 years of shifting ahead of the curve and redefining boundaries, The John Buck Company is writing the next chapter.

For more information, please visit: www.tjbc.com

ABOUT THE FOUNDATION

Since its inception, The John Buck Company Foundation and its Civic Involvement Committee have given more than \$11.5 million to charitable organizations. We actively engage in some of the underprivileged communities in the Chicago metropolitan area, supporting The John Buck Company Foundation mission to enrich the quality of life for Chicago families and through youth educational organizations.



THE JOHN BUCK COMPANY



The John Buck Company Foundation 28th Annual Spring Fling

Benefiting
Big Brothers Big Sisters and The John Buck Company Foundation
Thursday, June 16, 2016

_____ Yes, our company will be a **Spring Fling Diamond Sponsor - \$18,000 donation**

- 20 Admission Tickets
- 6 passes to a Private Reception with John Buck and representatives of BBBS
- Acknowledgement on banners at the event and in the event program (company logo)
- Acknowledgement in public relations materials distributed and on our website

_____ Yes, our company will be a **Spring Fling Platinum Sponsor - \$10,000 donation**

- 15 Admission Tickets
- 4 passes to a Private Reception with John Buck and representatives of BBBS
- Acknowledgement on banners at the event and printed materials (company logo)
- Acknowledgement in public relations materials distributed and on our website

_____ Yes, our company will be a **Spring Fling Gold Sponsor - \$8,000 donation**

- 10 Admission Tickets
- 3 passes to a Private Reception with John Buck and representatives of BBBS
- Acknowledgment on banners at the event, printed materials (company logo) and on our website

_____ Yes, our company will be a **Spring Fling Silver Sponsor - \$5,000 donation**

- 6 Admission Tickets
- 2 passes to a Private Reception with John Buck and representatives of BBBS
- Acknowledgment on banners at the event, printed materials and on our website

_____ Yes, our company will be a **Benefactor - \$2,000 donation**

- 5 Admission Tickets
- Acknowledgment in our website and printed materials

_____ We will support the event in the following manner:

_____ Single Admission Ticket(s) at \$150.00 each Donation in the amount of \$ _____

_____ Five (5) Admission Ticket Package at \$700.00

Company Name _____

Contact Person _____

Title _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Email _____

Once completed please return the form to Donna Wright via email: dwright@tjbc.com or fax 312.993.5301.