



**Silent  
Auction  
Items  
Are Needed &  
Appreciated**

*It's a  
Masquerade*



*Charity  
Ball*

**AS-MSC  
is a  
NON-PROFIT  
501(c)3  
organization.**

**Your donation  
may be  
considered as  
a tax  
deduction.**

Dear Supporters:

The Autism Society - Macomb/St. Clair is once again hosting its Annual Charity Ball to be held at The Palazzo Grande on Saturday, March 3, 2018. This annual dinner dance is held to raise funds to assist the society in achieving its mission to assist individuals affected by Autism and their families by providing public awareness, education, advocacy, and resources related to Autism Spectrum Disorders.

**We have been helping our community for over 30 years!**

Contributions have helped us host 17 family enrichment weekends where Autism affected families were able to enjoy nature trails, crafts, movies, campfires, fishing, and reconnect as a family in a peaceful country setting. In addition, we sponsor swimming events, host bowling leagues, picnics, holiday events, private movie showings, sibling outings and so much more. Our society works especially hard to continue being a great source of support by hosting monthly meetings where parents can ask questions, network, and learn about new community services.

We are proud to say this event funds our yearly Wish List Grant for public school teachers. In 2017 almost \$20-thousand dollars were awarded to help supply their classrooms for special needs students with much needed equipment and supplies, which they typically pay for out of pocket or do not have access to due to dwindling state school funding. This fundraiser also supports the yearly Parent Grant which directly assists parents with the increasing costs for therapy of their children.

Our new strategic plan has us set to achieve even more for our community in the areas of awareness and education of our public service workers. Autism Society - Macomb/St. Clair cannot make such forward strides without the contributions we have received in the past. With so much more to do, we are once again requesting support in making our Annual Charity Ball a successful event.

We will be featuring a Silent Auction during the evening and are in need of items to be featured for bidding. You may notify us for a pick-up of your contribution by leaving a voice mail message at **586-445-4915** or emailing **macombasa@gmail.com**. Small items can be shipped to our PO Box and larger ones to: Attn: *AS Charity Ball Committee*, 51232 Skyler Drive - Chesterfield, MI 48047.

*To assure your inclusion in the Annual Charity Ball Program, please ensure delivery of your contribution by February 17, 2018.*

A new option this year is to sponsor a basket by becoming a Basket Benefactor or with a basic monetary donation online: <https://as-msc-2018-charity-ball.cheddarup.com>. In appreciation, the society will include all donor names within the program featured at this very special annual event.

If you have any questions regarding the AS-MSC Annual Charity Ball fundraiser, please feel free to contact us.

*With sincere appreciation,*  
The Autism Society - Macomb/St. Clair  
**AS-MSC Tax ID # 38-2991240**  
*Email macombasa@gmail.com*  
*P.O. Box 182186, Shelby Township, MI 48318*

**SAVE THE DATE**



**March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018**  
**Palazzo Grande**  
**25 mile and Van Dyke**



# Charity Ball

Your donation to our Non-profit 501(c)3 organization may be tax deductible!

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## UPGRADE TO A GOLD OR SILVER EVENT SPONSOR

A **GOLD EVENT sponsorship** of \$1,000, receives:

- A table of 10 tickets (family style dinner and open bar)
- Select advertisement in our "Charity Ball" program
- Acknowledgement at the event and Logo on our website
- Advertisement (including webpage link) in our next newsletter
- 2 bottles of our "Charity Ball" exclusively labeled wine, provided by Fieldstone Winery of Rochester.
- A premier commemorative plaque, to display in your establishment to acknowledge your support of the Autism Community and our Society.

A **SILVER EVENT sponsorship** of \$500, receives:

- 5 tickets (family style dinner and open bar)
- Select advertisement in our "Charity Ball" program
- Acknowledgement at the event and Logo on our website
- Advertisement (including webpage link) in our next newsletter

Please consider this opportunity to enjoy our wonderful Charity Ball, and support the community at the same time.

Please submit this form via mail or email with a copy of your business card, to ensure proper acknowledgement & information for the program & website.

### **Sponsor Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone

Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact

Person: \_\_\_\_\_

If possible,

Seat me with: \_\_\_\_\_

Make Checks Payable to: Autism Society - Macomb/St. Clair

Alternately you can purchase tickets & become a Gold/Silver sponsor Online:

<https://as-msc-2018-charity-ball.cheddarup.com>

**Thank you for your support!!**

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 **AUTISM SOCIETY**

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