

Fundraiser March 9, 2013

On 3/9/13 “Hope for Michael” hosted a fundraiser to benefit the “Heeling Autism” program at Guiding Eyes for the Blind. Fundraiser was held at the Elk’s Lodge in Yorktown Hts. NY. “Hope for Michael” was able to raise \$2850.00 for “Heeling Autism” which was matched by a grant that “Guiding Eyes for the Blind” is participating in. Special thanks go out to DJ “Bobby” Perez who had everyone dancing throughout the evening, Durant’s Party Supplies for providing the linen for the event, and all the generous donated items which were raffled off and sold at our Silent Auction.

Donated Items

(Special Thanks go out to the following supporters)

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The Comedy Club, NYC
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...and Fred Campion for his generous donation (50/50) which was donated back to “Hope for Michael”! “Way to go Fred”.

We would like to recognize the Somers Lions Club for their generous donation of \$500.

Hope for Michael would like to thank our Volunteers who made this event a great success.

To view photos of the event please go to www.debviskerphotography.smugmug.com
“Thanks, Deb for your support”.

"One can never
consent to creep
when one feels an
impulse to soar."

— Helen Keller



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Mr. Joe Rivera
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Dear Joe:

Thank you for your \$2,850.00 donation, received on April 5, 2013. As your gift was received in April, *Healing Autism* month, it will be matched and credited towards *Healing Autism*, a Guiding Eyes for the Blind Service Dog Program.

We are proud that your family chose to participate in our program and are eager to hear about Michael's progress and adventures with Kevin. Your stories are not only important for documentation purposes, but also serve to inspire us to continue securing the resources necessary to enable other families to reap the benefits of the *Healing Autism* program.

We know that you share our wish that we can train more dogs for children with autism and their families, so that they too may have a renewed sense of hope and improved quality of life.

Thank you again for becoming a *Healing Autism* family, and for your generous support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Bill".

William D. Badger

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P.S. For tax purposes, we are required to inform you that no goods or services were given in consideration of this contribution.



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