



WEEK OF GIVING (SEPT. 19 - 23)

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

GROW CHALLENGE + PARTY WITH THE PLANTS

The Grow Challenge is a peer-to-peer campaign to help create equitable STEM education opportunities for students in the St. Louis region. Championed by the Young Friends, this week of giving culminates in Party with the Plants, an evening of drinks, music, and mingling, all in support of a good cause.

Empower tomorrow's scientists • Support the Grow Challenge

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS & RECOGNITION +

Bronze - \$1,000 - Company name on all event marketing materials; 2 free tickets to the Party with the Plants event; recognition as a Grow Challenge supporter on donor honor roll and in Danforth Center publications.

Silver - \$2,500 - As above, plus company logo on all Party with the Plants marketing materials; 4 free tickets to the event.

Gold - \$5,000 - As above, plus recognition from the stage during the Party with the Plants event; 8 free tickets to the event.

Platinum - \$10,000 - As above, plus customized tour of the Danforth Center for your colleagues or clients (up to 30 people) on a mutually convenient date; 16 free tickets to the Party with the Plants event.

If your company wishes to decline any of the benefits listed at your sponsorship level above, please let us know.

MARKETING IMPACT

- Twenty fundraising and event e-blasts to 7,000 recipients (140,000 impressions)
- Inclusion in print Leaflet newsletter and annual report (12,000 impressions)
- Inclusion in digital On the Vine e-newsletter (7,000 impressions)
- Wide promotion on social media
- Included on Danforth Center website (~90k unique visitors per year) and on the peer-to-peer site
- On-site banners and signage at Party with the Plants event with estimated ~300 attendees



MORE WAYS TO SUPPORT

In-Kind Donations

We welcome in-kind donations. Please consider hosting a food or beverage station or making a donation of products or services to be raffled the night of the Party with the Plants event. Please call to discuss.

Event Proceeds

All proceeds from Party with the Plants and Grow Challenge benefit the creation of STEM education programs at the Jackie Joyner-Kersee Food, Agriculture, and Nutrition Innovation Center, and other regional education outreach efforts funded through the Danforth Center's Innovation Fund.

CONTACT

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OUR MISSION

Improve
the human
condition
through
plant science

As a world center for plant science research, our discoveries will help:







Feed the hungry and improve human health

Preserve and renew our environment

Enhance the St. Louis region