

# SPONSOR

## MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR SPONSORSHIP DOLLARS.

Companions for Children has been a valuable resource for families in the Minot community since 1972; providing hundreds of children with volunteer mentors. Mentors provide children with someone else to talk to and a positive role model outside of their home.

Mentors can help them sort out a problem or just listen and be supportive.

To increase the ability to impact more children, Companions for Children implemented Minot's first school-based mentoring program in January 2017; Lunch Pals. In this program mentors meet with their mentees two times per month for lunch at their designated school.



#### **Participating Schools**

School designations are based on availability and are assigned on a first come, first serve bais.

- Washington Elementary
- Sunnyside Elementary
- Third School TBD



#### Children Who Benefit

Participating students are identified by the school guidance counselor due to any of the following reasons:

- Need a Positive Adult Role-Model
- Demonstrate Poor Social Skills, Attendance or Self-Esteem
- Display Behavioral Issues,
   Inappropriate Attention Seeking
   Behaviors or Lack of Interest in School



### **Sponsorship Details**

- 15 Matches for the Entire School Year
- Background Checks for Volunteers
- Online Training Expenses
- Orientation and End of Year Party Lunch
- End of the Year Party Take-Home Picture and Goodie Bag for Students and Mentors
- Activities for Mentors and Mentees to do together during their meetings
- Free Lunch Account for any Employee's from your Business for the Entire School Year
- T-Shirts for all Mentors



#### **Marketing Recognition**

- Group Photo of Matches at the Year-End Party with your Logo on a Banner
- Minimum of 2 Facebook Posts
   During the School Year
   Referencing Your Sponsorship
- Logo on T-shirts for all Mentors
- Logo on Activity Bins at the School and on Activities Supplies (when possible)
- Opportunity to Include any Business Promo Items in the End of Year Party Goodie Bags
- Logo on I Am a Mentor Pictures During Orientation



#### **Benefits for your Business**

- Increased Brand Appeal
- Improved customer perception
- Improved employee morale
- Improved employee productivity, job satisfaction, and retention
- Improved employee communication, time management, leadership, and people skills
- Improved work/live balance as employees contribute to a cause that is important to them



#### **Sponsorship Cost**

\$2,000

Employees from your business are to notify Companions for Children of their association with this sponsorship during the enrollment process. Employees will be matched in accordance to their lunch time availability, match and school preferences, etc.

#### Ready to Make a Difference in the life of a local Child?

School choices are on a first come first serve basis, hurry to confirm your sponsorship and choose your preferred school designation.

Get in touch today! Office (701) 838-5784

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