VARIETY BOYS & GIRLS CLUB 8th Annual Scholarship Gala

Join us for a fun-filled ride as we celebrate Milt Moritz

and his over 60 year commitment

to the Club and the Boyle Heights Community!



PLEASE JOIN US FOR A SPECIAL EVENING

8TH ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP GALA

Honoring Milton Moritz
President & CEO, Retired
National Association of Theatre Owners
of California/Nevada

Tuesday, July 26, 2022

LOCATION

Skirball Cultural Center 2701 N. Sepulveda Blvd. Los Angeles, CA 90049

PROGRAM

6:00 pm Cocktail Reception 6:45 pm Dinner

MILTON MORITZ

VBGC Spirit of Community Award Recipient



Milt Moritz was first introduced to the Variety Boys Club in 1960, which later became the Variety Boys & Girls Club (VBGC) in the 1980s. Jim Nicholson, a colleague at American International Pictures where Milt headed up the marketing department, invited him to attend a Variety-The Children's Charity of Southern California meeting. It was at that meeting that Milt met Louis Diaz, the dynamic, long-time Executive Director of the VBGC, and learned of the outstanding services being provided to so many of the youth in the community. The seed was planted...Milt was now involved with Variety-The Children's Charity of Southern California, the major supporter of the VBGC and, as they say, the rest is history. From that initial meeting grew a remarkable 62-year commitment to the Club and to the youth it served, and in a more direct involvement by becoming a member of the VBGC Board of Directors.

As head of marketing at American International Pictures for 24 years, Milt was responsible for the advertising campaigns for more than 600 motion pictures, with many of those campaigns today regarded as classics which defined America's popular culture of the 1950s, 60s and 70s, and which were recognized as part of a tribute by the Museum of Modern Art in New York City on the occasion of the company's 25th Anniversary in 1979. The artwork on the invitation for this evening's event was lifted from Milt's 1966 advertising campaign for "The Wild Angels," with Milt's head substituted for Peter Fonda's.

During this period, Milt became president of the Variety-The Children's Charity of Southern California and together with industry associates initiated local telethons raising sums in excess of half a million dollars at each event, an astronomical amount for the times, with a major portion going to the Variety Boys & Girls Club in Boyle Heights.

The love affair continued when Milt joined the National Association of Theatre Owners of California/Nevada in 1998. Milt always took to heart the words in the slogan "The Heart of Show Business," first introduced when Variety-The Children's Charity was formed in the early 1920s in Pittsburgh. He felt that the Association should give back to the communities where their members do business. During his tenure as President and CEO, the local Association distributed over \$7,000,000.00 to children's causes including over \$700,000.00 to the VBGC. It was at Milt's prompting that \$250,000.00 of the \$700,000.00 be set aside and used as matching funds for the creation of an endowment campaign, the results of which have today far exceeded the initial \$500,000.00 goal and continues to grow.

Milt recently retired after 24 years as the President and CEO of the National Association of Theatre Owners of California/Nevada and acknowledges the "heart of show business" is as big if not bigger today than when the saying was first coined and extends his appreciation to his Board of Directors who shared the vision he had in providing these funds to so many worthy children's causes.

GALA COMMITTEE

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The Variety Boys & Girls Club (VBGC) carries a proud diverse history, and provides resources to address real life challenges relating to poverty, under-resourced neighborhoods, low educational attainment, gang violence, substance abuse, and poor health outcomes. For over 73 years, the Club has been a refuge for children in Boyle Heights providing unmatched opportunities for growth and success of Club Members. We are extremely proud of that heritage and look forward to continuing to serve future generations of community youth.

The organization's Scholarship Program was founded in 1972 to provide financial support to Club Members attending college. Over the years, 774 Club Members have been awarded scholarships totaling a financial commitment of \$3,105,300. In 2022, 21 Club Members received scholarships totaling \$108,500.

We applaud our VBGC Club Members who have worked hard and excelled academically. Please join us in showing support for the milestones that our youth have achieved.

Please adhere to the following requirements

Skirball Safety Protocols:

Show proof of full vaccination

You are considered fully vaccinated:

- Two weeks after your second dose in a two-dose series.
- OR two weeks after single-dose vaccine

What counts as proof of vaccination:

- Your vaccination card, a digital vaccine record, or a legible photograph.
- AND your photo ID.



SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

\$40,000 Premier Sponsor

- 2 tables for 10 persons
- Premium table placements
- Name(s) in program
- Double page ad in program (Front inside cover)
- Branding: Step & Repeat Banner
- Company acknowledgment during dinner program
- Logo placement on VBGC website Gala page
- Special Gala Plaque
- \$10,000 scholarship in sponsor's name

\$15,000 Principal Sponsor

- 2 tables for 10 persons
- Name(s) in program
- Premium table placements
- Full page ad in program
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\$5,000 Patron Sponsor

- 1 table for 10 persons
- Name(s) in program
- Full page ad in program
- Logo placement on VBGC website Gala page

\$25,000 Title Sponsor

- 2 tables for 10 persons
- Premium table placements
- Name(s) in program
- Double page ad in program (Back inside cover)
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\$10,000 Major Sponsor

- 2 tables for 10 persons
- Name(s) in program
- Premium table placements
- Full page ad in program
- Logo placement on VBGC website Gala page

\$2,500 Benefactor Sponsor

- 1 table for 10 persons
- Name(s) in program
- 1/2 page ad in program
- Logo placement on VBGC website Gala page

Individual seats \$250





For more information or sponsorship inquiries please email: dsarabia@vbgc.org



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FULL PAGE \$1,000 HALF PAGE \$500 BUSINESS CARD \$250

Date: __

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



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