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Little Stars
Bigs
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Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Capital Region

May 2, 2024



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Welcome to our Little Stars Big Styles Fashion Show, a fundraiser to benefit the programs of Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Capital Region! Tonight, we gather not only to celebrate style and elegance but also to champion a cause that lies at the heart of our organization – empowering the potential within every child in our community. As CEO, I am continually inspired by the transformative impact of mentorship, and tonight’s event serves as a testament to the unwavering commitment of our mentors, volunteers, and supporters who play a pivotal role in shaping the futures of our Littles.

A Message from the CEO

Tonight’s fashion show is more than just a showcase of the latest trends – it is a symbol of hope, resilience, and possibility. Each stride down the runway represents a journey of growth, confidence, and empowerment for our Littles. With your generous support, we can continue to provide life-changing mentorship programs that ignite the spark of potential in every child, helping them realize their dreams and build a brighter future.

I want to give a heartfelt thanks to everyone who had a hand in making today’s event possible, including the staff, members of the Board, and wonderful volunteers.

In addition, I want to acknowledge the generous support of our annual partners, especially our community partner Broadview Federal Credit Union. I would also like to acknowledge the generous support of our event sponsors and underwriters who appear in this program. Without their support, and yours, this day would not be possible.

Thank you for joining us in this celebration of mentorship, community, and the incredible potential of our youth!



Lea Montalto-Rook, CEO



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Little Stars Big Styles Fashion Show

6:00 PM Doors open
Silent Auction, Light Refreshments, Cash Bar
Enjoy the music stylings of DJ Hollyw8d

7:00 PM Fashion Show

Fashion Show Schedule

Chea-Aria "coco" Brown, Emcee

Welcoming Remarks - Lauren Valentine, Board Member and
Chair of the Event and Development Committees

Scene 1: CASUAL "Day in the Life"

Bigs, Littles, & Big Benefactors

Featured Designers: Macy's, On 34th, I.N.C, Tommy Hilfiger,
Calvin Klein, Karl Lagerfield, Nautica

Remarks - Lea Montalto-Rook, CEO

Scene 2: DRESSY "BBBS Achievement Celebration"

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Remarks - John Carl, Former Board Member, BBBSCR
& First Vice President, Pollard Bryan & Carl

8:30 PM Auction Winners Announced

9:00 PM Thank you & Good night

LINEUP

SCENE 1 – CASUAL "Day in the Life"

SCENE 2 – DRESSY "BBBS Achievement Celebration"

1. Big Benefactor: Roberto Nunez
Models: Big Christian & Little Der'Mani
Scene 1: Adidas
Scene 2: Tommy Hilfiger, Ralph Lauren
2. Big Benefactor: Olivia Lupoli
Models: Big Sarah & Little Sophia
Scene 1: Nautica, Epic Threads
Scene 2: Kensie, Kids Speechless
3. Big Benefactor: Morgan Reed
Models: Big Jessica & Little Justina
Scene 1: INC, Celebrity, Nautica
Scene 2: Tommy Hilfiger, INC, Calvin Klein, On 34th
4. Big Benefactor: Tyler Kuznia
Models: Big Victoria & Little Kiara
Scene 1: Tommy Hilfiger
Scene 2: Calvin Klein
5. Big Benefactor: Caron O'Brien Crummey
Models: Big Cathy & Little Ashlynn
Scene 1: Karl Lagerfield, Tommy Hilfiger
Scene 2: Karl Lagerfield, Kasper, Kids Speechless
6. Big Benefactor: Trent Griffin-Braaf
Models: Big Meloni & Little Alani
Scene 1: Hot Pink, Rare Edition
Scene 2: Calvin Klein, Kids Speechless
7. Big Benefactor: Dora Phillip
Models: Mom Kessa & Little Jayden
Scene 1: On 34th, Epic Threads
Scene 2: Vince Camuto, Ralph Lauren
8. Big Benefactor: Andrew Elder
Models: Big Lily & Little Ah'Siah
Scene 1: Reebok, Adidas
Scene 2: DKNY, Kids Speechless
9. Big Benefactor: Ryan Smithson
Models: Big Stuart & Little Adam
Scene 1: Reebok
Scene 2: Calvin Klein, Tommy Hilfiger

10. Big Benefactor: Michael Russell
Models: Big Rhonda & Little Adrianna
Scene 1: On 34th, Madden Girl
Scene 2: Tommy Hilfiger, On 34th
11. Big Benefactor: James Rubino
Models: Big Wendy & Little Amina
Scene 1: Macy's Backstage, Hippie Rose
Scene 2: Macy's Backstage Emma & Michelle
12. Big Benefactor: Shea Butler
Models: Big Sandra & Little Azayla
Scene 1: On 34th, Epic Threads
Scene 2: On 34th, Calvin Klein
13. Big Benefactor: Andre Goodbee
Models: Mom Tanisha & Little Paris
Scene 1: INC, Regeneration by Celebrity Pink
Scene 2: Seagreen
14. Big Benefactor: Carter Haydock
Models: Big Tiffani & Little Izzy
Scene 1: Karl Lagerfield, INC
Scene 2: Vince Camuto, Trixxi
15. Big Benefactor: Kayla Anderton
Models: Big Katie & Little Kay
Scene 1: Nautica, INC, Levi's
Scene 2: Connected Apparel, Rare Edition
16. Big Benefactor: Kate Morgan
Models: Big Lauren & Little Serenity
Scene 1: On 34th
Scene 2: Macy's Exclusive "Say Yes To The Dress,"
Rare Edition
17. Big Benefactor: Christina Farinacci-Roberts
Models: Mom Davonna & Little Andreas
Scene 1: Karl Lagerfield, Nike
Scene 2: DKNY, Calvin Klein

THANK YOU
to our Big Benefactors and Models!

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