



February, 2009

Dear Chautauqua Partner:

The 10th Annual CHAUTAUQUA theme will be *American Dreams: Progress in Business & Industry*. Designed to explore history in an unusual and revealing way in a delicate balance of education and entertainment, this year's Chautauqua will take place **June 23-27** at the Myers Memorial Band Shell and will feature four actor/scholars portraying *Julia Child, Walt Disney, Juana Briones and Ben Franklin*. This year's fifth component will include a local history presentation written and directed by our own Deleasa Randall-Griffiths.

On behalf of our committee and the Ashland County community, **we thank you for your generous support** which directly impacts nearly 20,000 people in Ashland County and surrounding areas.

With a preliminary budget of \$15,000, we are requesting sponsorships that range from \$25 to \$100+. We are also seeking \$1,200 character sponsors. Your investment will serve as a catalyst for presenting history and humanities to general audiences, both young and old, in an entertaining and thought-provoking manner. All sponsors will receive community-wide exposure through the event's tabloid publication which is distributed throughout the entire circulation of the *Ashland Times-Gazette* and *Loudonville Times*. Character sponsors are designated as major sponsors of the event and recognized on event posters, banners, and press releases.

Please call me at 419-281-4584 ext. 1003, if you have any questions or need additional information. Thank you for your help to bring the highest quality entertainment and historical education activities to our children, families, and adults of all ages. Also, be sure to check our new website at www.ashlandchautauqua.org.

Sincerely,

Amy Daubenspeck
Ashland Chautauqua Committee

**Chautauqua 2009: *American Dreams: Progress in Business & Industry* –
Sponsorship Levels**

LEVEL 1	“ASSEMBLY LINE”	\$25 - \$49
Sponsorship in Companion Reader		
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LEVEL 2	“MIDDLE MANAGEMENT”	\$50 - \$99
Sponsorship in Companion Reader		
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LEVEL 3	“CEO”	\$100 & UP
Sponsorship in Companion Reader and invitation to VIP Picnic with the Performers prior to Friday evening’s performance		
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LEVEL 4	CHARACTER SPONSOR	\$1200
In addition to Level 3 Benefits, the sponsor’s logo or name will be on a stage banner throughout the 5-day event; the sponsor will be publicly recognized at the event and will receive an autographed photograph of the performer in character.		

Once you have decided on your level of sponsorship, please fill out the form below and either mail it or fax it back to me. My contact information is provided below.

Name of Contact: _____ Phone #: _____

Company Name: _____ Email: _____

Level of Sponsorship: Level 1 _____ Level 2 _____ Level 3 _____ Level 4* _____

Amount of Sponsorship: \$ _____

**If Level 4 Sponsorship is selected, please indicate a first and second choice:*

Julia Child Walt Disney Juana Briones Ben Franklin Local Presentation

Check will be mailed: _____ Check can be picked up: _____

Company Address: _____

**Please make your check payable to:
Loudonville Theatre & Arts Committee (LTAC)
PO Box 241
Loudonville, OH 44842**

If you have questions please feel free to contact me directly

Regards:

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