



Evening of Stars 2008 Authorization to Solicit

January 2008

Dear Friend of Fontbonne Academy:

This letter is to certify that _____ has authorization from Fontbonne Academy, Milton, MA to solicit cash donations, donations of services, and gifts in kind, advertisements and underwriting funds on behalf of Fontbonne's annual dinner and auction, "An Evening of Stars" to be held on March 29th 2008 at Lombardo's in Randolph MA. Fontbonne Academy's **Tax Exempt ID # is 043-424-717** and each volunteer has a copy of this form.

"Evening of Stars" celebrates excellence in education for young women at Fontbonne Academy while raising the funds to provide financial support to all qualified students subsidizing part of the actual tuition.

Fontbonne Academy has an enrollment of nearly 600 young women who reside in 50+ cities and towns in Massachusetts. There are more than 5,000 alumnae, many of who live and work in the area. To learn more about Fontbonne, please visit **www.FontbonneAcademy.org**.

Before our evening at Lombardo's in March, however, there is much work to be done. To make this event a success, we need the support of businesses like yours in the following areas.

- DONATED ITEMS** are crucial to the success of the Live and Silent Auctions.
- UNDERWRITERS (\$250 - \$10,000)** are needed to help defray the cost of the event. This enables more of the auction and dinner ticket proceeds to benefit the school.
- ADVERTISING (\$50 - \$1,000)** in the Auction Catalog is a way to reach a focused yet diverse group at a small cost.

The auction volunteer will have copies of forms to facilitate a donation or an ad. If you are able to support Fontbonne Academy in one of the above areas, please return the appropriate form with a check, a gift certificate or an ad to the address below. If your donation is an item that needs to be picked up, please contact Anne Comber at 617-615-3028.

We thank you in advance for helping us to build on the tradition of "An Evening of Stars" and in helping Fontbonne Academy meet the needs of its student body.

Sincerely,

Dr. Anne Malone '69
President