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Communities In Schools (CIS) of Northwest Michigan is looking forward to hosting two events in 2024. On January 27<sup>th</sup>, we will hold our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Adult Prom. In the Fall of 2024, we will hold a new event – "Fun" Run (more details coming soon). The success of these events stems from our supporters and sponsors.

We would like to extend the invitation for your business/organization to become a sponsor of our 2024 events. Sponsor logos are included on printed material and on our website. Please note "Sponsorship Opportunities" Form enclosed. We are also seeking donations in the form of gift cards, items, or gift basket for our silent auction at the events. The sponsor levels are:

- o \$2,500 Sponsor
- o \$1,000 Sponsor
- o \$500 Sponsor
- \$250 Sponsor
- o \$100 Sponsor
- Donate a gift card, item, or gift basket

These events help support Communities In Schools programs that serve students and their families in Northwest Michigan. Through school-based coordination, Communities In Schools connects students and their families to critical community resources tailored to local needs. We currently serve Mancelona, Central Lake, East Jordan, Ellsworth and Kalkaska.

By providing students with a one-on-one relationship with a caring adult, a safe place to learn and grow, a healthy start and future, a marketable skill upon graduation and a chance to give back to peers and the community, Communities In Schools has become the nation's leading dropout prevention organization and the only one proven to both decrease dropout rates *and* increase graduation rates. CIS surrounds students with a community of support, empowering them to stay in school and achieve in life.

Please consider becoming a sponsor for these wonderful events as it helps many children and families in our communities. If you have further questions or comments don't hesitate to call me at 231-587-4367 or email me at aburk@cisnwmi.org.

Sincerely,

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Amy Burk, Executive Director