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BEING PRESENT MATTERS

Dear Friends & Supporters,

At Communities In Schools of Northwest Michigan (CIS), we believe every child deserves to feel safe, seen, and supported. But far too many students in our region face challenges that no child should have to navigate alone—poverty, hunger, trauma, and instability.

That's where you come in.

In 2026, our goal is to raise **\$30,000** to sustain and expand the life-changing supports we provide to students across our region. Every dollar raised directly impacts local children and families, ensuring they have the resources, encouragement, and stability needed to succeed in school and in life.

By becoming a 2026 Corporate Partner, your business will help ensure that students have what they need to succeed—inside the classroom and beyond. You'll also receive meaningful recognition throughout the year, including visibility at our major fundraising events like our 25th Anniversary Celebration and Adult Prom, date tentative.

Corporate partnership and event sponsorship benefits include:

- Recognition at CIS's fundraising events throughout the year
- Logo placement on event materials, including signage, programs, and promotional media
- Recognition on the CIS website and social media platforms
- Complimentary tickets and VIP opportunities (depending on sponsorship level)
- Opportunity to donate gift cards, items, or gift baskets for our silent auctions

Sponsorship Levels:

- \$2,500 – Presenting Sponsor
- \$1,000 – Gold Sponsor
- \$500 – Silver Sponsor
- \$250 – Bronze Sponsor
- \$100 – Friend of CIS

- Silent Auction Donor – Gift card, item, or basket donation

Your sponsorship helps sustain and grow CIS programs in Mancelona, Central Lake, East Jordan, Ellsworth, Kalkaska, Vanderbilt, Elk Rapids, and Gaylord—programs that meet students where they are and provide the tools, care, and connections needed to help them thrive.

CIS is the nation's leading dropout prevention organization. Our model is proven to increase graduation rates and reduce dropout rates, by surrounding students with a community of support and empowering them to stay in school and achieve in life.

We would be honored to partner with your business in this vital work. Enclosed, you'll find a sponsorship form with more details. Please don't hesitate to contact me at (231) 280-5181 or aburk@cisnwmi.org with any questions or to confirm your support.

With gratitude,

Amy Burk
Executive Director
Communities in Schools of Northwest Michigan

**Yes, we would like to sponsor the 2026 Communities In Schools of Northwest Michigan Event!
Please complete and return the enclosed form to us.**

Sponsorship Level:

- \$2,500
- \$1,000
- \$500
- \$250
- \$100

Business/Organization Name _____

Contact Person _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____ Email _____

- Check Enclosed (Please make check payable to “CISNWMI” and mail to: CISNWMI, 205 Grove Street, Mancelona, MI 49659)
- Pay Online \$2500, \$1000, \$500, \$250, \$100 Sponsor:
<https://communitiesinschoolofnwmichigan.app.neoncrm.com/forms/donate-now>



- Donate a Gift Card, Item, or Basket for the Raffle

Please email logo to info@cisnwmi.org

THANK YOU for your sponsorship!