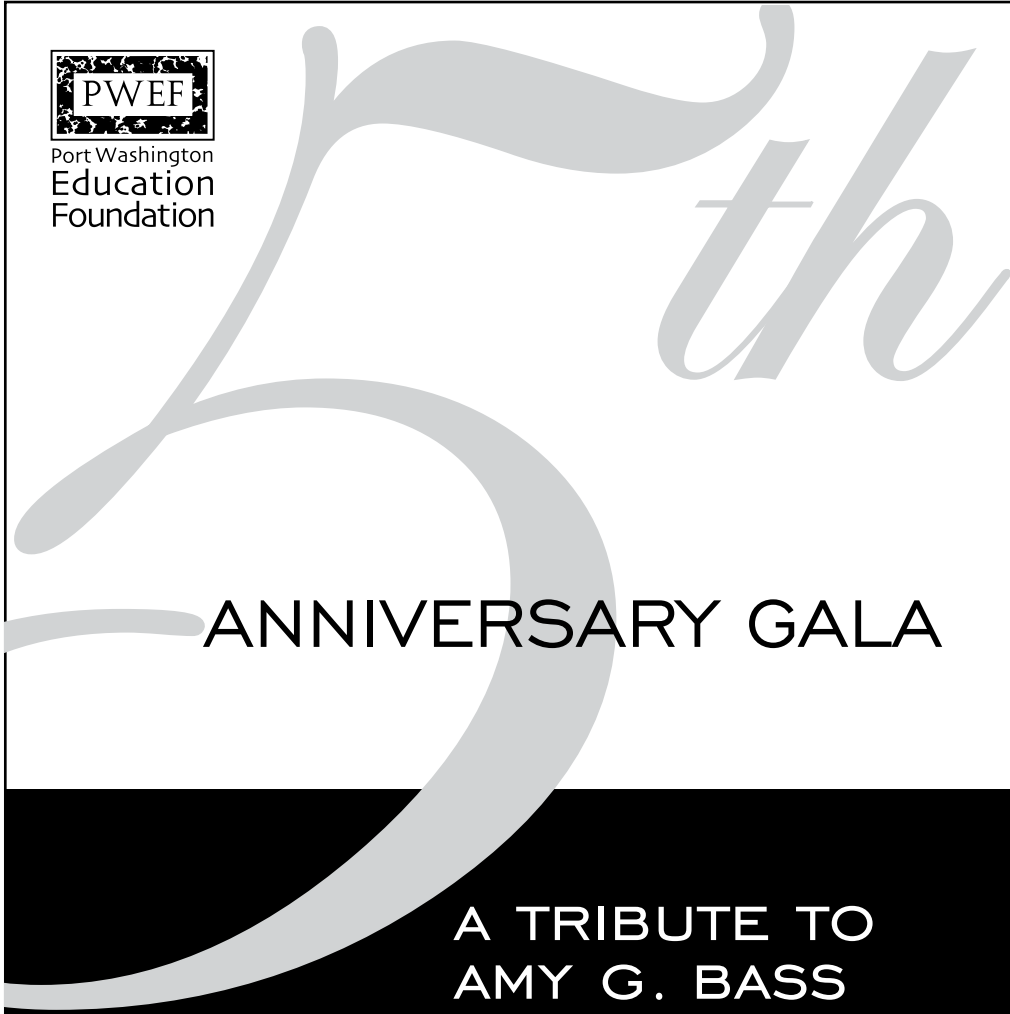




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ANNIVERSARY GALA

A TRIBUTE TO AMY G. BASS

SATURDAY, MAY 12, 2007
8:00 PM – 11:00 PM

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GOLF COURSE CLUBHOUSE

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PORT WASHINGTON, NEW YORK

OPEN BAR ■ BUFFET

DJ & DANCING

FABULOUS RAFFLES

OPPORTUNITIES TO SPONSOR FEATURED PROJECTS

PLEASE RESPOND BY APRIL 30, 2007

Cocktail attire

\$140.00 per person

AMY
G.
Bass



Believing that a strong and respected school district is the cornerstone of a successful community, Amy G. Bass was the founding President of the Port Washington Education Foundation. She led the PWEF from 2001 – 2006 and is now our President Emerita.

Amy is a former President and Trustee of the Port Washington Board of Education. She is a former PTA President. She currently serves on the board of directors of the Nassau BOCES Educational Foundation. Amy is long-time President of Friends of the Port Washington Public Library. She is Vice President of the Community Chest of Port Washington. She is Vice President of the League of Women Voters of Port Washington-Manhasset and chairs its annual "State of the Town" luncheon. She is on the Advisory Board of Port Washington Children's Center.

SPOTLIGHT ON PWEF PROJECTS

These five projects exemplify the mission of the PWEF to bring innovation and educational enhancements to our children's classrooms. Each one has a record of success and support from the school district.

Your help in funding means these projects can continue for another year and beyond. Please choose a portion, an entire project or even multiple projects to support. Donors will be acknowledged at the Gala.

Thank you

F.I.R.S.T. ROBOTICS

In 2005 Schreiber High School teacher Don Schaefer took a diverse team of highly motivated students who created their rookie robot, Woody. Woody made it all the way to national competition, thus laying the groundwork for more student involvement and building more ambitious robots for future competitions.

Funding Opportunity: Robot parts: \$3,500;

Competition: \$5,000 each for regional and national levels.

SMART BOARDS™

Interactive whiteboard technology uses a touch-sensitive display that connects to a computer and digital projector. The teacher controls computer applications directly from the display, writes notes in digital ink and saves work to share later. This technology can be used for any subject. The District's goal is a SMART board for every classroom teacher who can use one!

Funding Opportunity:

Every \$5,000 gets another SMART Board installed.

THE BLUES AT WEBER

Created by Weber Middle School English teacher Jeff Moss, this program gives all 8th grade students the opportunity to study African-American history, poetry, art and music with songwriting workshops and performances by renowned Blues artist Little Toby Walker. Students write and perform their own Blues songs.

Funding Opportunity:

One year of The Blues at Weber costs \$3,000.

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SPOTLIGHT ON PWEF PROJECTS *(continued)*

LANGUAGE ARTS & PERFORMANCE WORKSHOPS

Expressive Elocution and Storytime Theater are language arts performance workshops designed for older and younger elementary students. Port Washington parent and voice/drama professional Elise May uses her performance and elocution skills to enhance the language arts curriculum by improving concentration, focus, listening, linguistics and problem solving.

Funding Opportunity:

A 3-workshop series for one full grade district-wide costs \$4,500.

THE PWEF EDUCATION SUPPORT CENTER

This after-school program held at the Port Washington Public Library is for 3rd & 4th grade students in need of extra language arts support. Trained adult and high school volunteers work one-on-one to help with homework and develop strategies for completing assignments. Enrichment activities reinforce learning and social skills. Generous grants from the Slade Family Foundation and former Senator Balboni's office will partially fund the Support Center for the next five years and donations are needed to make up the difference.

Funding Opportunity:

Every \$1,000 extends the program another week.

OUR MISSION

THE PORT WASHINGTON EDUCATION FOUNDATION IS AN INDEPENDENT, NON-PROFIT, COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATION. ITS PURPOSE IS TO ACQUIRE AND DISTRIBUTE FUNDS TO ENHANCE EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL STUDENTS IN THE PORT WASHINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT. THE FOUNDATION SUPPORTS INITIATIVES THAT ARE BEYOND THE SCOPE OF THE DISTRICT'S BUDGET AND WILL ACTIVELY SEEK DONATIONS, GRANTS AND GOVERNMENT FUNDS.

OUR GUIDING PRINCIPLES

- TO FUND CREATIVE AND INNOVATIVE PROGRAMS AND RESOURCES
- TO ENCOURAGE COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT AND SUPPORT FOR THE SCHOOLS
- TO PROMOTE PARTNERSHIP WITH PORT WASHINGTON SCHOOL DISTRICT ALUMNI
- TO DEVELOP RELATIONSHIPS WITH BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY



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