



# Irvine Children's Fund



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The Irvine Children's Fund is proud to announce that we are celebrating 30 years of providing affordable before and after school child care scholarships to eligible families that have children attending one of the 25 elementary schools in the Irvine Unified School District.

This year, the Irvine Children's Fund will host the 30<sup>th</sup> annual Irvine Junior Games to be held on Sunday, May 7, 2017 at Irvine Stadium. Most importantly, the Irvine Junior Games assist ICF in fundraising to provide before and after school child care scholarships to low-income working families. The Irvine Junior Games continue to serve as the premier fundraising track and field event in Orange County with participation by over 1,500 Irvine elementary and middle school athletes, 300 volunteers and over 3,000 spectators.

With the help of so many past individual and corporate sponsors, grants, foundations and volunteers, the Irvine Children's Fund has raised over \$2.5 Million to assure a secure and supportive child care environment before and after school for children who otherwise may be left home alone.

**This very successful auction at the Irvine Junior Games has raised over \$129,000 to help ICF provide funding for before and after school child care for working families who are struggling to provide safe child care, keep their jobs and maintain their self sufficiency.**

Last year was our biggest and best auction ever. THANK YOU

Your support will help make it possible for families to have access to affordable child care.

**WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR PAST DONATION and hope you will once again JOIN THE SPONSOR TEAM for the 2017 Irvine Junior Games by making a donation of products or services to our SILENT AUCTION & OPPORTUNITY DRAWING, which is held on the day of the Irvine Junior Games.** Monetary donations are also generously accepted. Your donation will be acknowledged in the Irvine Junior Games Event Program that is available to our athletes and 3,000 spectators.

**Should you need additional information, please contact the Irvine Children's Fund At (949) 786-6454 or Email us at [icfijg@sbcglobal.net](mailto:icfijg@sbcglobal.net).**

Thank you,

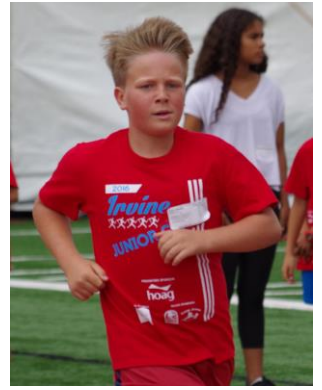
Theresa Collins

Director, Irvine Junior Games

Irvine Junior Games 2017- 30<sup>th</sup> annual fundraising track and field event  
1,500 Irvine school children from 31 schools competing in this community wide track and field event  
More than 200 local Orange County businesses and sponsors  
Hundreds of parent, teacher and community volunteers  
3,000 spectators



**30<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL IRVINE JUNIOR GAMES**  
**TRACK & FIELD EVENT**  
**A BENEFIT FOR THE IRVINE CHILDREN'S FUND**  
**ON TRACK TO RAISE FUNDS FOR BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CHILD CARE**  
**MAY 7, 2017**



The Irvine Junior Games (IJG) were conceived in 1986 with two objectives:

- First, the Irvine Junior Games serve as a fundraising event for the Irvine Children's Fund
- Second, to encourage the participation of elementary school children in athletics and promote a healthy lifestyle



The Irvine Children's Fund (ICF) is a nonprofit organization in partnership with the Irvine Child Care Project with the purpose of raising money to:

- provide quality, affordable, safe & accessible before and after school child care for elementary school children
- provide child care scholarships for low-income, working families
- assist with funds to expand, maintain and enrich the 25 child care sites

Before & after school child care sites are now located on all 25 elementary school sites in the Irvine Unified School District.



**THE PREMIER CHILDREN'S ATHLETIC EVENT IN IRVINE**  
**1,500 4<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Athletes Representing 31 IUSD schools**

The Irvine Junior Games have evolved into a force for positive interaction that bring together parents, children, the Irvine Unified School District (IUSD), the City of Irvine, foundations and corporate & individual sponsors. The Irvine Junior Games are truly a unique celebration of the Irvine community.

All Irvine Unified School District students in 4th through 8th grade are invited to participate in the Irvine Junior Games track and field events. Each year we host more than 1,500 athletes participating in the 50 and 100 meter sprints, 400, 800 and 1500 meter long distance runs, school relays, the bag shot, soccer kick, basketball

shoot, and the standing and running long jump. The Irvine Junior Games include events for special needs and adapted PE children. Each athlete receives an official T-shirt that includes sponsor recognition. Proceeds from the athlete entry fees, spectators & concessions benefit ICF.

Festivities begin with a color guard leading off the parade of athletes marching in behind their school banners. The Opening Ceremony concludes with the national anthem & the lighting of the Irvine Junior Games flame.

Each year, the Irvine Junior Games are efficiently run thanks to the help of more than 300 **VOLUNTEERS** who plan and volunteer at the event.

More than 75 corporate & individual gold, silver, bronze and spirit team **SPONSORS** proudly support the Irvine Junior Games and generously contribute to help ICF reach our child care fundraising goal.

Thanks to our Irvine Junior Games sponsors, foundations & grants, the Irvine Children's Fund has raised **\$2,536,606**



- \$1,870,193 to the Irvine Child Care Project for before and after school child care scholarships
- \$230,928 to the Irvine Child Care Project to expand and maintain the child care sites
- \$21,920 to complete the handicap accessibility at 7 child care sites
- 1,625 child care scholarships to low income, working families since 1993
- 21,227 child care days provided in 2013 - 2016
- \$210,890 to the schools and teachers participating in the Irvine Junior Games
- \$196,675 to the 25 before and after school child care sites for supplies and activities to enrich the programs for all children



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# Irvine Junior Games SILENT AUCTION and 50/50 OPPORTUNITY



Stop by the Opportunity Drawing and Silent Auction Area

Signed Anaheim DUCKS Jersey • GOLF Foursome at Coyote Hills • 2 Night Stay at a Paso Robles wine country home • 4 DISNEYLAND & CALIFORNIA ADVENTURE Park Hopper Tickets • Signature Orange Bike from FivePoint • HOAG Executive Health Physical • Camp James Summer Camp • UCI Junior Anteater All-Star Camp • Oak Creek Golf •



Napa Wine Train • Pirate Coast Paddle Company • Crevier BMW Child's Car • Angels Baseball Tickets • Fletcher Jones Mercedes Child's Car • JAMBOO Bluetooth Speaker & Headphones •

Wine Tasting for 12 by PRP Wine Int'l

AND MANY MORE...

Lamppost Pizza, Culver & Walnut • Taco Bell • In-N-Out Burger • Horse Play Rentals • Santa Anita Park • Del Mar Race Track • Movie tickets • Doggie Walk Gift Basket • Rainbow Kids Hairstyling • Team OC • The Winery Restaurant • OC Fair • Irvine Lanes • Boomers! • Aquarium of the Pacific • Improv • Pacific Symphony • Racquet Club of Irvine • Target gift cards • Trader Joe's Gift Cards • Waterford Crystal Digital Frame • Rowley Portraiture • Bradford Portraits • Starbucks • Lamppost Pizza, Woodbridge • Stricklands Ice Cream • Cheesecake Factory • LePort Schools Summer Camp • Classic Kids Photography

Look for the Auction Baskets donated by each school to help ICF raise funds for child care on all of our IUSD elementary school sites.

50/50 CASH Opportunity Drawing Winner must be present

The past Silent Auctions & Opportunity Drawings have raised \$130,000 for the Irvine Children's Fund & the Irvine Child Care Project Before & After School Child Care Programs provided on 25 Irvine elementary schools.



Join with 1,500 athletes and their families  
 from 31 schools at the  
**30<sup>th</sup> Annual Irvine Junior Games**  
**Fundraising Track and Field Event**  
 To Benefit  
**The Irvine Children's Fund**  
**Before and After School Child Care Program**  
 May 7, 2017



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Corporate Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Retail Value: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Acknowledgement in Printed Materials:**

(On the acknowledgement line, please type or print name(s) as you would like to be listed in the printed recognition.)

If you are sending a gift certificate that needs to be dated, please date the gift certificate May 7, 2017

**Donations need to be received by Friday, April 7, 2017**  
**to be included in the event day program and printed materials**

If you need to arrange pick up of your donation or have further questions, please call the Irvine Children's Fund at (949) 786-6454.

**Please send this form along with your donation to:**

**Theresa Collins**  
**2017 Irvine Junior Games**  
**Irvine Children's Fund**  
**14301 Yale Avenue Irvine, CA 92604**

**Thank you for your donation in support of the Irvine Children's Fund**