



Garden City Trojans Lacrosse Fund Raiser to Benefit Autism

Good Example of what the Trojans benefit can raise for Autism and GC LAX:

- Forty (40) players from the GC Trojans recruit 4 non-LAX volunteers each.
- Each volunteer receives 10 pledges of \$20 each.
- Calculation:

40	LAX Players	X	4	Recruited Volunteers per LAX Player	
	160			Total Trojan Volunteers	
		X	\$200	Total Raised by each volunteer from Ten Pledges of \$20 each.	
	\$32,000.			Total Raised	
	\$16,000.			For the Ascent Funding Organization	
	\$16,000.			For the GCHS Trojans Lacrosse Program	

About the Ascent Youth Alliance to Battle Autism (AYABA)

The award winning AYABA, a program of the Ascent Funding Organization, a 501C3 non-profit, which has been featured on WABC-TV and been honored by the Association of Fundraising Professionals, Nassau BOCES and the New York International Independent Film Festival (www.youtube.com/user/AYABANY), in addition to previously having raised hundreds of thousands of dollars for the cause, also provides a platform:

- To help promote awareness, tolerance and acceptance for the 1 in every 110 kids (and 1 in every 70 boys) who are diagnosed with autism annually;
- where typical kids can impact their own lives as well as those with autism by learning whether individually on in a group, they can make a difference;
- to educate student volunteers as to why those with autism act in the manner in which they do-which will help our fellow youth better understand and have compassion for those with autism and other disabilities; and
- where student volunteers perform rewarding community service tied to sports, helping both, while receiving an "Executive type title" to be proudly displayed their college application and/ or future job resume.



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