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Dear Supporter,

We are excited to extend an invitation for you to join us at our **50th Anniversary** fundraising event on Friday evening, **October 27, 2023**, starting at 7pm to be held at the Hanover Manor, located in East Hanover, NJ. This fun-filled evening will be hosted by **iHeartRadio host, Xen Sams, with hors d'oeuvres, open bar, Live Performance by Julia Roome, a Mind Reading show by Mentalist Mike Kirschner, VIP attendance, Raffles, Silent Auction And Press Coverage!**

Below is the link to our 50th anniversary fundraising event. Please click the "Register for 50th Anniversary Event Tickets and Sponsorships" link to make an impact!

<https://westbridgeacademy.org/50-years-of-caring/>

Each year, Westbridge Academy depends on the Annual Appeal for revenue beyond tuition to support the many academic and award-winning therapeutic programs offered to our students. Now more than ever, children's mental health has reached a crisis point. Together, **we can join hands** in helping K-12 students become better equipped in meeting life's demands and develop the necessary skills to experience success. There has never been a better time or greater need than right now to support our school.

Westbridge Academy has been a leader in mental health services and special education for five decades. We are a nonprofit, 501 (c)(3) special education K-12 school serving children, adolescents and young adults with complex emotional, behavioral and learning disabilities. Accredited by the NJ Department of Education, we serve students between the ages of 5-21 from eight counties in northern and central New Jersey.

**Your support is invaluable.** We are proud to say that over 90% of our students have successfully returned to their public schools, gone on for vocational training, entered the work force, or continued with their post-secondary studies.

**Donors make a meaningful difference!**

**Our annual campaign is underway. We accept donations on our website or by mail.** Bring your friends and family ... save the date ... for our popular fundraising event! Be sure to mark your calendar for October 27th and join us in making this year's event the best one yet! Please contact Joan Sardi ([joanb@westbridgeacademy.org](mailto:joanb@westbridgeacademy.org) or 973-429-8110 Ext. 114) for further information.

With gratitude,

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