March 24, 2020

Dear Fellow Berthoud Community Members,

First and foremost, thank you so much for purchasing tickets to join us at the 12th annual Berthoud Bash originally scheduled for April 4th and making an investment to support the nearly 2,100 children attending Berthoud public schools.

The Berthoud Schools Fund Board of Directors has been closely monitoring the break neck pace of the Covid-19 developments over the last 10 days. The way and pace in which our lives have been upended is unprecedented and difficult to comprehend. We want everyone to focus on what is important right now, family and friends and as a result, we have made the decision to postpone the Online Bash auction to a later date in 2020.

With respect to the event tickets you purchased we are providing two options as follows-

1. We will transfer the tickets you purchased for the April 4th Berthoud Bash to the Online BASH event being held later in the year. If you would like to donate the cost of your dinner to the Berthoud School Fund and participate in the on-line auction, you do not need to do anything. We will convert your ticket to an online ticket and cash donation, which means this will become 100% tax deductible.

2. If you would like a partial refund, please email us at berthoudbash@berthoudschoolsfund.org by April 4, 2020. We will refund your ticket price minus the $10 online auction fee and you will still have the opportunity to bid on our many great auction items.

More information will be communicated in the future via email and on our Facebook and Instagram accounts (follow us @berthoudschoolsfund).

Regardless of your decision, we see firsthand the difference your extremely generous and amazing support makes in our Berthoud schools. We are so very grateful to you for your support of our students, educators, and schools!

In closing, we also want to express our sincere appreciation to everyone who is making sacrifices for the rest of us by providing essential services related to healthcare, grocery and food service, sanitation and, of course, first responders just to name a few. We are in a difficult time and find ourselves in uncharted waters. Please be safe and we will get through this together.

Sincerely and on behalf on the entire Berthoud Schools Fund Board of Directors,

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