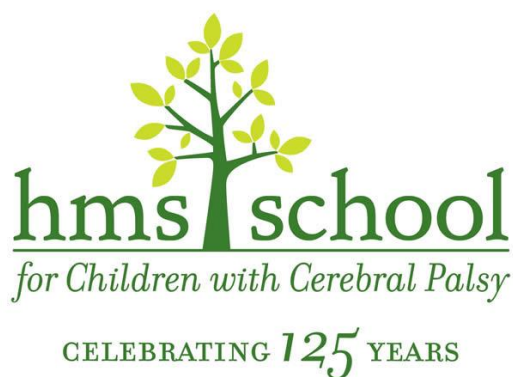




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“Boffo Bossa Nova!” Art-Reach’s 17th Annual Jazz Brunch & Silent Auction

Art-Reach Honors Lisa Nutter and HMS School for Commitment to Access



Samba your way to “Boffo Bossa Nova!” Art-Reach’s 17th Annual Jazz Brunch & Silent Auction which will take place on Sunday, November 2, 2008, from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Park Hyatt at the Bellevue, at Broad and Walnut Streets in Philadelphia.

Art-Reach will honor and present the Commitment to Cultural Access Award to First Lady of Philadelphia Lisa J. Nutter, president of Philadelphia Academies Inc., and to HMS School for Children with Cerebral Palsy in West Philadelphia. This award recognizes the outstanding contributions of individuals and organizations to making the arts more accessible to people with disabilities or economic disadvantages.

A one-of-a-kind event, the *Jazz Brunch* will showcase the rhythmic sounds of classic Brazilian jazz as this genre celebrates its 50th anniversary. Dance to the sounds of Rio performed by the The John Hoey Orchestra, enjoy a Brazilian-themed menu and décor, and don’t forget to bid at the extensive silent auction of travel, fine dining and

cultural and enrichment packages, including two roundtrip airfares to Europe on Air France, a week-long stay at a Mexican condo, and a Jazz Night Out at the Kimmel Center including dinner at its award-winning roof-deck restaurant, Cadence.

The *Jazz Brunch* is Art-Reach's most important event, generating over 15% of its annual operating budget. Tickets to the *Jazz Brunch* are \$85 or \$175, which includes free parking at the Bellevue and admission to the exclusive VIP Brunch Preview in October at a private condo on Rittenhouse Square. Corporate packages range from \$1,500 to \$5,000. For tickets, to make an auction donation or for more information about the *Jazz Brunch & Silent Auction*, call Art-Reach at (215) 568-2115 or visit the Special Events page at www.art-reach.org.