



# *Sponsorship Invitation*

## **2nd Annual See & Taste Belize Festival**

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**Deauville Beach Resort, Miami Beach, FL  
October 7, 2017  
12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.**

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February 9<sup>th</sup>, 2017

To Whom it May Concern,

We are thrilled to be celebrating our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual See & Taste Belize Festival on October 7<sup>th</sup>, to be held at the Deauville Beach Resort, Miami Beach, Florida at noon. See & Taste Belize, Inc. and the Office of Special Envoy for Women and Children, along with its partners, the Belize Tourism Board (BTB), and BELTRAIDE are committed to making this year's event better than ever. Guests and members of the community can share in this exciting event and get the opportunity to meet renowned Chefs and Artists from Belize showcasing their culinary and artistic talents.

We know that you have a choice when it comes to spending your charitable dollars, and you can be confident that when you contribute to See & Taste Belize, Inc., your money will help those in need in the Inspiration Center in Belize. With money raised through this festival, we will be able to provide holistic services and support to children with special needs to help them reach their full potential.

Since opening its doors in 2014, the Inspiration Center has assessed and provided rehabilitation services to hundreds of children in need. Your contribution towards making this event an international success is greatly appreciated.

Last year we raised over \$60K USD and this year we are building on that success with a goal of \$100K USD. Attached, please find levels of Sponsorship available. Please review and let us know by April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017, in what level of sponsorship you are interested.

Please join us for this milestone event to support See & Taste Belize, Inc. and the Inspiration Center of Belize and its community. If you have questions or need additional information, please contact Tracy Gomez at (305) 775-0276 or by email at [seeandtastebelize@gmail.com](mailto:seeandtastebelize@gmail.com).

We look forward to seeing you and thank you for your continued support of the See & Taste Belize Festival and to the children of Belize.

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'K.S.B.'.

H.E. Kim Simplis Barrow  
Special Envoy For Women and Children  
Spouse of the Prime Minister of Belize

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'J. Vega'.

Mrs. Janine Sylvestre Vega  
Hon. Consul General of Belize in FL  
Trade Representative of Belize in FL



## About See & Taste Belize, Inc.

**See & Taste Belize, Inc.** is a non-profit organization whose mission is to help build a healthier and happier life for the children of Belize by inspiring hope and contributing to the well-being of these children by improving their health, education, and living conditions through charitable projects and fundraisers. See & Taste Belize, Inc. was established in 2015 with a focus on giving back to the Belizean community while showcasing Belize's art, culture, and cuisine.

## Accomplishments:

1. **Hurricane Earl Relief 2016** - Hurricane Earl made landfall in Belize on August 4th, 2016 wreaking havoc and extensive damage to homes and villages. Thanks to the kindness of many generous donors and See & Taste Belize, Inc., \$4,500.00 USD was raised and donated to the Belize Red Cross who distributed the funds to the victims of Hurricane Earl.
2. **Pediatric Intensive Care Unit 2015** - See & Taste Belize, Inc.'s primary goal in 2015 was to raise funds to support the first dedicated Neo-natal and Pediatric Intensive Care Unit in Belize. As a result of a lot of hard work, dedication and effort by See & Taste Belize, Inc., the Office of Special Envoy for Women and Children and its partners, BTB, BELTRAIDE, Flavors of Belize, and F.I.U., it managed to raise over \$60K USD for the first Pediatric Intensive Care Unit in Belize, providing optimal care for the specific needs of critically ill pediatric and neonatal patients.
3. **Toy Drive** - See & Taste Belize, Inc. conducted its first toy drive to benefit children and families in Belize. This effort helped to make Christmas a reality for hundreds of children from the Saint Martin de Porras Parish in Belize City. We collected and distributed many new, unwrapped toys to children in need.



## About The Inspiration Center

The Inspiration Center is a first-of-its-kind non-government organization located in Belize City. It was founded by Mrs. Kim Simplis-Barrow, Belize's Special Envoy for Women and Children, Global Ambassador for Special Olympics International, and Spouse of the Prime Minister of Belize, in collaboration with CARE-Belize, the Government of Belize and numerous donors and stakeholders. The center provides physical and speech therapy, community-based rehabilitation, basic medical services, and social support for the holistic care of children with special needs (from birth to 16 years old) and their families.

## Mission

Working in partnership with families, government, NGOs, and organizations for people with special needs, we provide rehabilitation services and programs to children with special needs from birth to 16 years old. We also offer recreational, cultural, and sports programs for all children to promote inclusion.

We are committed to developing our staff and management to ensure we have the capability, knowledge, and skills required to deliver quality services and programs for children's optimal development and learning.

## Services

- Community-based Rehab
- Medical Services
- Social Work
- Therapy Services
- Physical, Speech, Occupational, Hydrotherapy, and VitalStim

## Programs

The merging of the Medical Model and the Community Based Rehabilitation Model of Care is what makes the Inspiration Center unique which embraces the following:

- Medical and Nursing Services
- Diagnostic Services
- Comprehensive evaluation and treatment by Physical Occupational and Speech Therapists and referrals to specialists

Meanwhile, the community-based model of care embraces grass roots efforts, local resources, low-cost adaptive aids, and inclusion. The merging of these models will provide pioneering quality care with the emphasis on early intervention and stimulation, and empowerment of our children with special needs.



# Thank you to our See & Taste Belize 2015 Sponsors

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# Sponsorship Opportunities

Level	Event Benefits
<b>DIAMOND</b> <b>\$20,000 – \$30,000</b> <b>(One Exclusive Presenting Sponsor)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sponsor meeting with Mrs. Kim Simplis Barrow, Special Envoy for Women and Children, and with Minister of Health</li> <li>• Corporate Banner at event</li> <li>• Outreach table (20% of goods sold donated to charity)</li> <li>• Full page advertisement with premium placement in event program</li> <li>• Feature article on company's profile in our monthly e-newsletter</li> <li>• Special recognition at event</li> <li>• Local Radio and Television advertising in Belize</li> <li>• Belize Business Directory – One (1) year subscription</li> <li>• Four VIP Festival event tickets</li> <li>• Two Welcome Reception tickets</li> <li>• Logo placement on invitation and in event program</li> <li>• Certificate of Appreciation</li> <li>• Inclusion in event publicity: event website and monthly e-newsletter</li> <li>• Social Media coverage – Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter</li> <li>• Logo placement on Step and Repeat Banner at Welcome Reception and Festival</li> </ul>
<b>PLATINUM</b> <b>\$10,000 - \$19,999</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sponsor meeting with Minister of Health</li> <li>• Corporate Banner at event</li> <li>• Outreach table (20% of goods sold donated to charity)</li> <li>• Half page advertisement</li> <li>• Feature article on company's profile in our monthly e-newsletter</li> <li>• Special recognition at event</li> <li>• Local Radio and Television advertising in Belize</li> <li>• Belize Business Directory – One (1) year subscription</li> <li>• Two VIP Festival event tickets</li> <li>• Two Welcome Reception tickets</li> <li>• Logo placement on invitation and in event program</li> <li>• Certificate of Appreciation</li> <li>• Inclusion in event publicity: event website and monthly e-newsletter</li> <li>• Social Media coverage via Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter</li> <li>• Logo placement on Step and Repeat Banner at Welcome Reception and Festival</li> </ul>
<b>GOLD</b> <b>\$5,000 - \$9,999</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Quarter page advertisement in our monthly e-newsletter</li> <li>• Special recognition at event</li> <li>• Local Radio and Television advertising in Belize</li> <li>• Belize Business Directory – Six (6) month subscription</li> <li>• One VIP Festival event ticket</li> <li>• One Welcome Reception ticket</li> <li>• Logo placement on invitation and in event program</li> <li>• Certificate of Appreciation</li> <li>• Inclusion in event publicity: event website and monthly e-newsletter</li> <li>• Social Media coverage via Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter</li> <li>• Logo placement on Step and Repeat Banner at Welcome Reception and Festival</li> </ul>
<b>SILVER</b> <b>\$1,000 - \$4,999</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Logo placement on invitation and in event program</li> <li>• Certificate of Appreciation</li> <li>• Inclusion in event publicity: event website and monthly e-newsletter</li> <li>• Social Media coverage via Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter</li> <li>• Logo placement on Step and Repeat Banner at Welcome Reception and Festival</li> </ul>
<b>BRONZE</b> <b>\$500 - \$999</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Certificate of Appreciation</li> <li>• Inclusion in event publicity: event website and monthly e-newsletter</li> <li>• Social Media coverage via Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter</li> <li>• Logo placement on Step and Repeat Banner at Welcome Reception and Festival</li> </ul>

*Additional sponsorship opportunities on next page...*

# Sponsorship Opportunities

## (Continued)

Level	Event Benefits
<b>SPONSOR A CHEF</b> <b>\$3,000</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social Media coverage via Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter</li> <li>• Inclusion in event publicity: event website and monthly e-newsletter</li> <li>• Logo placement on Step and Repeat Banner at Welcome Reception and Festival</li> <li>• Each Chef will wear apron stating "Sponsored by: <u>(Your Name/Logo)</u> "</li> <li>• Chef Booth signage featuring your logo</li> <li>• Certificate of Appreciation</li> </ul>
<b>SPONSOR AN ARTIST</b> <b>\$3,000</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social Media coverage via Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter</li> <li>• Inclusion in event publicity: event website and monthly e-newsletter</li> <li>• Logo placement on Step and Repeat Banner at Welcome Reception and Festival</li> <li>• Each Artist will wear apron stating "Sponsored by: <u>(Your Name/Logo)</u> "</li> <li>• Artist Booth signage featuring your logo</li> <li>• Certificate of Appreciation</li> </ul>
<b>SILENT AUCTION DONATIONS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social Media coverage via Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter</li> <li>• Inclusion in event publicity: event website and monthly e-newsletter</li> <li>• Company brand-recognition during auction at Welcome Reception</li> </ul>
<b>IN-KIND DONATIONS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social Media coverage via Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter</li> <li>• Inclusion in event publicity: event website and monthly e-newsletter</li> <li>• Company brand-recognition during Festival</li> </ul>

See & Taste Belize 2017 Events			
<b>Friday</b> <b>October 6<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>WELCOME RECEPTION</b> <b>TICKET</b>	<b>\$75</b> per person	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Belize Rum Tasting</li> <li>• Hors d'oeuvres</li> <li>• Silent Auction</li> </ul>
<b>Saturday</b> <b>October 7<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>VIP FESTIVAL TICKET</b>	<b>\$60</b> per person	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• One General Admission</li> <li>• Three Chef Samplings</li> <li>• One Welcome Drink</li> </ul>
	<b>FESTIVAL ADULT</b> <b>TICKET</b>	<b>\$30</b> per person	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• One General Admission</li> <li>• One Chef Sampling</li> <li>• One Welcome Drink</li> </ul>
	<b>FESTIVAL CHILD</b> <b>TICKET</b> (6-12 years)	<b>\$15</b> per child	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• One General Admission</li> <li>• One Chef Sampling</li> </ul>



# Sponsorship Form



- ☐ Diamond      \$20,000 - \$30,000 USD
- ☐ Platinum      \$10,000 - \$19,000 USD
- ☐ Gold      \$ 5,000 - \$ 9,000 USD
- ☐ Silver      \$ 1,000 - \$ 4,999 USD
- ☐ Bronze      \$ 500 - \$ 999 USD

\*This will qualify as a charitable deduction for federal income tax purposes.

Company name \_\_\_\_\_  
(as it will appear on all recognition materials)

Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Check enclosed      ☐ Wire Transfer      ☐ Invoice me

☐ Credit card \_\_\_\_\_ Exp \_\_\_\_\_

Security Code \_\_\_\_\_

If different from above

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE KEEP A COPY OF THIS DOCUMENT FOR YOUR RECORDS

## Wire transfer Information

Name: See & Taste Belize, Inc.  
Account #: 6171981290  
Routing #: 063107513  
Swift Code: WEBIUS66  
Address: 1900 West 49th Street  
Hialeah, FL 33012  
Phone: (305) 820-6440

## Please return completed form to:

Attn: See & Taste Belize, Inc.  
1600 Ponce de Leon Blvd., Suite 904  
Coral Gables, FL 33134

Or email form to:  
[seeandtastebelize@gmail.com](mailto:seeandtastebelize@gmail.com)  
Ph: (305) 755-0276

# Chef / Artist Sponsorship Form



☐ Sponsor a Chef \$3,000.00 USD

☐ Sponsor an Artist \$3,000.00 USD

\*Covers round-trip airfare, hotel accommodations, shipping of materials, and meals

\*This will qualify as a charitable deduction for federal income tax purposes.

Company name \_\_\_\_\_  
(as it will appear on all recognition materials)

Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

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# In-Kind Donation Form



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Contact \_\_\_\_\_

Donor Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(as it will appear on all recognition materials)

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Description of donation \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Limitations or conditions (i.e. expiration date, number of participants) \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

Estimated fair market value of donation (non-retail donations over \$500 must be  
accompanied by documentation that supports the value (i.e. printed listing of same or  
similar item from website or catalog) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of donor \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE KEEP A COPY OF THIS DOCUMENT FOR YOUR RECORDS

Please deliver to: See and Taste Belize, Inc.  
1600 Ponce de Leon Blvd., Suite 904  
Coral Gables, FL 33134  
Ph: (305) 755-0276

# Silent Auction Donation Form

\*This will qualify as a charitable deduction  
for federal income tax purposes.



Name of Business \_\_\_\_\_  
(as it will appear on all recognition materials)

Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Donated Item \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Item \_\_\_\_\_

Limitations or conditions (i.e. expiration date, number of participants) \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated fair market value of donation (non-retail donations over \$500 must be  
accompanied by documentation that supports the value (i.e. printed listing of same or  
similar item from website or catalog) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of donor \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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