



### **WHO WE ARE AND WHAT WE DO:**

- Established in **1996** as a grassroots effort. Has since grown to a \$6million foundation
- We make it possible for all **27,000 students** to receive the finest education possible, helping to give them optimal advantage and the best chance for future success
- **We do 2 things: 1) provide financial support 2) provide enrichment programs for all 27,000 students of IUSD**

### **WHAT WE RAISE MONEY FOR:**

- Elementary Art, Music and Science
- Afterschool Classroom Enrichment courses
- Class size reduction in 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 9<sup>th</sup> grades
- High School Writing Project
- Summer Enrichment Classes
- Professional development for teachers
- Classroom grants for teachers
- Health clerks and health curriculum
- Instrument Rental program-100% of proceeds go back to music programs
- Instructional Support in grades 4-12

### **OUR PARTNERS INCLUDE:**

- A partnership with the **City of Irvine** in 2008-2009 raised \$900,000
- Corporate partners such as Kaiser Permanente, AT&T, Wells Fargo, Hoag Hospital, Bank of America, Schools First Federal Credit Union.

### **DIFFERENCE BETWEEN IPSF AND PTA:**

- We work collaboratively with local site based PTA's. PTA's support individual schools and IPSF supports all 27,000 students in all 35 schools. PTA's primarily focus on funding equipment and things, IPSF primarily funds people (salaries).
- By supporting IPSF, your donation helps all of the schools in the district- not just one. Therefore, it has greater impact on education as a whole.

### **IMPACT OF YOUR SUPPORT:**

Parents:

- By supporting IPSF, your child will have more opportunities-better programs, a better education, and a greater opportunity to excel and do well in life.
- The cuts the district faces will affect every child at every grade level in every school, the more donors who help us at any level, the more we help lessen the effects.

Community Members and Corporations:

- Investment in your future workforce. The quality of Irvine schools increases attraction for recruiting new employees. Community pride.
- A partnership with IPSF means high visibility in a community where education is top priority. Better schools mean better quality of life for all Irvine residents.