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BLINDNESS SUPPORT SERVICES IS “DINING IN THE DARK”

A Nonprofit 501(C)(3) Who Provides an Innovative Approach to Assist Adults and Children
“0 to 5” Who Are Blind or Visually Impaired

Riverside, CA – Imagine, just for an hour or two that you cannot see. You are surrounded by total darkness. “Dining In The Dark” allows you to willingly plunge into blackness, taking you through a journey of taste, sound and touch, all in the dark.

“Dining In The Dark” will seat you in a literally pitch black dining room where you will be guided and served by visually impaired or totally blind servers that have been specially trained to serve meals in the dark. They will casually and comfortably offer guidance and reassurance to sighted guests. The impact of this experience is instant and profound. When the meal is over, the guests then proceed to the Lobby and re-enter the light, unlike those who live in a constant state of darkness.

As part of its services, Blindness Support Services is hosting their signature fundraiser “Dining In The Dark” and are looking for sponsors. Blindness Support Services provides services for children and adults who are blind or visually impaired. The funds for this event will target four (4) specific areas, all of which serve children, adults and seniors who are blind or visually impaired. The most prestigious level of giving supports the purchase of educational toys which are meaningful to and useable by children zero to 5 years of age.

Your willingness to support this event will provide tremendous benefits to the community; and most importantly, you will help people who are blind or visually impaired on the “Road to Independence.” “Dining In The Dark” will take place on Thursday, March 20, 2014 at the new Riverside Convention Center. Our prior events were a tremendous success! It was the talk of the town and people are still sharing about how much they had!

ABOUT BLINDNESS SUPPORT SERVICES:

Blindness Support Services, Inc. was incorporated in May of 1992 to provide innovative approaches to achieving independence for blind and visually impaired residents from the Inland Empire of Southern California. Blindness Support Services provides a variety of services designed to educate, train, and provide skills for independent living. For more information about Blindness Support Services, please call (951) 341-9244 or visit our Website at www.blindnesssupport.com.

Blindness Support Services Inc. Presents

Dining in the Dark

The New Riverside Convention Center March 20, 2014



Thursday, March 20, 2014

Social Hour: 6:00 pm Dinner: 7:00pm

Sponsorship Levels

Children's \$10,000

Health and Wellness \$7,500

White Cane \$5,000

Assisted Technology \$2,500

Full Table Individual Ticket

\$1,250

\$125



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Proceeds to benefit

Blindness Support Services



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