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Dear Mid-Valley Staff, Families & Partners,

One of the many things that makes Mid-Valley such a special place for students and families is all of the wonderful things that happen beyond the classroom. The reality is that even with the most phenomenal parents, teachers, related services and support staff, our students need a full community of support in order to truly live up to their potential! We are forever thankful to the following local businesses and schools for opening up their hearts and their doors to provide both volunteer and/or paid work experiences to our students with learning differences. Each sponsor listed below stepped up by welcoming our remarkable students to their team.

**Let's show these businesses how thankful we are by making their establishments our go-to places for shopping, eating, special services, entertainment, education, fitness & more!**

Ace Hardware- S. Grove	Flagship on the Fox	Karl's Complete Auto	Riverwoods
Baker Memorial Church	Fox Valley Food for Health	Little Traveler	SAIL- Mid-Valley
Ball Horticultural	Geneva Library	Luau Coffee Shop	Sodexco
Batavia High School- ABLE	Geneva Place	Mades Johnstone Center	St. Charles Bowl
Biggy Coffee	Hansen Plastics	Maple Pub	St. Charles Hardware
Blue Goose	Heritage Woods	Meijers	St. Charles Kiwanis
BMO Harris Bank- S. Elgin	Hilton Garden Inn	Mid-Valley Office Team	Sugar Grove Park District
Buffalo Wild Wings	Holmstad Batavia	Nick's Pizza	Sunrise
Chapel Street Church	Jefe Tacos	Out n' About Dog Daycare	The Well
Chill's Batavia	Jewel Osco- Elburn	Persinger Fitness	Village Tavern
Cooper's Hawk	John Stewart Elementary- ABLE	Petland	Walgreens- 3 towns!

If you or someone you know would like to join our team and have a life-changing impact on a remarkable student, please send me an email at [lisa.palese@d303.org](mailto:lisa.palese@d303.org) and I'll set you up with a member of our vocational team!

Thank you!

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