



2018 Letter to My Parents™ Contest in Chicago

September 18, 2017

Dear Friend,

According to the American Psychological Association, Parents and caregivers are crucial for the proper healthy development of an individual as they provide their children with the essential life skills needed to live and succeed as members of our community. Family, the cornerstone of society, is responsible for the development of every new generation. However, individualism in today's society appears to redefine familiar relationships, and at times, separate parents from their children.

Pilsen Wellness Center, Inc. and Reiyukai Active Care Team (REACT) Chicago are pleased to invite individuals ages 17 to 23 and residents of the State of Illinois to participate in the **2018 Letter to My Parents™ Contest**. The contest is aimed to build healthy familial relationships as well as promote improvement within the parent-child relationship.

The guideline was presented on the 17th of September and we are currently receiving entries. Like other previous years, after receiving the letters, we will be selecting ten winners and inviting them to join us at the Final Presentation which is scheduled to be held in January of 2018. The actual time, date and the venue will be announced later. These ten winners will be presenting their letters in front of their parents, families, friends, a panel of judges and the general audience.

Our goal is to reward the top ten winners with \$50 gift certificates and \$500 cash scholarship for the runner up. Therefore, our goal for this year's contest is to raise a minimum of \$1,000.

Through this letter, we would like to extend an invitation to local companies, organizations and individuals who believe our youth are our future and are willing to support them. Any amount of contribution is greatly appreciated. Each of the donors will be acknowledged during the final presentation. Please note that Reiyukai America, one of the supporters, is a 501 (c)(3) non-profit organization. Thus, your contribution will be considered as tax deductible.

We would like you to be a part of this incredible family bonding experience that leads to building a better community and society through family unity.

Our deepest thanks and appreciation for your consideration in a tax deductible gift for a noble cause.

Sincerely,

Toshio Obara
Vice President, Reiyukai America
On behalf of the
2018 Letter to My Parents™ Contest in Chicago Organizing Committee



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Sponsorship Contribution Form

Dear Letter to My Parents™ Contest in Chicago Organizing Committee,

Yes, I would like to support 2018 Letter to My Parents™ Contest in Chicago in the following category:

_____ \$500 to be awarded for the Runner Up.

_____ \$50 x _____ (up to ten) gift certificates to be presented to each one of the winners

_____ Other: _____

(Please describe how you would like your contribution to be presented.)

In order to make my sponsorship contribution,

_____ I will send a check
(Please make your check payable to Reiyukai America and send it to the following address)
Reiyukai America
Attn: LMP Chicago 2018
20 N. Raymond Ave., Suite 200, Pasadena, CA 91103

_____ I will pay with a credit card
(For Credit Card payment, you may use the form below or you can call us at 626.356.8055 to process your transaction.)

Credit Card Information

Card Number _____ - _____ - _____ - _____ Exp __ / __

Name on the Card _____

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By signing below, I agree to pay the amount of \$_____ as a sponsor for the 2018 Letter to My Parents™ Contest in Chicago and I grant permission to Reiyukai America to process the credit card transaction using the above credit card information that I provided.

Authorized Signature _____

Date _____