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Dear Diamond State Classic Board and IAABO Board #11 Officials.

On behalf of *The Andrew McDonough B+ Foundation*, please accept our sincerest appreciation on your very generous donation from the 2012 Diamond State Classic. We are honored to be the primary beneficiary of such a wonderful family-oriented event. Your support is essential to the success of our mission. Allow me to share with you a brief story of one of the many families that we are able to assist thanks to you.

Balthazar is a 16 year old boy currently fighting cancer in the hospital. His only family is his Dad. Sadly, and somewhat inexplicably to me as a father, his father walked out of the hospital and abandoned him! The family next door in the hospital had gotten to know this young man during their extended stay. Seeing this tragically sad story unfold, they offered the most selfless and kind gesture – they adopted Balthazar! Now, this family of 5 children – one with cancer – is now a family of 6 children – two with cancer. The family reached out to us, through their social worker, and asked for financial assistance. The B+ Foundation was honored to step in and help. We couldn't provide this life-altering support if it weren't for your support.

Your very generous donation of \$13,000.00 will go a long way toward us accomplishing our mission.

Thank you, again, for helping us keep Andrew's legacy alive and to "Do Good".

B+ and God bless you.

Joe McDonough

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