



Jingle and Mingle with Us this Holiday Season

Make plans to join us on Saturday, December 10th for a night of [Holiday Fun and Fundraising](#). This year's holiday event will be held at [Royal Cliff Banquet and Conference Center](#) in Eagan. Conveniently located just 8 minutes south of Mall of America, this beautiful venue will accommodate 350 guests for a night of jingling and mingling.



Also new this year, we will have one of the Twin Cities' most popular cover bands, [SHAG](#) as our evening entertainment.

All proceeds from this event will be used to run our [Summer-Long Camps](#) and [After-School Diamond Club Program](#). Through these programs, the JP4 Foundation touches the lives of over 400 children from underserved urban communities each year. Give the gift of healthy meals, healthy activity, and healthy relationships by joining us for a night of fun and fundraising.

This heartwarming event is a good way to celebrate the holidays with co-workers, families, friends, or strangers you just met. Tables and sponsorships can now be purchased by visiting [Bidpal.net/JP4](#). Deadline for sponsorships is Sunday, November 27th and ticket deadline is Sunday, December 4th.

Diamond Club's Second Year is Underway

Diamond Club has officially started in two St. Paul schools. Our fall session with [Achieve Language Academy](#) launched last Wednesday and is at capacity. This is our second year at Achieve and more than 66% of Diamond Club students were with us last year; we have 30 kids in attendance with 10 more on the waitlist. On Thursdays of every week, we deliver programming at [Urban Academy](#) in Saint Paul. We are currently at capacity with 20 students in attendance and another 20 on the waitlist.

Our Diamond Club program consists of four 10-week sessions throughout the school year. The first 10-week session is focused on building and sustaining relationships. Throughout the 10 weeks students will be learning how to introduce themselves, resolve conflict with their peers, and how to build lasting relationships.

As always, each program involves a heavy dose of physical activity along with time for kids to build relationships with their mentors. The JP4 Foundation strategically adheres to a 2:1 student to mentor ratio to ensure meaningful and impactful relationships can be built.



The 2:1 student ratio is key to our success in student engagement. We look forward to the day when we are funded to a point when we can offer programming to all kids who want to be a part of the Diamond Club.

Give to the Max Day - Stay Tuned!

Mark your calendars for Minnesota's Giving Holiday! The JP4 Foundation has set the goal of \$10,000 this [Give to the Max Day](#). To reach that goal, we are asking

all our supporters to forgo one of their daily staples.



- **Morning Coffee** - are you willing to forgo that \$5 Starbucks order so one of our students can enjoy a healthy meal?
- **Lunch** - will you pass on the \$16 Jimmy John's combo meal so one of our students can have one more day of programming?
- **Happy Hour** - instead of picking up the \$35 Happy Hour tab will you split the tab with us so we can provide a mentor to a kid who really needs someone who will listen?

We are asking each one of you to forgo one of these things and on November 17th, send us \$5, \$16, or \$35 to help support the mission of the JP4 Foundation.

This giving day starts promptly at 12:00AM and ends at 11:59PM. Don't kid yourself. Every donation counts, no matter how small. Each donation our supporters make enters us into a drawing for a golden ticket worth up to \$10,000 for the foundation. Mark your calendars and join us for this day of giving!

Also, don't forget to [double your donation](#) through your employer match.



Amazon Smile is Easy as 1. 2. 3.

Who needs more reason to shop this holiday season? Well, we have one for you! Through [Amazon Smile](#), the JP4 Foundation will receive a percentage of everything you buy this holiday season. In the past year, the JP4 Foundation has received [\\$444.23 just from Amazon purchases of 35 people](#) in the last year. Join the Amazon Smile team and help us bring that total to \$1,000 by the end of this year. There is no need to sign up or any extra steps. Just visit Smile. Amazon. come and select JP4 Foundation as your charity of choice!

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About the JP4 Foundation

Founded in 2016 by Adam Barta, the JP4 Foundation is a Minnesota non-profit established to improve the lives of youth using the game of baseball as an instrument. Leveraging summer-long camps and after-school programming, the JP4 Foundation ensures kids in under-resourced communities have access to healthy meals, healthy relationships, healthy activities, and healthy learning opportunities.

The JP4 Foundation is a Non-Profit Organization recognized by the IRS as a 501(c)(3) public charity. 100% of all donations will be used for the development of the infrastructure, programs, and services of The JP4 Foundation. All donations are tax-deductible to the extent permitted by law.

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