



WHEN

Saturday & Sunday
April 25 & 26, 2020
12:00 pm to 11 p.m.

WHERE

1135 Mission Road
Por Vida Academy Campus

2020 SPONSORSHIP PACKET

WWW.TASTEOTHSOUTHSIDE.ORG

FREE EVENT

ART • MUSIC • FOOD

FUN FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY

“MICHELADA MATCH”

Saturday, April 25, 2020

LOCAL Bars & Restaurants
Compete For The Title

MUSIC BY

• TBA

BENEFITING

Por Vida Academy



Porvidaacademy.org

OUR PURPOSE – More Than Just A Festival...

It's no secret San Antonio has a large number of students who don't stay in high school to graduate. Without attending school and without a high school diploma, these youths and teens are often left hanging over a precipice — in danger of falling into lives as under-educated, chronically unemployed adults, gangs, alcohol or drug abusers, or perhaps even facing incarceration.

For a decade **Por Vida Academy Charter High School**, located in the southside of San Antonio, on the campus of Blessed Sacrament Academy, has been quietly throwing a life-line to some of these most vulnerable in our community.

Coming from many forms of adversity, and yes, sometimes even chaos, students at **Por Vida Academy** find a place where teachers, staff, and peers help them understand their worth. "It's about seeing the potential of each student and encouraging them to go for it," says Isai Melgoza, Student Counselor and mentor.



Over the years, **Por Vida Academy** has been available to hundreds of young people who continue to arrive in need, and who depart with a high school diploma opening countless doors for them. While Por Vida is not a religious affiliated school, a member of the Sisters of the Incarnate Word and Blessed Sacrament Congregation serves on the Board of Directors.

One of the original charter districts in the state of Texas, **Por Vida** means "for life" and defines our commitment to our students—to educate students and provide them with knowledge, self-respect, and skills that will be with them for life."

TESTIMONIALS FROM EX-STUDENTS – More than just a "second" chance to succeed...

Norma Mancía came to Por Vida Academy in the 9th grade, already a mother, living at Seton Home under the foster care program. "I had heard a lot of negativity from others about what I could expect from life because of my situation," she said. "But that only motivated me. I didn't want to disappoint my son who would look up to me. And, I didn't want to disappoint myself. So I set out to prove them wrong. There is no other school in San Antonio like Por Vida. Because I was a middle school dropout, I was turned down by every other school I applied to."



(Norma Mancía was the 2015 Por Vida Academy Valedictorian and is now attending UTSA.)

"I am a first-generation college student and I am also the first one in my family to graduate high school. My grandparents were migrant workers, my parents grew up in poverty/welfare system, and I come from a generation incarceration family. I dropped out the first three years of high school because of issues ranging from academics, moving, being homeless, and negative social influence. I was withdrawn from the second high school I attended and referred to a small charter high school that I later realized was my blessing. Por Vida Academy and my family helped me throughout the whole process from academic help to just emotional support when I felt I could not finish. Por Vida Academy helped change my family trajectory." (Enrique Salinas, III graduated with honors from Texas State University in May, 2018)



SUPER HEROES NEEDED!

Be A Lifeline To The Youth In Our Southside Community

AVENGER
\$10,000

DEFENDER
\$5,000

PRESERVER
\$2,500

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SPONSORSHIP BENEFITS

AVENGER \$10,000

- Category Exclusivity*
- Name Mention in paid ads, media and PSAs*
- Opportunity to offer welcoming remarks
- Stage mentions throughout the day
- Prominent Logo placement available: paid ads, street banners, entrance, stage, and through-out the event layout*
- Logo recognition in print collateral: posters, flyers, invitations to City, County and State Officials, etc.**
- Name mention in media advisories and news releases**
- Prominent Logo recognition on the Taste Of The Southside's website*
- Social media recognition on the Taste Of The Southside's Facebook, Twitter and Instagram
- Opportunity for a 20' x 20' company promotional space at the event*
- 20 Inaugural Taste Of The Southside 2020 Fiesta Medals

DEFENDER \$5,000

- Logo placement available: paid ads, entrance and Market Place (Food, Beverage, Exhibitor Area)*
- Logo recognition in print collateral: banner, posters, flyers, invitations to City, County and State Officials, etc.**
- Name mention in media advisories and news releases**
- Logo recognition on the Taste Of The Southside's website
- Social media recognition on the Taste Of The Southside's Facebook, Twitter and Instagram
- Opportunity for a 10' x 15' company promotional space at the event**
- 14 Inaugural Taste Of The Southside 2020 Fiesta Medals

PRESERVER \$2,500

- Logo placement available: Market Place (Food, Beverage & Exhibitor Area)**
- Logo recognition in print collateral: banner, posters, flyers, invitations to City, County and State Officials, etc.*
- Logo recognition on the Taste Of The Southside's website
- Opportunity for a 10' x 10' company promotional space at the event**
- 6 Inaugural Taste Of The Southside 2020 Fiesta Medals

**Sponsorship commitment required by January 31, 2020.*

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TASTE OF THE SOUTHSIDE

2020 SPONSORSHIP FORM

An online version of this form is available at www.tasteofthesouthside.org

I / My Organization would like to sponsor the Taste Of The Southside at the following level:

_____ AVENGER: \$10,000

_____ DEFENDER: \$5,000

_____ PRESERVER: \$2,500

_____ OTHER AMOUNT—\$ _____

_____ In Kind (\$ _____ *list value*)

Organization _____

Contact Name _____ Email _____

Address _____ City/State/Zip _____

Phone: _____ Website _____

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Authorizing Signature

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Signature: _____

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You may also mail this form to: TASTE OF THE SOUTHSIDE, 1135 Mission Road, San Antonio, Texas 78210