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I trust this message finds you well. As we celebrate Black History Month, the Please Don't Die Black Men (PDDBM) Black History Month Fashion Show serves as a powerful platform to honor the creativity and contributions of African Americans in the fashion industry. Scheduled for **Saturday, February 8, 2025, at Fort Vancouver High School**, this event showcases the hard work, innovation, and dedication of middle and high school students from PDDBM's **Fashion Design Afterschool Program**.

The **PDDBM Fashion Design Program** empowers students to explore their creative potential while developing real-world skills in design and fashion. This year, our young designers will debut their unique collections on the runway, celebrating their achievements and cultural heritage. Their work exemplifies the impact of providing access to quality educational opportunities and creative outlets.

Event Highlights Include:

- A **Runway Showcase** featuring designs from talented middle and high school students.
- The **West African Tribal Hairstyle Exhibit** honoring cultural traditions.
- A **Silent Auction** supporting program initiatives.
- A **Mini African American Fashion Designer Museum** celebrating the legacy of Black designers.
- An **Authentic West African Plated Meal** to connect attendees with cultural heritage.

Why Your Sponsorship Matters:

PDDBM is a nonprofit organization dedicated to uplifting underrepresented youth through education and cultural enrichment. Your sponsorship directly supports the Fashion Design Afterschool Program, providing resources, materials, transportation, and opportunities for these talented young designers. Additionally, your contribution ensures that we can continue to offer enriching programs that inspire and educate the next generation of leaders.

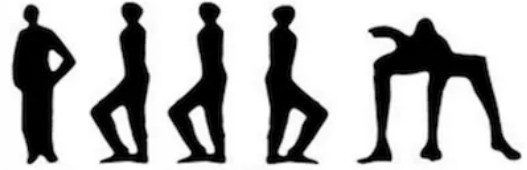
We invite you to explore our sponsorship packages (attached) and join us in creating a lasting impact. Your partnership with PDDBM not only supports our mission but also aligns your organization with a commitment to equity, education, and community empowerment.

For further information or to discuss tailored sponsorship opportunities, please contact us at treasurer@pddb.org or **(360) 991-2405**.

Thank you for considering this opportunity to support our students and celebrate their achievements during Black History Month. Together, we can inspire and uplift our community.

Sincerely,

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PDDDBM Black History Month Fashion Show Sponsorship Application

Today's Date:

Event Date: February 8, 2025

Organization Presenting the

Event: (check will be made out to this Individual):

Please Don't Die Black Men PDDDBM

---Please put PDDDBM BHM Fashion Show in the Memo---

Organization Name:

Representative Name:
(First, Last)

Representative Title:

Address:
(Please Print Legibly)

City, State, Zip:

Representative's Organizational Email Address:

Contact Phone Number:
(999-999-9999)

Sponsorship Package:
(Circle One)

Sustainable Fashion Package
\$3000

Fast Fashion Package \$4500

Economy Fashion Package
\$6000

Ready-to-wear Fashion Package
\$7500

Luxury Fashion Package \$9000

Haute Couture Fashion Package
\$10500

Thank you so much for sponsoring the PDDDBM Black History Month Fashion Show. Your sponsorship helps us to continue our efforts in educating, uplifting, and inspiring our youth. Please send a .psd, a .pdf, or a 300dpi .jpg of your completed ad to be added into the Fashion Show program to ceochair@pddb.org with your sponsorship package title as the subject. Upon clearing of your funds, you will receive a receipt. Paid invoices will issue a receipt automatically through Square.

PDDBM Sponsorship Level Details

<p>Sustainable Fashion Package \$3000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognition as the sponsor of tickets for 5 middle schoolers and 3 high schoolers to attend the show with a VIP Package*. Sponsorship seating for 2 Sponsor level recognition on all Fashion Show material including online and print advertising, program, save-the-dates, and invitations (pending print deadlines) 1/4-page message in the Fashion Show program On-site recognition at the Fashion Show Inclusion in press kits and news releases as appropriate 	<p>Fast Fashion Package \$4500</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognition as the sponsor of tickets for 6 middle schoolers and 4 high schoolers to attend the show with a VIP Package*. Sponsorship seating for 2 Sponsor level recognition on all Fashion Show material including online and print advertising, program, save-the-dates, and invitations (pending print deadlines) 1/4-page message in the Fashion Show program On-site recognition at the Fashion Show Inclusion in press kits and news releases as appropriate
<p>Economy Fashion Package \$6000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognition as the sponsor of tickets for 7 middle schoolers and 5 high schoolers to attend the show with a Silver VIP Package**. Sponsorship seating for 4 Sponsor level recognition on all Fashion Show material including online and print advertising, program, save-the-dates, and invitations (pending print deadlines) 1/2-page message in the Fashion Show program On-site recognition at the Fashion Show Inclusion in press kits and news releases as appropriate 	<p>Ready-to-wear Fashion Package \$7500</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognition as the sponsor of tickets for 8 middle schoolers and 6 high schoolers to attend the show with a Silver VIP Package**. Sponsorship seating for 4 Sponsor level recognition on all Fashion Show material including online and print advertising, program, save-the-dates, and invitations (pending print deadlines) 1/2-page message in the Fashion Show program On-site recognition at the Fashion Show Inclusion in press kits and news releases as appropriate
<p>Luxury Fashion Package \$9000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognition as the sponsor of tickets for 9 middle schoolers and 7 high schoolers to attend the show with a Gold VIP Package***. Sponsorship seating for 6 Sponsor level recognition on all Fashion Show material including online and print advertising, program, save-the-dates, and invitations (pending print deadlines) Full-page message in the Fashion Show program Recognition of your generosity by the emcee the night of the Fashion Show On-site prominent recognition at the Fashion Show Inclusion in press kits and news releases as appropriate 	<p>Haute Couture Fashion Package \$10500</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognition as the sponsor of tickets for 10 middle schoolers and 8 high schoolers to attend the show with a Gold VIP Package***. Sponsorship seating for 6 Sponsor level recognition on all Fashion Show material including online and print advertising, program, save-the-dates, and invitations (pending print deadlines) Full-page message in the Fashion Show program Recognition of your generosity by the emcee the night of the Fashion Show On-site prominent recognition at the Fashion Show Inclusion in press kits and news releases as appropriate

*VIP Package includes VIP Seating, a customized and designed hoodie, a PDDBM gift basket, and one meal ticket at the event.

**Silver VIP Package includes VIP Seating, a customized and designed hoodie with the minor's name on it, a PDDBM gift basket, an autographed photo of the designer, 5 free raffle tickets, and one meal ticket at the event.

***Gold VIP Package includes VIP Seating, a customized and designed hoodie with the minor's name on it, a PDDBM gift basket, an autographed photo of the designer, a VIP Photo Session with the designer, 10 free raffle tickets, a \$100 gift certificate to Traveling Pillar LLC or Urban Intellectuals, and one meal ticket at the event.