

No Ordinary Evening, presented by the **Declan Drumm Sullivan Memorial Fund**, benefitting **Horizons for Youth**, is a highlight of the year for our community. This year, we will celebrate at the Palmer House on Saturday, May 2, 2026. We are excited to honor our **Horizons for Youth** graduating seniors!

No Ordinary Evening is a celebration of the life of Declan Drumm Sullivan. To honor Declan's legacy and love of learning, his family established the **Declan Drumm Sullivan Memorial Fund** to support Chicago non-profits working in the areas of education and community service, particularly Horizons for Youth.

Horizons for Youth helps Chicago children recognize and achieve their full potential with a comprehensive program based on three pillars: Academic Support, Family Partnerships, and Community Networks. Horizons students are supported for up to 17 years, for various educational needs, at every step of their journey.

*We invite you to make a positive impact on Chicago youth by supporting No Ordinary Evening as a sponsor.
Thank you for your consideration and support.*

No Ordinary Evening Sponsor - \$50,000

- 3 premier tables of 10
- Logo/Name on auction website
- Verbal mention in speaking program
- Logo/Name in all pre-event materials, including PR, printed invitations, digital communications & websites
- Logo/Name in all at-event materials including program book, digital slideshow & dedicated event signage
- 2 dedicated social media posts

Diamond Sponsor - \$25,000

- 2 Prominent tables of 10
- Logo/name on auction website
- Verbal mention in speaking program
- 1 dedicated social media post
- Logo/Name in all pre-event materials, including PR, printed invitations, digital communications & websites
- Logo/Name in all at-event materials including program book, digital slideshow & dedicated event signage

Platinum Sponsor - \$15,000

- 1 Prominent table of 10
- Verbal mention in speaking program
- Featured in social media post
- Logo/Name in all pre-event materials, including PR, printed invitations, digital communications & websites
- Logo/Name in all at-event materials including program book, digital slideshow & dedicated event signage

Gold Sponsor - \$10,000

- 1 Table of 10
- Featured in social media post
- Logo/Name in all pre-event materials, including PR, printed invitations, digital communications & websites
- Logo/Name in all at-event materials including program book, digital slideshow & dedicated event signage

Silver Sponsor - \$5,000

- 1 Table of 10
- Logo/Name in all pre-event materials, including PR, printed invitations, digital communications & websites
- Logo/Name in all at-event materials including program book, digital slideshow & dedicated event signage

Bronze Sponsor - \$2,500

- 6 tickets
- Logo/Name in all at-event materials including program book, digital slideshow & dedicated event signage

Friend Sponsor - \$1,000

- 2 tickets
- Logo/Name in digital slideshow

DONATION FORM



**HORIZONS
FOR YOUTH**
Support. Educate. Transform.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Primary Contact Name: _____

Sponsor Name (as you wish to be recognized): _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

SPONSOR LEVEL

- NO ORDINARY EVENING SPONSOR - \$50,000
- DIAMOND SPONSOR - \$25,000
- PLATINUM SPONSOR - \$15,000
- GOLD SPONSOR - \$10,000
- SILVER SPONSOR - \$5,000
- BRONZE SPONSOR - \$2,500
- FRIEND SPONSOR - \$1,000

ADDITIONAL ITEMS

- I would like to purchase _____ additional tickets at \$500 each

PAYMENT INFORMATION

- I will mail a check payable to **Declan Drumm Sullivan Memorial Fund**: 1327 W Washington Blvd, Suite 104, Chicago, IL, 60607
- Please send me an invoice at the above email address
- To pay by credit card, please visit: <https://aesbid.com/ELP/NOE26>

Scan the code on the right side of this page on your cellphone to access the webpage.



AUTHORIZATION

I confirm my commitment to sponsor **No Ordinary Evening 2026**.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please return this form to julia.ring@horizons-for-youth.org

Our Program at a Glance

OUR WORK: Support Beyond the Classroom

Horizons for Youth is a community committed to helping children recognize and achieve their full potential. In partnership with dedicated families, we provide academic support, one-on-one mentoring, and enrichment programs. Our unique combination of services ensures that our students develop the skills they need to succeed in high school, college, their careers, and beyond.



Intensive Academic Support

- School Selection Support
- School Partnerships/
Scholarships
- Academic Monitoring
- Tutoring
- Shalanda's Scholars
- Summer Academic
Program

Strong Family Partnerships

- Family Selection Process
- Contract Fulfillment Process
- Parent Cafes/Workshops
- Community Events
- Social-emotional Support,
Including Counseling

Impactful Community Networks

- Mentoring
- Outings and Workshops
- Partnerships
- Horizons for Youth Family
Support Program

OUR IMPACT:

Consistent, Outstanding Results

Nationally, only 11% of youth born into the lowest-economic quintile earn a college degree. Our college-persistence rate stands in stark contrast to this, with 86% of our High School Program graduates either having completed college or continuing to persist toward graduation.

We are Chicago's only organization providing a comprehensive suite of wraparound services and tuition scholarships for children at both the elementary and high school levels, with continued academic and socio-emotional support in their post-secondary endeavors.



OUR GROWTH:

From 5 Kindergarteners to over 200 K-Post-Secondary Students

Founded in 1991, we began with five children as an elementary-only scholarship and mentoring organization and have evolved over time to continue to meet our students' emerging needs. For the 2025-2026 school year, we're serving over 200 students, aged kindergarten through post-secondary, and their families, from high-need areas on the south and west sides of Chicago.

Our Impact on Education



96%

Of Horizons for Youth students, K-12, perform at or above grade level



100%

Of Horizons for Youth students graduate from high school



86%

Of Horizons for Youth students persist to and through college