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Dear Friend of Hamilton,

The Hamilton Action Team is now preparing for our 2012 Benefit Auction *Learn! Play! Grow!* The Benefit is hosted by Wishbone on February 25th with proceeds underwriting the build of **'The Hamilton Green' - an artificial turf athletic field at our school.** We hope that you will support our efforts by donating an item/package to the Silent or Live Auction. Your contribution will certainly spark enthusiastic bidding, and raise much needed funds to support this ambitious and exciting project. The new Hamilton Green will not only benefit our school children but families throughout the Lakeview community.

Hamilton Elementary School is dedicated to fostering the academic, social and personal growth of our students. Through a rigorous academic curriculum that integrates the fine arts and thrives on our experienced staff, parent involvement and community support we help prepare all of our students to succeed in high school and beyond.

With big ideas come big fundraising goals, and it is with appreciation we thank you for considering donating an item, service or making a monetary contribution to our February 25 Auction. Hamilton Action Team (HAT), the parent group that engages in fundraising efforts for Hamilton Elementary, is a registered 501(c) (3) not-for-profit charitable organization, making your gift tax-deductible (HAT's tax identification number is 20-8329677.) In exchange for your donation, your organization will receive a prominent listing in our auction catalogue and public acknowledgement of your gift during the auction evening.

Please fill out the enclosed donation form and mail or email it back to:

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If you have any questions or need further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us for more information.

Thank you for your support!

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