

SPONSORSHIP BENEFITS



SUNDAY
MAY 3, 2026

PRESENTING CHAMPION

\$10,000
10 SEATS

CHAMPIONS CIRCLE

\$5,000
10 SEATS

FINALIST

\$3,000
8 SEATS

FEATURED CONTESTANT

\$1,500
4 SEATS

INCLUDED BENEFITS FOR ALL LEVELS:

- » Cocktail style dinner outdoors with views of Oakland, followed by an original youth generated production written, choreographed, and performed by the Destiny Arts Youth Performance Company, Destiny Junior Company, the Elders Project, and guest artists
- » Access to a hosted bar during intermission

- » Fun dessert take-home package
- » Recognition on gala invitation (14,000 households), hyperlinked website listing; (full year promotion)
- » Sponsorship recognition on all gala materials and all press materials and social media recognition

ADDITIONAL BENEFIT

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Bring Destiny to you with a private dance class, short performance, or custom event

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Acknowledgement from the host at Gala dinner
Opportunity to present flowers to artistic directors at the end of the show
Invitation to behind-the-scenes rehearsals
Access to space at Destiny Arts Center for a private event or party

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Recognition and ad space in Performance program (>2,000 audience)

Make an impact on the lives of over 5,500 young people in Oakland and throughout the Bay Area by becoming a sponsor of *Powering Dreams: The Destiny Gala*. This event supports the transformative work of Destiny Arts Center, which inspires and ignites social change through the arts.

Founded nearly forty years ago, Destiny's programs have grown to include over fifty school and community sites offering professionally taught dance, martial arts, and theater classes free to participants and a North Oakland center with pay-what-you-can movement classes afterschool and in summer camp.

In every Destiny class, young people learn to express themselves, overcome challenges, and build a more inclusive and compassionate world.

WHEN **Sunday, May 3, 2026**

WHERE **Valley Center for the Performing Arts
3500 Mountain Blvd, Oakland, CA 94602**

WHAT TO EXPECT **5 pm | Dinner in the Garden**

Sip a cocktail, make new friends, and enjoy a variety of seasonal bites as we delight together in a spring evening outdoors.

7 pm | Showtime in the Theater

Be inspired by the creativity, talent, and collaboration of the Destiny Arts Youth Performance Company, Destiny Junior Company, the Elders Project, and guest artists. You will witness the final performance of this original youth-generated production blending hip hop dance styles and theatre — featuring performers as young as nine up to creatives in their eighties!

Intermission

All audience members will have access to a hosted bar during intermission.

Finale

All audience members will have the opportunity to show their support for all of Destiny Arts Center's programs through a fund-a-need, followed by a celebration onstage with the cast.

Dessert

Attendees will receive a sweet treat on their way out to remember the night and carry them through the week ahead.

ATTIRE Dress to impress

**INDIVIDUAL
TICKETS FOR
FULL EVENING:
\$300**

Sponsorship payments may be submitted anytime at destinyarts.org/gala or by contacting Aliza Schnayer, Deputy Director at aliza@destinyarts.org.

Deadlines: Email invitation: March 6; Printed Event Program: April 2

Can't attend or prefer to make a 100% tax deductible donation?

Make a gift anytime at destinyarts.org/gala.

Your support makes it all possible! By joining us, you're helping Destiny Arts Center provide life-changing programs for young people, giving them the tools to express themselves, build confidence, and create a brighter future through the arts.
