Children's Discovery Museum of San Jose Presents



Legacy for Children Award

SATURDAY, JUNE 24, 2023.

HONORING .

## **SYLVIA ACEVEDO**

## GIRL SCOUT, ROCKET SCIENTIST, STEM ENTREPRENEUR



Sylvia Acevedo grew up in a lower income family in Las Cruces, New Mexico with a natural curiosity for and interest in math and science when the expectations were to marry and have children. Often feeling alone and disconnected, she was introduced to Girl Scouts, which put her on the path to college, engineering, NASA, executive roles at Apple, Dell, IBM and Autodesk and eventually. becoming the CEO of Girl Scouts of the USA.

Girl Scouts taught her how to take control of her world, and she forged her own trail to become one of the first Latinas to graduate with a master's in engineering from Stanford University and to become a rocket scientist at NASA's Jet Propulsion Laboratory. It also nourished her love of numbers and science, so as Chief Executive of Girl Scouts, she led the largest program rollout in their 100+ year history with 146 new badges and programs in STEM, Outdoors, Entrepreneurship and Civics. Girls earned over 1 million STEM badges during her tenure.

President Barack Obama appointed Ms. Acevedo as a White House Education Commissioner, and she chaired the White House initiative for Educational Excellence for Hispanics in Early Childhood. She is credited as the key driver of the Administration's Early Childhood Dual Language Education Policy. To inspire the rising generation to live a life of their potential, Ms. Acevedo authored the best-selling Path to the Stars: My Journey from Girl Scout to Rocket Scientist, in English and Spanish.

Forbes named her as one of America's Top 50 Women in Tech and In Style listed her as #7 on the Badass 50: Women Who are Changing the World.

## **Event Highlights**

VIP Exclusive Reception and Honoree Meet and Greet

5:15 – 6:00pm Bill's Backyard

**All Guest Welcome Reception** 

6:00 – 7:15pm Bill's Backyard

Awards Program 7:30pm

Let's Play

Ongoing

Explore 150+ interactive exhibits

Food by Tony Caters

Bars

Rocket: Make and Launch Make Your Own Kaleidoscope Facepaint

FLS+ Presents: A performance from the cast of Freestyle Love Supreme

Cadence Amphitheatre



Violinist Abby Young
Firetruck



## CATALYST ARTS



**DRESS FOR FUN** 

Party on the top, play clothes on the bottom



KEEP ON PARTIES OF THE PLAY IN EVENING FOR GROWNUPS	Champion for Children	Visionary	Creative Partner	Promoter of Play	Innovator	Lifelong Learner
AT THE PURPLE MUSEUM	\$100,000	\$50,000	\$25,000	\$15,000	\$10,000	\$5,000
Recognition on Legacy donor wall for one year	Logo	Logo	Logo	Name	Name	Name
Recognition on screen in person and virtual	Logo	Logo	Logo	Logo	Logo	Name
Recognition on event program and web site	Logo	Logo	Name	Name	Name	Name
VIP Tickets (includes VIP reception with honoree Sylvia Acevedo)	20	16	10	6	4	2
General Guest Tickets	N/A	N/A	N/A	4	6	8
Logo recognition	Event Ceremony stage	Event Ceremony stage	At event component			
Social Media Shoutout(s)	2	2	1			
Private Lounge Space with logo recognition	Х	Х				
30 second video streamed throughout the event and during the Live Broadcast of the Award Ceremony	Х	Х				
Logo recognition in E-communications	X					
Contributions are Tax-Deductible Less	\$4,000	\$3,200	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$2,000



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