Raise money for Autism Scholarships and for an organization of your choice

How wonderful will it be to raise money for Autism and a Charity of your choice? Not many fundraisers are like this one! But we at Stride 4 Autism realize the needs for many charities to raise money so we decided why not invite other organizations to join in a venture with us and we will split the proceeds with those charities 50/50. We will do all the planning and foot work but at the same time involve others in need. All of the Organizations involved have a opportunity to bring in funds to help them out during these harder times, when money is tighter, bills are higher, and donations tend to fall. So lets get together have a great time in Reno NV while doing something GREAT.



Riders are encourages to raise a minimum of \$100.00 in pledges. You do not have to have pledges to ride all may participate but we do encourage pledges as this is a fundraisers. Those who raise \$125.00 and have their pledge mailed in by June 18th 2008 will receive a BIKE 4 A CAUSE T-SHIRT. Or you may purchase a T-Shirt for \$25.00 Please indicate size(s) and quantity below YSM, YMD, YLG, SM, MED, LG, XL,*2XL TO *4XL * sizes 2XL—4XL are an additional \$4.50 per shirt. Size and Qty: _____ X ____, ____ X ____, Х...Х.Х Check one or both: \$125.00 Pledge shirt_____ Riders Shirt _____ or Purchase of Shirt (s)_____ Total of shirts Total Payment\$ Pledge shirt \$0.00

Checks made payable to: Stride 4 Autism

Who does Autism Affect?

It occurs in all racial, ethnic, and social groups and is four times more likely to strike boys than girls. Autism impairs a person's ability to communicate and relate to others. It is also associated with rigid routines and repetitive behaviors, such as obsessively arranging objects or following very specific routines. It is devastating for families, many parents will never hear their child utter a word or ever hear "I Love You Mommy and Daddy" never receive a hug or a kiss from the child they love so much the child that is in their own world without knowing the love the family has for them nor understanding it. Many will need care for the

rest of their lives, and never have a conversation with anyone they, will continue to live their lives through frustration and tears.

But with therapies this can change and <u>YOU can help by raising money to pay for these</u> Therapies that health insurances won't cover.





BIKE 4 A CAUSE



Saturday June 28th 2008 Ride the McCarran Loop Beginning at 7:30 am Ride 4 your Cause!! Rain or Shine.

This will be a staggered start event, teams or individuals will sign up in 5 minute increment starts. Please go to website or Call number provided to get your pledge sheets, and get all of the I formation for this wonderful event!. There are many charities to ride for, lets make a difference in everyone's lives!! The 23 mile ride on the McCarran Loop will have water stops and rest areas. Event will start at 8:00 am. Registration and complimentary bike safety Checks will begin at 7:00 am. Please pick 3 preferred Individual or Team Staggered Start Times, those who have their forms in by June 18th will have first consideration to receive their first choice, you will be notified by June 21st of your start time. Those who have forms turned in after June 18th will be notified before the 25th as to their start time. Those who sign up the day of the event will be placed in ride as soon as we can get you in safely.

<u>Times:</u>

Please mark preferred choices 1— 3 1 being first choice 3 being last. 8:00----- 8:05---- 8:10---- 8:15-----8:20----- 8:25----- 8:30---- 8:35-----8:40----- 8:45----- 8:50---- 8:55-----9:00----- 9:05----- 9:10---- 9:15-----9:20----- 9:25----- 9:30---- 9:35-----

What is Autism?

Autism is a complex neurobiological disorder that typically lasts throughout a person's lifetime. It is part of a group of disorders known as autism spectrum disorders (ASD).

Today, 1 in 150 Children are diagnosed with autism, making it more common than pediatric cancer, diabetes, and AIDS combined and

PRE-REGISTRATION FORM YOU WILL BE REQUIRED TO FILL AN OFFICIAL FORM & WAIVER OUT THE MORNING OF THE RIDE, OR YOU MAY PRINT IT OUT FROM OUR WEBSITE AND MAIL IT IN :

Riders Name:
Team Name:
How many team riders?
Or Volunteer s Name
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Email:
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City:State:
Zip:
Phone:
Signature:
Parent/guardian (for minor 14 to 17 years of age)
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Or see back page
We <u>encourage</u> you to visit the
site for all detailed information
and downloadable forms.
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call (775)-772-1471
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