

Hello Volunteers,

On **Monday, November 7, 2011** Chicago Human Rhythm Project will proudly present its highly anticipated annual gala benefit **Jubalee!** on the Jay Pritzker Pavilion stage in Chicago's world class Millennium Park.

Some of you were part of our fabulous volunteer team that contributed to the success of last year's "Jubalee....Roaring in Our Twenties." We could not have done it without you!

**I am writing to you on behalf of the Chicago Human Rhythm Project Gala Committee and Board to ask for your participation as a volunteer for this year's Gala.**

We have an amazing program this year! We are thrilled to honor **Donna LaPietra and Bill Kurtis** with our annual JUBA Award. The evening begins with a cocktail reception and silent auction followed by performances by:

**The North American premier of Rasta Thomas' *Tap Stars*  
CHRP's resident ensemble BAM!  
Mexican Folkloric Dance Company of Chicago  
Students of the Mayfair Academy  
and other Special Guests!**

The evening will conclude with a live auction, dinner and dessert buffet where guests can meet the evening's performers and honorees.

**As you can imagine, such a great event is going to require some behind the scenes support.**

Just to give you an idea, we will need assistance with the check in process; directing guests from activity to activity within the Pavilion; helping with volunteer sign in and coordination; assisting with silent and live auction activities, etc.

If you can assist this year, would you be so kind as to respond no later than **Monday October 17th, 2011**. We hope you can make it. Also, please include what times based on the below schedules you would prefer.

Morning 9am-12pm  
Afternoon 12-4:30  
Evening 4:30-10\*\*

\*\*The evening shift begins at 4:30, but based on work schedules, may be flexible. If your preference is evening, please include your:

- Earliest arrival time (if not 4:30 pm),
- Latest possible departure time.

We are asking that volunteers remain until the conclusion of the event at 10:00.

Assignments will be made following confirmation of your participation and we will communicate a more detailed schedule in the weeks to follow.

Tasks for the evening will prevent some of us from seeing the Gala performance. So, in appreciation for your valued contribution to the success of our Gala, all volunteers will receive a one-month membership to Fitness Formula and two tickets to one of our 2011 Global Rhythms Program Performance for either

November 26 or 27. The lineup is sensational. Click on the following link to see this year's fabulous program:

<http://www.chicagotap.org/Performance-Education-Detail-Festival/Global-Rhythms-2011.aspx>

**We hope you will volunteer on November 7<sup>th</sup> to make this year's Gala for CHRP the most successful ever!** If you have any friends that might be interested, feel free to pass this invitation on to them as well.

Thank you!

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