

## STOCKTON HEAT RACE FOR AUTISM NIGHT FEBRUARY 13



Stockton Heat has invited our foundation to participate in a Race for Autism night at the Stockton Arena. Discounted tickets may be purchased by going to <http://stocktonheat.com/race-for-autism/> Please make sure to buy your tickets through this website to ensure a portion of your ticket purchase goes back to our foundation. They will also have a silent auction with proceeds going to our Direct Help Grant. Our money car and Platinum Sponsor 51FIFTY Energy Drink will be at the event.

## AUTISM SPEAKS WALK

In October the Carlos Vieira Foundation participated in the Autism Speak Walk at Modesto Junior College. This was a great event where we were able to reach out to hundred of families who are affected by autism. Each year our foundation makes a donation to Autism Speaks which is a National advocacy organization which conducts autism research and advocacy. We look forward to attending walks in several counties this year.



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## Our Cause

The Carlos Vieira Foundation is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization that provides support and services to needy families living with autism. We rely on charitable donations to offer our grant services in the following counties:

- Merced
- Stanislaus
- Madera
- Mariposa
- Tuolumne
- San Joaquin
- Fresno
- Sacramento
- Shasta
- Tehama
- Glenn
- Butte
- Colusa
- El Dorado
- Sutter
- Yuba
- Yolo
- Placer
- Kings
- Tulare
- Kern

If you would like to make a tax-deductible donation, partner and/or sponsor one of our events, please contact us today!

## Contact Us:

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## DRUG STORE PROJECT

Our foundation was invited by the Caring about Kids Coalition to participate in their Drug Store Project. Merced County Sheriffs, SWAT, Ambulance Companies, Pharmacies, and Military were in attendance. The Drug Store project brings together multiple agencies to teach students the danger of drugs and sets the scene that a student who uses drugs runs the risk of death, jail, a life of illness, and misery. Our foundation attended with young boxers, and their coaches and we illustrated an alternative choice. 51FIFTY Boxing Gyms located within Merced County are free to children and provide a safe, fun, drug free environment designed to keep kids off the streets, out of gangs, and to remain drug free. The event was held at Mitchell Senior Elementary School and attended by all 6<sup>th</sup> graders in the Atwater Union School District.



## Event Calendar

2/13/16

Race for Autism Night w/ Stockton Heat- Stockton Arena

2/26/16 - 2/28/16

Winter Showdown Race for Autism Night – Kern Raceway

3/12/16

4<sup>th</sup> Annual Gloves Not Drugs Boxing Show – Livingston High School Gym Livingston, CA

4/17/16

Autism Day at 51FIFTY Enterprises Livingston, CA

5/19/16

Comedy for A Cause – Portuguese Kids Comedy Show @ Gallo Center Modesto, CA

## Sponsor Spotlight

We'd like to thank the following sponsor for their unending support and charitable contributions.

We would like to say a special thank you to Carlos & Fatima Codorniz for all of the wonderful desserts that raised thousands of dollars at our dessert auction in December. Your contribution is very appreciated!

## 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Gloves Not Drugs Boxing Show Special Guest – Evander Holyfield



On March 12, 2016 our Gloves Not Drugs Boxing show and fundraiser will be held at the Livingston High School Gym. Former four-time world heavyweight champion boxer, Evander Holyfield will be attending this event as our special guest, watching the young fighters. VIP Tables are for sale now on a first come first serve basis for \$200. VIP tables include Meet and Greet with Evander Holyfield, an unobstructed view of the boxing show, ring side seating for 4, a VIP Pass to get your picture taken with Evander, and a meal ticket for each person at your table. To purchase your ticket, please call the foundation at 209-394-1444.