

Dear ESK families,

Many of us begin the holiday season before Thanksgiving with charitable hearts. We donate food, coats and time to our schools and troops and maybe even work in a local soup kitchen. The holidays are over now, but for a number of Smithtown children, they are still waiting for a season to celebrate.

Help us give them - and their families - a reason.

Please join us at the dojo on Saturday, January 21st for the ESK Kick-Back Party. We will eat well, drink until merry, dance badly and perhaps sing out loud and off key. But the evening has a goal - one which I hope you will help us achieve.

Admission to the party is \$20 per person - adults only please. And for those with a giving heart, a family-owned business, or the ability to get others to donate, we would like to ask for a gift basket to be raffled off at our Silent Auction.

The proceeds of the Silent Auction benefit the Smithtown Children's Foundation, who selflessly raise money for ill children and their families in the Smithtown community. These families may be facing huge medical bills and long hospital stays.

With the holidays behind us, we want to make sure to continue to help these families and their children.

So come have a great time, and support a worthy cause.

Yours in martial arts -- Hanshi Joyce Santamaria

PS : I have a list of gift basket ideas to get you inspired. If you didn't receive the email containing the list of basket ideas, please stop by the Front Desk to see our copy. Please call the dojo at 265-1555 if you plan to make a gift basket donation. Thanks!

**Calling all party animals...**

**The ESK Kick- Back Party**  
*benefitting*  
**The Smithtown Children's  
Foundation**

January 21 - 7 to 11 pm  
\$20 pp and an optional basket donation for your  
family,  
family business or local merchant.

