

The Andre Agassi Foundation Receives \$1 Million Grant from The Lincy Foundation to Improve Public Education in Southern Nevada

LAS VEGAS, Oct. 27, 2008 – The Lincy Foundation has bestowed a gift of \$1 million to the Andre Agassi Foundation (AACF) to support the improvement of public education in Southern Nevada. The Lincy Foundation, dedicated to supporting humanitarian efforts including education, healthcare, children, families and the elderly, has supported AACF's annual Grand Slam for Children benefit concert since 1995.

This gift will help fund programs at the Andre Agassi College Preparatory Academy including after school tutoring, the teacher apprenticeship program, athletics, college access, special education ancillary services, the summer program, student trips and more.

"Nevada students are the future of its community and economy. These young people will provide the leadership of Nevada's businesses, government, civic, religious and service organizations," said Jeffery Wilkins, MD of The Lincy Foundation. "Supporting education will have a profound effect on generations to come. At The Lincy Foundation, we believe education is one of the best investments someone can make in Nevada for the state's well-being."

"The Lincy Foundation is changing the face of education as we know it, and we are grateful to have their support in our community," said Steve Miller, CEO of the Andre Agassi Foundation. "We are thrilled to partner with Lincy and are proud to be united in the fight for quality education for children everywhere."

About The Lincy Foundation

The Lincy Foundation was formed by Kirk Kerkorian in 1989 in response to the devastating earthquake in Spitak, Armenia. The substantial contributions from the foundation provided housing to thousands of displaced individuals and families as well as the reconstruction of roads and other key infrastructure. During the 19 years since its founding, The Lincy Foundation has continued to provide support to the citizens of Armenia while also supporting humanitarian efforts of numerous U.S. non-profit groups, with special emphasis placed in Nevada for causes including education, medical care and the elderly.

About the Andre Agassi Foundation

The Andre Agassi Foundation is dedicated to transforming U.S. public education for underserved youth. The Foundation drives reform by engaging in practice, policy and partnerships that provide quality education and enrichment opportunities. The Foundation is a 501(c) (3) not-for-profit public charity established in 1994. Learn more at www.agassifoundation.org.