



*Benefitting Panama City
Rescue Mission's
Bethel Village for
women and children.*

April 30, 2010

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Dear Friends,

The Panama City Rescue Mission is proud to host the 7th Annual ***Festival of Trees: Christmas Through the Eyes of a Child***, Nov 30 - Dec 3, 2010 **at the Marina Civic Center** in Panama City, Fl.

Enclosed is a listing of sponsorship opportunities, which will bring your company recognition around this growing event. **We have provided sponsorship levels for any size budget, no matter how large or small. Any financial or in-kind gift will be appreciated!**

This popular event has become a family Christmas tradition and enables local artists and designers to design beautiful Christmas items for charity. The items are judged in competition and made available for auction. Visitors can enjoy the sights and sounds of the season during special mini-events (*by invitation only Nov 30 – Dec 2*) or during the general admission (*on December 3, from 5 pm to 9 pm*)! **All proceeds help Bethel Village, the Rescue Mission's home for recovering homeless women and families.**

Additionally, on Friday December 3, the Mission will also host a "**Lunch with Santa.**" **This fieldtrip, for our schools' homeless children**, allows them to enjoy the beautiful trees, learn about the History of Christmas, meet Santa, and receive gifts. What a great way to ring in the Christmas season, while supporting worthwhile causes, right here in our town!

Forward completed sponsorship form by fax to 850-763-0099, or mail to P.O. Box 2359, Panama City, FL 32402, or e-mail to ngrindal@pcrmission.org.

One of our voluntary committee members will be calling you in the next couple of weeks, but should you have questions, please call me at the office 850-769-0783 or on my cell at 850-596-9177.

Sincerely,

Neil Grindal
Festival of Trees Committee