



Volunteers helping students succeed

December 5, 2003

Sally Mallam
Hoopoe Books
240 Alta Vista Ave.
Los Altos, CA 94022

Dear Sally Mallam:

Learning Leaders greatly appreciates the donation of more than 3500 Hoopoe Books. They are incredibly beautiful and well-written books and unique and it's wonderful to be able to give books that feature stories and people from Afghanistan, Central Asia, and the Middle East. It is certainly extremely important and timely to introduce these stories now given the world situation.

Learning Leaders currently has over 11,000 volunteers working in over 800 schools. With your generous contribution, we were able to distribute the books to the volunteers (mostly parents) who attended our annual Opening Meeting in September, which was over 2000 people. We also gave the books to all of the teachers who currently work with a volunteer in their classrooms, and to several hundred parents who attend our Family Literacy workshops as well as our Fall breakfasts, which are information gatherings about topics in education and important information about what is happening in the NYC Department of Education.

Thank you again for your charitable gift. Thousands of NYC public school children and hundreds of teachers have benefited from your kindness and generosity.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jinnie Spiegler".

Jinnie Spiegler
Vice President for Program