

Carter Norton Magical Music for Life 545 West Road New Canaan, CT 06840

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Dear Carter:

Thanks so much to you and your sponsor for bringing your musical, *The Adventures of Zak*, to the Gordon Theatre at Rutgers-Camden for the benefit of the Boys & Girls Club of Camden County. Our community is so in need of anything positive, and our Boys & Girls Club works every day to provide children in Camden with the essential tools needed for a successful and bright future. To have this production come to our neighborhood, expenses paid, was an amazing gift to our membership.

Your show was wonderful and so professional, from the singing voices and acting to the colorful lighting effects. It was special for our kids to see real children their age performing on stage. The audience was truly entertained and moved by the story, the songs and the messages of the show. This is a theatre piece that children need to see and hear, that families need to enjoy together, and charities, especially Boys & Girls Clubs, really should use, either as a fundraising tool or a great gift to their community. It perfectly partners with the goals and mission of our clubs.

A highlight for us, of course, was the inclusion of the Guest Chorus on stage in the finale. Our 40 children were thrilled to rehearse with your director a few weeks before the show, and had an experience of a lifetime singing "Your Heart's like a Compass" at the end of the show. For many, it was the first time they had ever been on a stage in front of an audience. I hope you enjoy the cards from the Club members that were in the show.

I thank you for all your work on our behalf. My staff and I were impressed with the materials you provided, the radio and newspaper contacts you made and the way you and your staff took care of all the arrangements with the theatre and the overall production.

You have much to be proud of. The very best of luck to you and your foundation, and I hope to hear about Zak in the future. Your show needs and deserves to have many more performances in the future.

Happy Holidays,

Milford Liss President/CEO

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