



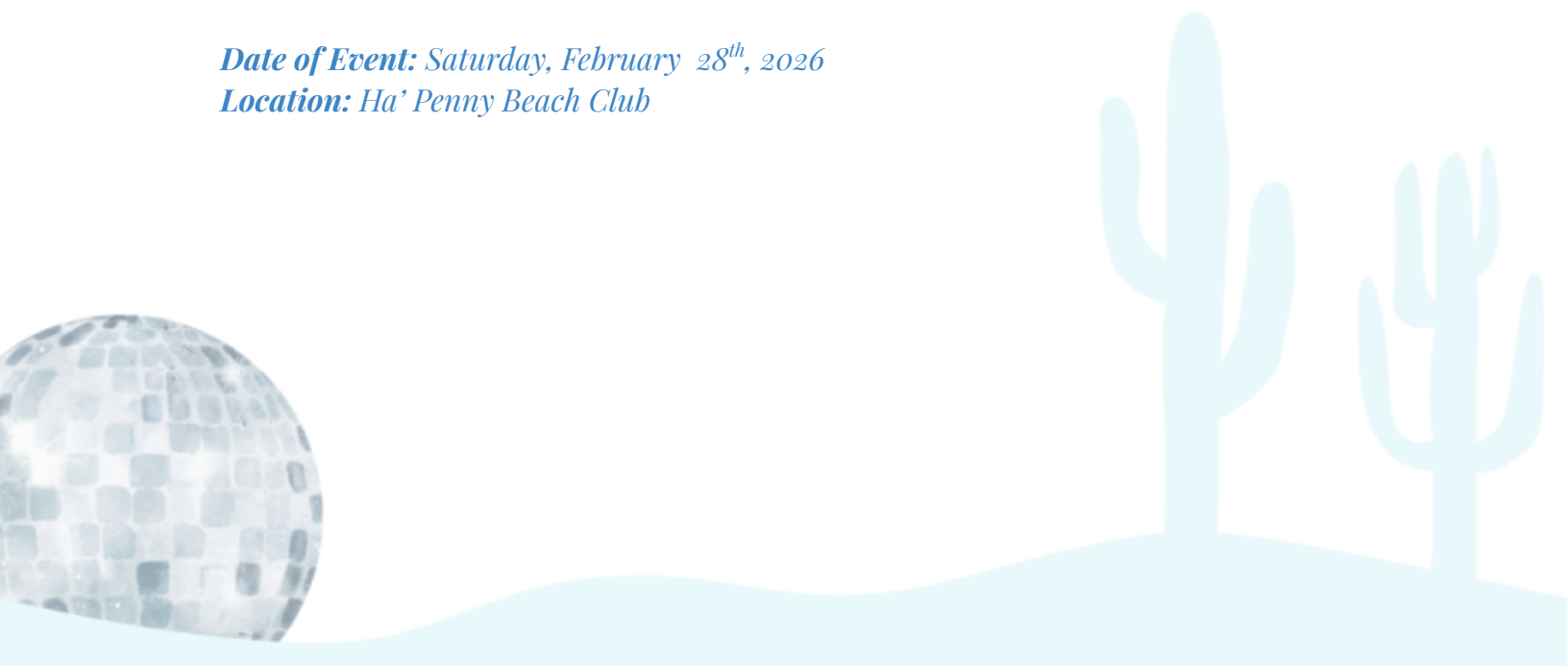
Sponsor Packet

St. Croix Montessori 2026 Fundraising Event

Denim & Diamonds will be the event of the season — a dazzling, beach-elegant evening where guests sip, sparkle, and celebrate by the sea in support of our school and students.

Date of Event: Saturday, February 28th, 2026

Location: Ha' Penny Beach Club





Dear St. Croix Community Member,

The future of St. Croix depends on how well we educate our children, how deeply we believe in them, and how intentionally we invest in their growth.

St. Croix Montessori was founded by parents and educators who share a conviction: the children of this island should have access to a high-quality, forward-thinking education right here at home. We are absolutely committed to making that access possible.

Today, we serve students from 18 months through grade 8, with plans to add grade 9 next year as we continue our growth toward our first graduating class in the year 2029 - 30.

In 2025, we achieved full authorization as an International Baccalaureate World School, affirming our commitment to meaningful academics, global thinking, and inquiry-driven learning grounded in purpose and compassion.

This past year brought meaningful progress. We strengthened our programs, added new playground and outdoor learning spaces, and expanded financial aid so that access to quality education is not limited by a family's ability to pay.

Opportunity should not depend on a family's income. If a child and family want to be here, we work to make it possible.

That commitment requires more than tuition alone can provide. We keep tuition as accessible as possible so doors of opportunity remain open to families across St. Croix, which makes philanthropic support essential to our mission.

Your sponsorship helps ensure that:

- children build strong academic foundations and confidence in their abilities
- middle school students learn to research, question, and lead through real-world IB projects
- families are not forced to choose between financial strain and their child's education
- St. Croix grows future-ready young people who are prepared to contribute meaningfully to this island

To show you what your support makes possible, we have included a brief snapshot of our Grade 8 math results on the next page. Beyond the meaningful, memorable, life-shaping moments students experience every day, those results reflect what happens when children are taught with care, high expectations, and consistency.

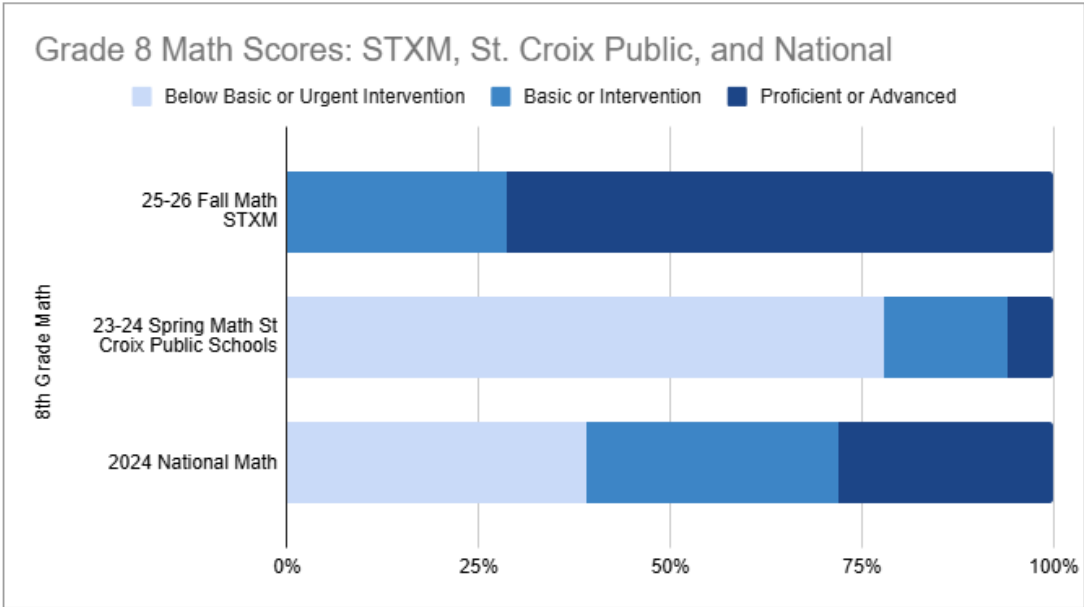
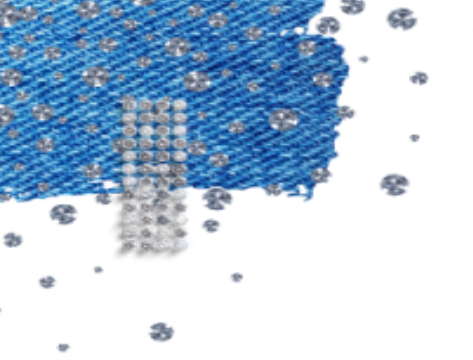
We invite you to review the enclosed sponsorship opportunities and choose a level of support that aligns with your commitment to education on St. Croix. St. Croix Montessori is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization (Tax ID **66-0664498**).

Thank you for investing in our children, our community, and the future of this island.

With gratitude,



Tracy Cook - (c) 513-260-2899 Head of School



St. Croix Montessori School

0.0%	Below Basic
28.6%	Basic
71.4%	Proficient or Advanced

St. Croix Public Schools:

77.9%	Below Basic
16.0%	Basic
6.1%	Proficient or Advanced

Schools across the U.S.:

39.0%	Below Basic
33.0%	Basic
28.0%	Proficient or Advanced

**This comparison reflects the most recent data available for both groups. Public school results are from the 2023–24 school year. The 2025–26 school year represents the first cohort of eighth graders at STXM and is therefore the only available data for this comparison.*

***STXM assessment categories have been aligned to state reporting levels for comparison purposes, with “At or Above” corresponding to Proficient or Advanced, and “Urgent Intervention” corresponding to Below Basic.*

For national context, on the most recent NAEP assessment, **only 28% of eighth graders in the United States scored at or above the proficient level in mathematics.** Source: National Assessment of Education Progress (NAEP) Report Card: Mathematics;
https://www.nationsreportcard.gov/reports/mathematics/2024/g4_8/?grade=8

Sponsorship Levels



Rhinestone Cowboy	Silver Spurs	Boots & Bougie	High In The Saddle	Champagne & Chaps
\$500	\$1,500	\$3,000	\$5,000	\$7,500
Recognition at the gala.	Recognition at the gala.	Recognition at the gala	<u>*Premier</u> recognition at the gala	<u>*Premier</u> recognition at the gala
Recognition including name and/or logo on all major event signage & sponsor-board	Recognition including name and/or logo on all major event signage & sponsor-board	Recognition including name and/or logo on all major event signage & sponsor-board	<u>*Premier</u> recognition including name and/or logo on all major event signage & sponsor-board	<u>*Premier</u> recognition including name and/or logo on all major event signage & sponsor-board
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Name and logo mentioned on Facebook page.	Name and logo mentioned on Facebook page.	Name and logo mentioned on Facebook page.	Name and logo mentioned on Facebook page.	Name and logo mentioned on Facebook page.
Tickets for two individuals	Tickets for <i>one group of Four (4)</i> – with name and/or logo displayed at the event.	Tickets for <i>one group of Six (6)</i> – with name and/or logo displayed at the event.	Tickets for <i>one group of Six (6)</i> <u>at a private table</u> , with name and/or logo displayed at the table.	Tickets for <i>one group of Eight (8)</i> <u>at a private table</u> , with name and/or logo displayed at the table.
		One seat in the Diamonds and Aces Charity Poker Tournament.	Two seats in the Diamonds and Aces Charity Poker Tournament	Four seats in the Diamonds and Aces Charity Poker Tournament
				Champagne service for the night at your table.
				Private server for the night at your table.

*Premier recognition includes being listed at the top of our poster and in a larger font.



St. Croix Montessori 2026 Fundraising Event: Sponsor Form

Denim & Diamonds by the Sea

Saturday, February 28th, 2026 - Ha' Penny Beach Club

Sponsorship Level

☐ Champagne & Chaps	\$7,500	☐ Please reserve (up to 8) tickets with my sponsorship
☐ High In The Saddle	\$5,000	☐ Please reserve (up to 6) tickets with my sponsorship
☐ Boots & Bougie	\$3,000	☐ Please reserve (up to 6) tickets with my sponsorship
☐ Silver Spurs	\$1,500	☐ Please reserve (up to 4) tickets with my sponsorship
☐ Rhinestone Cowboy	\$500	☐ Please reserve (up to 2) tickets with my sponsorship
☐ Sponsor a Faculty Member	\$150	☐ Please reserve ticket for: Name (if preference):

Sponsor Information

Sponsor Name _____ Contact Person _____

Phone (_____) _____ - _____ Email _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Sponsorship Payment

Please accept my gift of \$_____. I want to pay by:

- ☐ Check: Enclosed, payable to St. Croix Montessori School
Mail to: St. Croix Montessori, 3021 Orange Grove
Christiansted, VI 00820

- ☐ Please Invoice for payment.

Thank you for your support!

Please complete this form and return with payment by Feb 20, 2026.

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- ☐ Paypal





Silent Auction Donation Form

☐ **Yes**, I would like to donate an item to the 2026 Silent Auction.

Company: _____

Contact: _____

Street Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Website: _____

Item and brief description: _____

Retail Value (as estimated by donor): _____

___ Please arrange for someone to pick up

___ Item will be delivered to STXM on this date _____

___ Gift certificate attached to this form

___ Please create a gift certificate for this item

Donation suggestions: Gift certificates attached to your catalog/ brochure/menu; a basket of your best selling products; leisure, sports or vacation opportunities; jewelry; artwork; pet-related products all make terrific auction items.

Gift Solicitor: _____

I am unable to donate an auction item this year, but would like to make a donation of \$ _____

☐ A check payable to "St. Croix Montessori" is enclosed.

☐ Paypal



Please send completed form to:
St. Croix Montessori, 3021 Orange Grove, Christiansted, VI 00820

Thank you for your support!

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Please retain a copy of this form for your tax preparations.