



Community President Mick Nitsch presents a \$10,000 check to Dr. Kerri Duncan, Director of Rivendale Institute for their upcoming *Leather and Lace* event to be held Friday, April 01, 2011. 100% of the proceeds from this event will stay in the Springfield community and be given to families with children diagnosed with a learning disability, autism, downs' syndrome, or ADHD in the form of a scholarship. Educating children with these types of disabilities is costly, yet extremely effective and necessary.

Rivendale is a private school accredited by the Missouri Department of Education. Providing families an alternative to public education and allow traditional students and students with Learning Disabilities, including Autism, to achieve their full capabilities.

