

# A new way to frame education

By Staff reports

Sat Oct 25, 2008, 08:47 AM EDT

Brookline -

The Brookline High School 21<sup>st</sup> Century Fund will auction off six pieces of original art that uniquely reflect the passion and careers of each of the six honorees of this year's 21<sup>st</sup> Century Fund Gala on Nov. 15.

Each piece of art begins with a mirror that is set in a one-of-a-kind frame, designed and personally crafted by acclaimed Brookline artists and inspired by the Gala honorees. The pieces have been created in various media: oil, collage, glass and mixed media.

The artists include:

- Evelyn Berde for Liz Walker, award-winning broadcast journalist, youth minister, activist, filmmaker and BHS parent.
- Jenn Mason for Jonathon Riley, U.S. Indoor Champion distance runner, Olympian, scholar and BHS alumnus.
- Matti Insko Williams for Terry Francona, manager of the World Champion Boston Red Sox and BHS parent.
- John Bassett for Malcolm Lowe, concertmaster of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, violinist, teacher and BHS parent.
- Fred Free for Steve Lantos, award-winning BHS chemistry teacher, author and BHS alumnus.
- Christina Powell for Sarah Lamb, principal dancer of the Royal Ballet of London, Presidential Scholar in the arts and BHS alumna.

"We are thrilled and honored that such distinguished artists have given of their time and talent to support the fund in this creative way," Hsiu-Lan Chang, overseer of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Fund, said.

Organized in partnership with the Brookline Community Foundation, a reception featuring the artists will be held at FastFrame, 1628 Beacon St., on Thursday, Oct. 30, 6-8 p.m. All are invited.

The pieces will be on display from Oct. 23 to Nov. 15 at FastFrame, and will be auctioned off the night of the Gala. Gala tickets are available by contacting the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Fund at 617-713-5201, or visiting [www.bhs21stcenturyfund.org](http://www.bhs21stcenturyfund.org).