



# We need donations of hot, nutritious meals to serve at our Annual Builders of the New World Holiday Party for NYC's homeless children



The **Builders of the New World Program** ("BNW") is a groundbreaking educational theater program of the **Actors Theater Workshop** ("ATW"). Since 1995, ATW has been providing homeless children and at-risk youth with the tools they need to succeed in today's society.

We created the BNW program to provide a safe haven of stability at a time of crisis in these children's lives. We recruit volunteers from a cross section of the community (including the corporate, government and education sectors) to support the program and serve as role models for the children.

At the helm of the BNW Program is ATW's Artistic Director, Executive Producer and Founder, Thurman E. Scott who teaches his original creative technique to open up the children's imaginations, help them to see beyond their present circumstances and to envision themselves making a positive and valuable contribution to our society in the future.

On two separate evenings, **Tuesday December 12th and Wednesday December 13th**, we will be hosting our Annual Holiday Party for children living in shelters throughout New York City. Donating a special meal to this event is your chance to contribute back to your community this holiday season!

**We are serving 7 facilities this year, hosting 2 separate parties at 70 children each and 30 adults, we need 100 meals for each night, which will come to serving 200 meals in total.**



The Actors Theatre Workshop was founded in 1990 by Thurman E. Scott, an Award-winning actor, writer and director committed to community action and social change. Deemed a creative revolutionary by his mentor, Stella Adler, Mr. Scott has established ATW as a pioneer in non-profit theatre that produces classical and contemporary plays, develops new dramatic works and trains theatre artists while providing innovative programs to the community.

**Please contact BNW's Donations Coordinator at [Outreach@actorstheatreworkshop.com](mailto:Outreach@actorstheatreworkshop.com) or by phone at (212) 947-1386 with the type of meal you can provide. Once a donation is confirmed, we will arrange for pick up by ATW staff on the afternoon of the event. ATW is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization, all donations are tax deductible.**

We can never be satisfied as long as our children are stripped of their selfhood and robbed of their dignity. I still have a dream today...  
Dr. Martin Luther King, Lincoln Memorial August 28, 1963