



Blue Bird Dealers of New York State Donate \$10,000 to Fund NYAPT Scholarships & Educational Initiatives

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Albany, N.Y.--(BUSINESS WIRE)—Bird Bus Sales & New York Bus Sales, the Blue Bird dealers in New York State, are proud to announce a donation to the New York Association for Pupil Transportation in the amount of \$10,000. The donation is to ensure NYAPT can continue to provide scholarships to deserving students, encourage continued member participation, and develop new means to achieve their goals.

David Christopher, the Executive Director of NYAPT said “NYAPT appreciates the support of our vendor partners, Bird Bus Sales and New York Bus Sales, in these uncertain times. This contribution to NYAPT helps the Association maintain educational programs and advocacy efforts on behalf of our statewide membership which translates to a safe ride to and from school for school children all across New York State. Thank you Bird Bus Sales and New York Bus Sales for your support.”

“Bird Bus Sales is truly grateful for the dedication, time, and investment that the members of NYAPT put in to make this industry great. We believe that every child should be provided an opportunity to an education and recognize the commitment by the members of NYAPT to the safe transport of millions of children in New York State – and beyond.” said Robert Reichenbach, Executive Vice President of Bird Bus Sales.

“NYAPT is more than a professional organization, it’s a family, and family is always there for each other in times of need.” said Sean Finnerty, President of New York Bus Sales. “Just because the summer conference was cancelled doesn’t mean the good work stops.”

About Bird Bus Sales:

Bird Bus Sales (BBS) is the leader in bus sales, service, and parts for the Long Island, Westchester, and New York City regions of New York. Through its two full-service and maintenance facilities, Bird Bus Sales is the one-stop-shop for all Blue Bird & Micro Bird by Girardin, school & commercial bus needs. Bird Bus Sales has been recognized as a leader in the marketplace by Blue Bird Corporation, the community, and the industry. BBS supports all fuel types, including alternative fuels, and delivered the first 100% Zero-Emission Electric School Buses on the East Coast. Reach out to Bird Bus Sales at 516-767-2700; www.birdbussales.com; or sales@birdbussales.com.

About New York Bus Sales:

Family run for over 60 years, New York Bus Sales (NYBS) has dedicated full-service sales and maintenance facilities in Chittenango, Henrietta, Ravena and Middletown New York. NYBS offers the complete line of Blue Bird and Microbird by Girardin school and commercial buses along with comprehensive maintenance, repair and refurbishment service for many other types of vehicles. New York Bus Sales is a recognized leader in North America for its sales and support of Alternative Fueled products. To find out how New York Bus Sales can help you with your transportation needs, please call 1-800-962-5768, visit www.newyorkbussales.com or e-mail us at info@newyorkbussales.com

About Blue Bird Corporation:

Celebrating its 93rd year in business, Blue Bird (Nasdaq: BLBD) is the leading independent designer and manufacturer of school buses, with approximately 200,000 buses in operation today. Blue Bird's longevity and reputation in the school bus industry have made it an iconic American brand. Blue Bird distinguishes itself from its principal competitors by its singular focus on the design, engineering, manufacture and sale of school buses and related parts. As the only manufacturer of chassis and body production specifically designed for school bus applications, Blue Bird is recognized as an industry leader for school bus innovation, safety, product quality/reliability/durability, operating costs and drivability. In addition, Blue Bird is the market leader in alternative fuel applications with its propane-powered, compressed natural gas-powered, and Electric school buses. For more information on Blue Bird's complete line of buses, visit www.blue-bird.com.