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Dear Pdawg the Royal, Wise, Strong, and Magnificent Tizzle,  
Hi! It's Colleen Walsh. I just finished the June session of Beginnings a few weeks ago. So, first things first, thank you so much for the invite! I had a wonderful time and discovered a new like for different foods! (Tofu isn't high on my list...) The instructors, chaperones, classes and class/cabinmates were all awesome! And organic chocolate is really good too! (My friends were surprised I made it back alive after eating healthy. They claimed they couldn't do it, but I secretly think that they CAN they just don't WANT to.) Did I mention how much I GREATLY APPRECIATED this opportunity? Well, I do!!! I had a fabulous experience that I'm sure I'll always remember! But can you give me contact information on Rachael Burns? Rick reminded us several times that the only way to get info was through you. So could you give me her e-mail and stuff? Please?  
Now...today I got a letter for the minis. Pdawg, I would totally love to go! (So far it looks like Columbus Day weekend would be best. Is that okay? Is there room?) But there is one small problem...I don't know if I can afford to go. How exactly can I go about getting a partial scholarship? You see, my family is not in the best financial position. We took a huge blow paying for the workshop itself. And my mom has to pay for a scratch on our car because some guy rammed it. AND the car speedometer isn't working right so we have to pay for that. AND my mom has to help pay for her mother's 80th birthday party AND we had to help pay for my dad's side of the family vacation. Plus, the company my dad works at just got bought by some new people and he's only guaranteed a job through the summer. (We think he still might keep his job, but we're not 100% sure.) So, as you can see, my family is not in the best financial situation right now. Please let me know as soon as possible if there is any way to get a scholarship, or if there is even room in the Columbus Day weekend mini at all! (Sorry this e-mail is so long!) But I have to say, once again, THANK YOU SOOOO MUCH PDAWG!!!! Much love!

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Colleen