



Harvest Festival

Yesterday. Today & Tomorrow: 150 YEARS OF IMPACTING LIVES

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

2023 marks the 34th year of the Harvest Festival and the **150-year anniversary** of LCFS. Our goal is to make this year's event the biggest and best ever! As a partner, your business will get exposure to **2,000** Chicago area, socially conscious supporters that receive our emails and mailings about the Harvest Festival as well as our nearly **3,000** social media followers.

Last year, the Harvest Festival raised \$210,000! This year, our goal is to attract more than 200 attendees and raise more than \$225,000 to support our work to provide foster care services to more than **2,000** children across Illinois.

This fun and meaningful event will take place on **Friday, October 27, 2023** at Hinsdale Golf Club with dinner, auctions, a band and dancing and many meaningful moments to highlight our mission.



“When children are removed from their parents, the citizens of Illinois become their legal guardians. Foster children are truly the responsibility of every one of us.”

—LCFS President and CEO
Mike Bertrand

WHAT YOUR SUPPORT MEANS

As the second largest private child welfare provider in Illinois, LCFS protects children, strengthens families and builds futures for those who have experienced trauma. We are proud to serve more teenagers in foster care than any other agency in the state and to be a leader in dismantling racism in the foster care system.

In **2022**, our supporters helped:

- Our **299** essential direct care staff ensure **2,137** children were cared for in foster families
- Find **154** children their forever families through adoption
- **514** foster children find a permanent home with **356** able to return to their birth families
- Strengthen **281** at-risk families through preventative services
- Provide counseling services to **583** children and birth families involved in foster care or preventative programs
- **62** youth receive emergency shelter services at Southern Thirty Adolescent Center

Please consider a sponsorship this year to ensure we can do even more good for children and families in what continues to be challenging times!



PARTNER WITH LCFS

Check out these exciting opportunities your sponsorship offers. In addition, we welcome the opportunity to discuss how we could partner with your business throughout the year. Are you looking for an opportunity for your employees to band together in a volunteer effort? Would you like your name on our Christmas Drive and engage your customers and employees in the effort? We would love to discuss possibilities including sponsoring a donor e-news blast, putting a coupon in our communication to foster families and more!

BENEFITS	ANNIVERSARY \$15,000	PRESENTING \$10,000	PLATINUM \$5,000	GOLD \$2,500	SILVER \$1,000	BRONZE \$500	FRIEND \$250
Inclusion in social media post thanking sponsors	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Logo on event slide thanking sponsors at each level	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Listing in post event E-blast to LCFS supporters	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Logo in our event E-blasts to more than 2,000 supporters	X	X	X	X	X		
Verbal recognition from the podium during event	X	X	X	X	X		
Optional coupon or giveaway in a goody bag for ticket purchasers	X	X	X	X	X		
Logo linked to your web page on mobile bidding site	X	X	X	X			
Company logo on Harvest Festival web page	X	X	X	X			
Ad or a mention in an article in Building Hope, LCFS e-newsletter	X	X	X	X			
30 second video during event and posted on LCFS Facebook page	X	X	X				
Opportunity to have a table or do a 1 minute demo/presentation at event	X	X					
Logo included on event invite	X	X					
Branding included on signage at event	X	X					
Complimentary tickets to event	10	6	2				
VIP Experience	X						

Questions? Contact Mandy Widtfeldt at 630-470-3853 or mandy_widtfeldt@lcfs.org



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SPONSORSHIP FORM

Please return this form by Friday, September 29, 2023 to LCFS Events, One Oakbrook Terrace, Suite 501, Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181. Our Tax ID # is 36-2167778. Sponsorships, reservations and donations can also be made online. Visit www.lcfs.org/HarvestFestival for details.

SPONSORSHIP LEVEL

- 150 Anniversary Sponsor **\$15,000** Presenting Sponsor **\$10,000** Platinum Sponsor **\$5,000**
 Gold Sponsor **\$2,500** Silver Sponsor **\$1,000** Bronze Sponsor **\$500** Friend Sponsor **\$250**

SPONSORSHIP BENEFITS

- My business would like all the sponsorship benefits.
 My business wants some of the sponsorship benefits, contact me at _____ to discuss.
 My business would like none of the sponsorship benefits, we wish to remain anonymous.

What is the website address and Facebook page you would like us to link to when possible?

Please email your business logo to mandy_widtfeldt@lcfs.org.

PURCHASE TICKETS

Presenting and Platinum sponsors receive some complimentary tickets (see benefits chart).

- _____ guests. See LCFS.org/harvestfestival for 2023 ticket prices.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Business Name _____ Contact Person _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ ZIP _____
Telephone _____ Email _____

PAYMENT

- Check enclosed Invoice Credit Card Check if a corporate card VISA MasterCard Discover Amex

Card Number _____ Exp. Date _____ 3-digit CVV _____ Amount _____

Name on Card _____ Signature _____

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