# Grow Your Corporate/Business Support



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Learn ways to identify, cultivate, and steward corporate and business partnerships. Win donor support by leveraging the things most important to them. Walk away with materials from two gardens sharing their sponsorship opportunities, corporate giving levels, and benefits.

### The North Carolina Arboretum







- Located just south of Asheville on 434 acres in the Southern Appalachian Mountains, The North Carolina Arboretum offers 65 acres of cultivated gardens, 10 miles of trails and has 10,000 household members and 500,000 visitors annually.
- The Arboretum is an affiliate of the University of North Carolina System and is supported by The North Carolina Arboretum Society with a combined annual budget of \$5.25M; our corporate and business support is more than \$200,000 annually.

### The Dallas Arboretum and Botanical Garden



▶ We are a 66-acre botanical garden in Dallas, Texas with a \$24 MM annual budget. We have 1 million visitors annually, 40,000 household members, and support from the corporate community is a little over \$1MM annually, with annual goal increases of \$100,000.

# What opportunities do you have for Corporate Support?

- Education (Adult/STEM)
- Exhibits
- Festivals
- Member Events
- High Level Donor events
- Automotive Sponsors
- Fundraising
- Unique Garden Activities
- Special Projects













































### 2019 Corporate Sponsorship Opportunities

| Date Opportunity Type             | Opportunity                               | Price            |
|-----------------------------------|---|------------------|
| Dallas Blooms                     | Presenting Sponsor                        | \$55,000         |
| Dallas Blooms                     | Automotive Sponsor                        | \$25,000         |
| Dallas Blooms                     | Mommy and Me Mondays                      | \$15,000         |
| Dallas Blooms                     | Tiny Tots Tuesdays                        | \$15,000         |
| Dallas Blooms                     | Senior Thursdays Sponsor                  | \$15,000         |
| Dallas Blooms                     | Picnic Blanket Floral Display             | \$10,000         |
| Dallas Blooms                     | Vase Topiary                              | \$10,000         |
| Dallas Blooms                     | Picnic Bakset Topiary                     | \$10,000         |
| Dallas Blooms                     | Pie Topiary                               | \$7,000          |
| Dallas Blooms                     | President's Day Weekend                   | \$5,000          |
| Dallas Blooms                     | Ant Topiary                               | \$5,000          |
| Dallas Blooms                     | Garden of Music                           | \$3,000          |
| Dallas Blooms                     | Spring Eddie Coker Kids' Concert          | \$2,750          |
| Dallas Blooms                     | Administrative Assistant Week             | \$2,000          |
| Summer at the Arboretum           | Family Fun Fridays                        | \$16,500         |
| Summer at the Arboretum           | August Dollar Days                        | \$15,000         |
| Summer at the Arboretum           | Memorial Day Weekend (Saturday—Monday)    | \$7,500          |
| Summer at the Arboretum           | Fourth of July Weekend (Saturday—Tuesday) | \$5,500          |
| Summer at the Arboretum           | Memorial Day Concert                      | \$5,000          |
| Summer at the Arboretum           | Mother's Day and Brunch                   | \$4,000          |
| Summer at the Arboretum           | Mother's Day Weekend (Friday/Saturday)    | \$3,750          |
| Summer at the Arboretum           | Garden of Music                           | \$3,000          |
| Summer at the Arboretum- Exhibit  | Presenting Sponsor                        | \$27,500         |
| Summer at the Arboretum- Exhibit  | Supporting Sponsor                        | \$5,000 each     |
| Summer at the Arboretum- Exhibit  | Special Music Entertainment               | \$5,000          |
| Summer at the Arboretum - Exhibit | Bronze Sculpture Sponsors (20 available)  | \$5,000-\$10,000 |

| Autumn at the Arboretum  | Presenting Sponsor                          | \$50,000           |
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| Autumn at the Arboretum  | Automotive Sponsor                          | \$30,000           |
| Autumn at the Arboretum  | Pumpkin Village                             | \$20,000           |
| Autumn at the Arboretum  | Senior Thursdays Sponsor                    | \$15,000           |
| Autumn at the Arboretum  | Mommy and Me Mondays                        | \$15,000           |
| Autumn at the Arboretum  | Tiny Tots Tuesdays                          | \$15,000           |
| Autumn at the Arboretum  | Family Fun Weekend                          | \$11,000           |
| Autumn at the Arboretum  | Columbus Day Weekend (Friday—Monday)        | \$10,000           |
| Autumn at the Arboretum  | Pumpkin House (3 left)                      | \$8,250 each       |
| Autumn at the Arboretum  | Thanksgiving Week (Sunday-Thursday)         | \$7,000            |
| Autumn at the Arboretum  | Columbus Day Children's Concert             | \$5,500            |
| Autumn at the Arboretum  | <del>Pumpkin Carriage</del>                 | <del>\$5,000</del> |
| Autumn at the Arboretum  | Veterans Day Weekend (Friday-Monday)        | \$5,000            |
| Autumn at the Arboretum  | Thanksgiving Weekend (Friday-Sunday)        | \$4,000            |
| Autumn at the Arboretum  | Garden of Music                             | \$3,000            |
| Holiday at the Arboretum | Presenting Sponsor                          | \$50,000           |
| Holiday at the Arboretum | Christmas Village House (8 left to sponsor) | \$10,000 each      |
| Holiday at the Arboretum | Christmas Village Entertainment Sponsor     | \$50,000           |
| Holiday at the Arboretum | Christmas Tree                              | \$11,000           |
| Holiday at the Arboretum | Music Presenting Sponsor                    | \$11,000           |
| Holiday at the Arboretum | Café on the Green                           | \$8,250            |
| Holiday at the Arboretum | Main Bar Sponsor                            | \$7,000            |
| Holiday at the Arboretum | Opening Night Sponsor                       | \$3,000            |
| Holiday at the Arboretum | Music Individual Sponsor (3)                | \$2,750            |
| Seated Teas              | Spring Tea                                  | \$5,500            |
| Seated Teas              | Harvest Tea                                 | \$5,500            |
| Seated Teas              | Holiday Tea                                 | \$5,500            |
| Seated Teas              | Summer Tea                                  | \$3,000            |
| Seated Teas              | Valentine's Day Week Tea                    | \$2,500            |
| Seated Teas              | Children's Tea                              | \$2,000            |

| Members Only Events              | Garden of Music (3 avaialable)                       | 6000 each       |
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| Members Only Events              | Goblins in the Garden (2 available)                  | \$3,000 each    |
| Members Only Events              | Sweets and Treats with Santa (3 available)           | \$3,000 each    |
| Members Only Events              | Easter Egg Hunt (3 available)                        | \$1,000 each    |
| Members Only Events              | Spring New Member Welcome Breakfast                  | \$3,000         |
| Members Only Events              | Summer New Member Welcome Breakfast                  | \$3,000         |
| Members Only Events              | Autumn New Member Welcome Breakfast                  | \$3,000         |
| Members Only Events              | Winter New Member Welcome Breakfast                  | \$3,000         |
| <b>Donor Appreciation Dinner</b> | Valet for Friends Dinner (1 left)                    | \$3,000 each    |
| Donor Appreciation Dinner        | Valet for Caroline Rose Hunt Society Dinner (1 left) | \$3,000 each    |
| Donor Appreciation Dinner        | Friends of the Arboretum Spring Dinner               | \$15,000        |
| Donor Appreciation Dinner        | Corporate Partners Spring Dinner                     | \$15,000        |
| Donor Appreciation Dinner        | Summer/Fall Caroline Rose Hunt Society Dinner        | \$15,000        |
| Donor Appreciation Dinner        | Friends of the Arboretum Holiday Party               | \$15,000        |
| Automotive                       | Blooms Automotive Sponsor (March – April)            | \$27,500        |
| Automotive                       | Autumn Automotive Sponsor (September—October         | \$20,000        |
| Automotive                       | Holiday Automotive (November-December)               | \$20,000        |
| Automotive                       | Summer Automotive Sponsor (May—July)                 | \$16,500        |
| Cool Thursdays Concerts          | Individual Concert Sponsor (23)                      | \$6,500-\$7,500 |
| Cool Thursdays Concerts          | Presenting Sponsor                                   | \$40,000        |
| Tour des Fleurs                  | Tour De Fleurs Water Station (8 available)           | \$1,000 each    |
| Tour des Fleurs                  | Presenting Sponsor                                   | \$30,000        |
| Tour des Fleurs                  | Platinum Sponsor                                     | \$15,000        |
| Tour des Fleurs                  | Medals   | \$11,000        |
| Tour des Fleurs                  | Gold Sponsor   | \$10,000        |
| Tour des Fleurs                  | Finisher Hats  | \$5,700         |
| Tour des Fleurs                  | Volunteer T-Shirts                                   | \$5,700         |
| Tour des Fleurs                  | Silver Sponsor                                       | \$5,000         |
| Tour des Fleurs                  | Mile Markers   | \$3,300         |
| Tour des Fleurs                  | Bottled Water  | \$3,300         |
| Tour des Fleurs                  | Recycling  | \$2,750         |
| Tour des Fleurs                  | Water Station Cups                                   | \$2,500         |
| Tour des Fleurs                  | Bronze Sponsor                                       | \$1,500         |
| Tour des Fleurs                  | Contributing Sponsor (unlimited to sell)             | \$750           |

| Artscape               | Title Sponsor                                  | \$50,000          |
|------------------------|--|-------------------|
| Artscape               | Presenting Sponsor                             | \$25,000          |
| Artscape               | Gates of Artscape                              | \$10,000          |
| Artscape               | University Zone                                | \$10,000          |
| Artscape               | DeGolyer Gallery                               | \$10,000          |
| Artscape               | Welcome Plaza                                  | \$10,000          |
| Artscape               | Children's Art Escape                          | \$5,000           |
| Artscape               | Door Prize Drawings                            | \$5,000           |
| Artscape               | Special Event                                  | \$5,000           |
| Artscape               | Stage Sponsor                                  | \$5,000           |
| Artscape               | Full Day Entertainment                         | \$2,500           |
| Artscape               | Food Court                                     | \$1,500           |
| Artscape               | University Booth                               | \$1,500           |
| Artscape               | Artscape Boulevard                             | \$1,500           |
| Artscape               | Artist Concierge Booth                         | \$1,000           |
| Artscape               | Picnic Area                                    | \$1,000           |
| Artscape               | Member Preview Entertainment                   | \$1,000           |
| Artscape               | Street Sponsor                                 | \$500             |
| Artscape               | Gate Prize Sponsor                             | \$250             |
| Food and Wine Festival | Lounge Furniture Sponsor, (3 available)        | \$1500 each       |
| Food and Wine Festival | Supporting Sponsors (multiple)                 | \$10,000 each     |
| Food and Wine Festival | Presenting Sponsor                             | \$30,000          |
| Food and Wine Festival | VIP Ticket Sponsor                             | \$15,000          |
| Food and Wine Festival | Wine Glass Sponsor                             | \$10,000          |
| Food and Wine Festival | Valet Sponsor                                  | \$6,000           |
| Food and Wine Festival | Wristband Sponsor                              | \$5,000           |
| Food and Wine Festival | Souvenir Plant Sponsor                         | \$5,000           |
| Food and Wine Festival | Garden Entertainment Sponsor                   | \$5,000           |
| Other                  | Named Day Program (including multiple options) | \$100-\$9,000     |
| Other                  | Corporate Partnership Program                  | \$1,000-\$10,000+ |
| Other                  | Parking Garage                                 | \$55,000          |
| Other                  | Membership Program Sponsor                     | \$40,000          |
| Other                  | One Mile Fitness Trail Presenting Sponsor      | \$11,000          |
| Other                  | Tram Transportation System, 12 Months          | \$10,000          |
| Other                  | Tram Transportation System, 6 Months           | \$5,500           |

| Children's Education           | Presenting Sponsor                        | \$50,000 |
|--------------------------------|---|----------|
| Children's Education- Off-Site | Nature Naturally                          | \$40,000 |
| Children's Education- Off-Site | After School Programs                     | \$15,000 |
| Children's Education- Off-Site | Auditorium Programs                       | \$10,000 |
| Children's Education- Off-Site | Summer School (CSI)                       | \$5,000  |
| Children's Education- On-Site  | Classroom Labs                            | \$40,000 |
| Children's Education- On-Site  | STEM camps                                | \$20,000 |
| Children's Education- On-Site  | Professional Development                  | \$10,000 |
| Children's Education- On-Site  | Overnights                                | \$7,500  |
| Children's Education- On-Site  | Girl Scouts                               | \$5,000  |
| Children's Education- On-Site  | Open House                                | \$5,000  |
| STEM Children's Education      | General Support                           | \$2500+  |
| Children's Education- RMCAG    | Presenting Sponsor                        | \$50,000 |
| Children's Education- RMCAG    | Discovery Center Programming Sponsor      | 38500    |
| Children's Education- RMCAG    | Texas Native Wetlands Programming Sponsor | \$38,500 |
| Children's Education- RMCAG    | Pure Energy Programming Sponsor           | \$22,000 |
| Children's Education- RMCAG    | Habitats Programming Sponsor              | \$22,000 |
| Children's Education- RMCAG    | Plants are Alive Programming Sponsor      | \$22,000 |
| Children's Education- RMCAG    | Earth Cycles Programming Sponsor          | \$16,500 |
| Children's Education- RMCAG    | Kaleidoscope Programming Sponsor          | \$16,500 |
| Children's Education- RMCAG    | Living Cycles Programming Sponsor         | \$16,500 |



### Community Partnership Program 2019-2020 Opportunities







Thousands of people visit The North Carolina Arboretum each year to gain insight into their connection with all living things – and they leave with a revitalized spirit of stewardship for the earth. Become an Arboretum Community Partner and share our journey to a healthier, more vibrant, and more responsible community.

A strategic engagement with The North Carolina Arboretum honors the natural beauty and heritage of the region and provides endless opportunities for enrichment while furthering your business objectives.

Through a Community Partnership with The North Carolina Arboretum Society, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, you will enjoy:

- Increased civic profile through association with a premiere attraction
- Maximized exposure and benefits through marketing presence and public relations
- Enhanced brand awareness
- Expanded community involvement with a loyal Arboretum audience

As an Arboretum supporter, you will be recognized as a champion for education and an environmental steward — it's a natural partnership.

#### **Community Partnership Information**

The North Carolina Arboretum offers many ways to align your business's interests with more than 500,000 annual visitors and more than 10,000 member households and is recognized as a destination for national and regional visitors seeking diverse recreation options and a unique experience in the Asheville area. In addition to Arboretum-wide sponsorship benefits and recognition, Community Partners often focus their attention and exposure on particular aspects of the Arboretum's operations and programs that best align their business interests and activities. These include:

- Educational Programs for Adults and Youth
- Exhibits and Winter Lights
- New Projects like Willow Pond
- Member Programs and Special Events
- · Volunteer Programs
- · Greenhouses and Gardens
- Trailheads, Trails and Garden Walks
- In-kind Support

#### Arboretum Demographics:

- 500,000+ visitors annually
- 440,000+ website hits annually

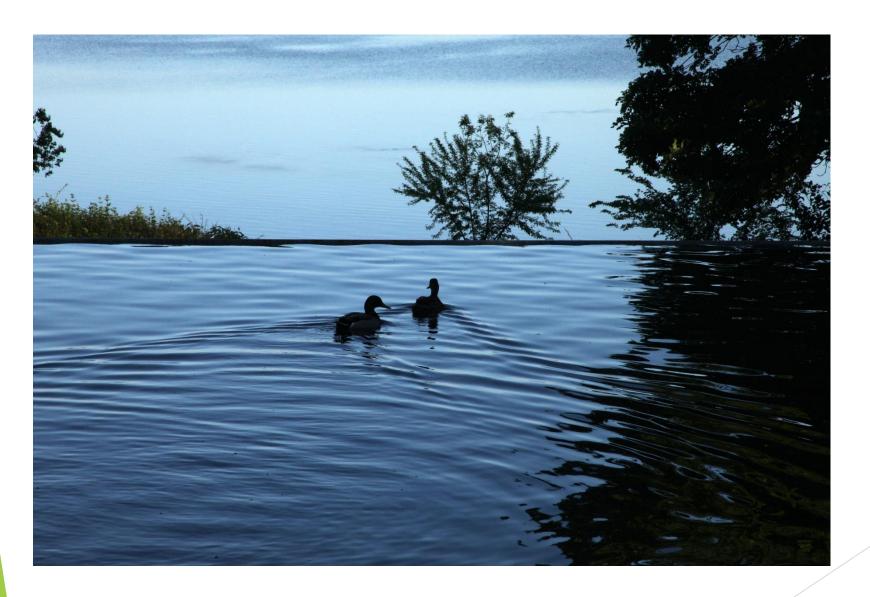
- 10,000+ member households
- 30,000+ social media followers
- 31,000+ adults and students reached through education programming annually
  - o Top 5 member zip codes: 28803, 28806, 28804, 28704, 28805
  - o Top 5 member counties: Buncombe, Henderson, Transylvania, Haywood, Polk

# Opportunity for Corporate Support TAKE-AWAY:

- Opportunities are everywhere. Get creative!
- Prioritize your organization's needs first.
- Consistency in benefits and recognition.

# What Do Corporate/Business Donors Want?

Philanthropic Match to Organization's Goals



▶ Brand Exposure to your audience













The North Carolina Arboretum's Community Partners include a variety of community-minded businesses and organizations that are committed to the Arboretum's mission of cultivating connections between people and plants. Read on to find out more about the Arboretum's current Community Partners and the benefits of becoming a Community Partner of The North Carolina Arboretum.

#### Visionary Community Partners

CITIZEN-TIMES ASHEVILLE













































Benefits



### Community Partnership Program 2019-2020 Opportunities

#### Community Partner Opportunities & Benefits

|   | Contribution Level     |                           |                              |                              |
|---|------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Benefit/Area of Exposure  | Visionary<br>\$10,000+ | Leader<br>\$5,000-\$9,999 | Advocate<br>\$2,500- \$4,999 | Supporter<br>\$1,000-\$2,499 |
| Exclusivity for business type for sponsored program   | ✓                      |                           |                              |                              |
| Community Partner Leader &<br>Visionary Level banner  | Logo                   | Logo                      |                              |                              |
| Discount on corporate space rental at the Arboretum (25%)                                       | ✓                      | ✓                         |                              |                              |
| Business name on Grand Garden<br>Promenade lamppost banners                                     | ✓                      | ✓                         |                              |                              |
| Invitation for guest post on Arboretum's blog Sprout  | ✓                      | ✓                         | ✓                            |                              |
| Arboretum website Community Partner page  | Logo & Link            | Logo & Link               | Name & Link                  | Name                         |
| Recognition on selected Program<br>Signs &/or Publications                                      | ✓                      | ✓                         | ✓                            | ✓                            |
| Business name in Arboretum newsletter <i>GROW</i> (3 times/year)                                | ✓                      | ✓                         | <b>✓</b>                     | ✓                            |
| Included in select member<br>e-newsletter, publicity and social<br>media (Business name & Link) | <b>√</b>               | <b>√</b>                  | ✓                            | <b>√</b>                     |
| Complimentary Arboretum membership(s)   | 10                     | 6                         | 4                            | 2                            |

For more information about Community Partnership opportunities please contact:

Winnie Hough, Community Partner Program Manager

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#### 2019 Annual Corporate Sponsorship Benefits

#### Sponsorships of more than \$100,000

► The Dallas Arboretum will be pleased to work with the donor to design a custom benefit package.

#### \$100,000 Sponsorship

- Promotional sponsorship opportunities: in press releases for sponsored event, on promotional materials for sponsored event and corporate signage at the Arboretum plaza entrance (gift must be received by print deadline)
- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly newsletter
- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly entertainment guide
- Sponsorship recognition on Arboretum website
- Complimentary rental of DeGolyer House, Rosine Hall, or the Camp House (Sunday through Thursday, as available) for up to 200 guests
- ▶ 15 one-year complimentary Family memberships, including year-round admission for up to 6 people per visit per membership and complimentary parking
- ▶ 1,000 complimentary Arboretum admission passes
- ▶ 10 complimentary invitations to the annual Corporate Appreciation Dinner
- Employee volunteer opportunities

#### \$75,000 Sponsorship

- ▶ Promotional sponsorship opportunities: in press releases for sponsored event, on promotional materials for sponsored event and corporate signage at the Arboretum plaza entrance (gift must be received by print deadline)
- ► Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly newsletter
- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly entertainment guide
- Sponsorship recognition on Arboretum website
- ► Complimentary rental of DeGolyer House, Rosine Hall, or the Camp House (Sunday through Thursday, as available) for up to 200 guests
- ▶ 15 one-year complimentary Family memberships, including year-round admission for up to 6 people per visit per membership and complimentary parking
- ▶ 750 complimentary Arboretum admission passes
- ▶ 10 complimentary invitations to the annual Corporate Appreciation Dinner
- ► Employee volunteer opportunities

#### \$50,000 Sponsorship

- ▶ Promotional sponsorship opportunities: in press releases for sponsored event, on promotional materials for sponsored event and corporate signage at the Arboretum plaza entrance (gift must be received by print deadline)
- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly newsletter
- ▶ Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly entertainment guide
- Sponsorship recognition on Arboretum website
- ► Complimentary rental of DeGolyer House, Rosine Hall, or the Camp House (Sunday through Thursday, as available) for up to 200 guests
- ▶ 12 one-year complimentary Family memberships, including year-round admission for up to 6 people per visit per membership and complimentary parking
- ▶ 500 complimentary Arboretum admission passes
- ▶ 10 complimentary invitations to the annual Corporate Appreciation Dinner
- Employee volunteer opportunities

#### \$25,000 Sponsorship

- Promotional sponsorship opportunities: in press releases for sponsored event, on promotional materials for sponsored event and corporate signage at the Arboretum plaza entrance (gift must be received by print deadline)
- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly newsletter
- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly entertainment guide
- Sponsorship recognition on Arboretum website
- ► Complimentary rental of DeGolyer House, Rosine Hall, or the Camp House (Sunday through Thursday, as available) for up to 200 guests
- ▶ 10 one-year complimentary Family memberships, including year-round admission for up to 6 people per visit per membership and complimentary parking
- 250 complimentary Arboretum admission passes
- ▶ 10 complimentary invitations to the annual Corporate Appreciation Dinner
- Employee volunteer opportunities

#### \$20,000 Sponsorship

- ▶ Promotional sponsorship opportunities: in press releases for sponsored event, on promotional materials for sponsored event and corporate signage at the Arboretum plaza entrance (gift must be received by print deadline)
- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly newsletter
- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly entertainment guide
- Sponsorship recognition on Arboretum website
- Complimentary rental of DeGolyer House, Rosine Hall, or the Camp House (Sunday through Thursday, as available) for up to 200 guests
- ▶ 8 one-year complimentary Family memberships, including year-round admission for up to 6 people per visit per membership and complimentary parking
- ▶ 250 complimentary Arboretum admission passes
- ▶ 10 complimentary invitations to the annual Corporate Appreciation Dinner
- ► Employee volunteer opportunities

#### \$15,000 Sponsorship

- ▶ Promotional sponsorship opportunities: in press releases for sponsored event, on promotional materials for sponsored event and corporate signage at the Arboretum plaza entrance (gift must be received by print deadline)
- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly newsletter
- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly entertainment guide
- Sponsorship recognition on Arboretum website
- Complimentary rental of the Camp House or Rosine Hall (Sunday through Thursday, as available) up to 200 guests
- ▶ 8 one-year complimentary Family memberships, including year-round admission for up to 6 people per visit per membership and complimentary parking
- ► 150 complimentary Arboretum admission passes
- ▶ 10 complimentary invitations to the annual Corporate Appreciation Dinner
- Employee volunteer opportunities

#### \$10,000 Sponsorship

- ▶ Promotional sponsorship opportunities: in press releases for sponsored event, on promotional materials for sponsored event and corporate signage at the Arboretum plaza entrance (gift must be received by print deadline)
- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly newsletter
- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly entertainment guide
- Sponsorship recognition on Arboretum website
- Complimentary rental of the Camp House or Rosine Hall (Sunday through Thursday, as available) up to 200 guests
- ▶ 8 one-year complimentary Family memberships, including year-round admission for up to 6 people per visit per membership and complimentary parking
- ▶ 100 complimentary Arboretum admission passes
- ▶ 8 complimentary invitations to the annual Corporate Appreciation Dinner
- ► Employee volunteer opportunities

#### \$5,000 Sponsorship

- ▶ Promotional sponsorship opportunities: in press releases for sponsored event, on promotional materials for sponsored event and corporate signage at the Arboretum plaza entrance (gift must be received by print deadline)
- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly newsletter
- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly entertainment guide
- Sponsorship recognition on Arboretum website
- Complimentary rental of the Camp House or Rosine Hall (Sunday through Thursday, as available) up to 200 guests
- ► 6 one-year complimentary Family memberships, including year-round admission for up to 6 people per visit per membership and complimentary parking
- 50-complimentary Arboretum admission passes
- 5 complimentary invitations to the annual Corporate Appreciation Dinner
- Employee volunteer opportunities

#### \$2,500 Sponsorship

- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly newsletter
- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly entertainment guide
- Sponsorship recognition on Arboretum website
- 4 one-year complimentary Family memberships, including year-round admission for up to 6 people per visit per membership and complimentary parking
- 25-complimentary Arboretum admission passes

#### \$1,500 Sponsorship

- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly newsletter
- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly entertainment guide
- Sponsorship recognition on Arboretum website
- ▶ 2 one-year complimentary Family memberships, including year-round admission for up to 6 people per visit per membership and complimentary parking
- 25-complimentary Arboretum admission passes
- ► Employee volunteer opportunities

#### \$1,000 Sponsorship

- ▶ Donor recognition in Arboretum newsletter
- Sponsorship recognition in Arboretum quarterly entertainment guide
- Sponsorship recognition on Arboretum website
- ▶ 1 one-year complimentary Family memberships, including year-round admission for up to 6 people per visit per membership and complimentary parking
- ▶ 10 complimentary Arboretum admission passes
- ► Employee volunteer opportunities

#### \$500 Sponsorship

- ▶ 6 complimentary Arboretum admission passes
- Employee volunteer opportunities

#### **ADDITIONAL CHARGES:**

- ► Rental site planning manager: \$50
- ► Set-up fee: Depend on size of group, the venue and set-up complexity
- ► Event facilitator(s): \$28 per hour for a minimum of two hours; required for event setup, duration and breakdown.
- ► Rental of tables and chairs requested by the client that are not available from the Arboretum's inventory at the specific venue site.
- Rental of linens.
- Rental of equipment not included in the Arboretum's inventory, at market rate.
- ► Gate attendant: \$28 per hour for a minimum of two hours.
- ▶ Dallas Police Department officer: \$55 per hour for a minimum of four hours; required for evening events or events at which alcohol is served.
- ➤ Valet parking for events at the Camp House with more than 75 guests: \$28 per valet attendant per hour, minimum of 4 hours per valet Client must use Dallas Arboretum approved catering; venue may have food/beverage restrictions.



### An Investment in the Dallas Arboretum Provides the Best Return in the City

The Dallas Arboretum is one of the top 10 display gardens in North America, and now we're growing even bigger and better. Last year, the Arboretum's education programs provided nearly 110,000 children with earth, life and environmental science programs. We won recognition for economic impact, community leadership and public events. In 2018, the Dallas Arboretum welcomed more than 980,000 visitors to the garden. It's the perfect time to plant your brand in the full sun of North Texas' most beloved family destination – and watch it grow with us.

#### Our Audience is demographically desirable for you:

- 980,000 plus annual visitors
- 38,000 active, engaged member households with average household income of \$100-\$149k annually
- $\bullet$  540,000 website average hits per month; 150,000 unique website visitors
- Over 200,000 Facebook followers
- 1.8 billion annual media impressions
- 72% of our visitors are college graduates

#### ■ When you give to us, you also join other committed businesses and individuals:

- Some sponsors want opportunities to entertain clients, host events and celebrate employees.
- Others want opportunities for corporate volunteers which include group projects, as well as rewarding membership on important standing committees covering all aspects of the Arboretum.

#### ■ We keep winning awards and gaining national attention:

- 15 Breathtaking Botanical Gardens in the World Architectural Digest
- · One of the South's Best Botanical Gardens- Southern Living Magazine
- Top 10 U.S. Pumpkin Patches" The Travel Channel
- Economic impact of the Dallas Arboretum in the Dallas community of \$92.2 million in 2015 and \$105 million in 2016, a 61% INCREASE from 2013.
- Sponsorship opportunities include beloved festivals such as Dallas Blooms and Autumn at the Arboretum, plus Dallas' favorite holiday tradition, The 12 Days of Christmas.
- Have operated in the black for 24 years.

#### Our Education Programs are among the best in the country but also helping the underserved:

- The internationally acclaimed Rory Meyers Children's Adventure Garden attracted almost 100,000 in 2018 for formal science studies (life and earth Science K-6) and family-friendly programs.
- Our education programs reach thousands of at-risk students with evidence-based science enrichment programming, backed by an evaluation study by the Center on Research and Evaluation at SMU's Simmons School of Education.
- Corporate underwriting helps us provide discounted or free admission, programming and transportation for students. Other generous funders provide support for our new Jonesville Pathway to Science Education (JPSE) program, which works with over 2,800 3rd-5th grade Dallas ISD students per year to provide STEM rich lessons and field trips.

#### Contact Brittany Endlich, Corporate Giving Manager, at 214-515-6552 or bendlich@dallasarboretum.org.

There are opportunities for giving at \$500 or \$1,000 a year, or sponsorships at \$2,500 and higher with greater promotion available for increased giving.

#### CORPORATE COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Stefani Carter

Adrian Killebrow, AKXESS

Alan Walne, Harb's Point and Body

Andrea Russell, Religiot

Cameron Cooper (2018 Chair), Regions Bank

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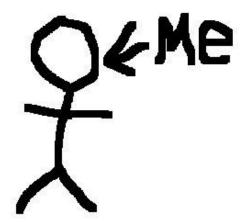
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# What Do Donors Want TAKE-AWAY:

- Get to know them.
- Align your opportunities up with THEIR interests.

# How To Identify Corporate Sponsors















# Identifying Corporate Sponsors <u>TAKE-AWAY:</u>

- ► They self identify everywhere:
  - Programs/buildings/billboards/magazines/blogs
- Get help from others outside of your department.

# Ways to Cultivate

- Know the Donor (decision maker/department driving decision)
- What are their giving pillars
- What is their source of giving (corporate or foundation?)
- Who else do they support and at what level?
- Connecting your garden with their decision maker/committee (Bring the expert or ally to this meeting)
- Timeline for requesting support?

### Ways to Steward

Benefit Fulfillment

**Golf Cart Tour** 

Communicate about 'mentions' or 'events'

Host Committee Meetings

Scheduled Touchpoints

Communicate Everything



# Ways to Cultivate/Steward TAKE-AWAY:

- Master tracking system with pre-planned touchpoints
- ► Getting the gift is not enough. THANK AND SHOW IMPACT!

# Asking For the Next Gift

- NEVER ASK FOR NEXT GIFT UNTIL YOU THANK THEM!
- Consider sharing these:
  - Genuine Thank You!
  - The way the gift made a difference.
  - ▶ The # of people that attended event.
  - ▶ The amount of revenue the event made for the garden.
  - ▶ The # of visitors that attended the festival.
  - The # of media impressions.
  - ► The # of website visits to their logo.
  - Placement of advertising and promotion.

## Summary

- What are your opportunities for sponsorships?
- What do corporations want?
- How do you identify businesses/corporations that are a match?
- How do you cultivate businesses?
- What are ways in which you steward your donors?
- ► How and when do you ask for the next gift?

# QUESTIONS?

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