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## **National Philanthropy Day<sup>®</sup>**

# **Sponsorship Packet**

**Monday, November 23, 2026**

**11:30 AM-1:00 PM**

**Grandover Resort**

**1000 Club Rd.**

**Greensboro, NC 27407**

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Dear Friend,

On November 23, 2026, the North Carolina Triad Chapter of the Association of Fundraising Professionals (AFP) will host its annual National Philanthropy Day Luncheon at the Grandover Resort in Greensboro, NC. Each year, this event honors individuals and organizations across the Triad that have made significant contributions through their leadership, volunteer service, and philanthropy.

The luncheon brings together community leaders, business professionals, non-profit organizations, and honorees in celebration of the spirit of giving that is alive and well in the Triad. We will recognize recipients in the following categories:

- Lifetime Achievement in Philanthropy
- Legacy of Philanthropic Impact
- Champion of Diversity
- Outstanding Philanthropist
- Outstanding Business in Philanthropy
- Outstanding Philanthropic Organization
- Outstanding Emerging Philanthropist
- Outstanding Youth in Philanthropy
- Outstanding Volunteer Fundraiser
- Outstanding Fundraising Professional

Each honoree receives two complimentary tickets! We invite you to join us as a sponsor this year as we recognize individuals and organizations that are “Changing the Triad with a Giving Heart.” The attached information packet highlights our National Philanthropy Day sponsorship levels. Your investment will honor and celebrate those who have enriched the Triad through their giving, volunteerism, or professional service.

Please feel free to reach out to one of us if you have questions. You may also visit [afptriadchapter.org/nationalphilanthropyday](http://afptriadchapter.org/nationalphilanthropyday) for more information. Thank you for your consideration and for all that you and your colleagues are doing by “Changing the Triad with a Giving Heart.”

Sincerely,

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## SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

SPONSOR BENEFITS	PRESENTING SPONSOR \$5,000	GOLD SPONSOR \$2,500	SILVER SPONSOR \$1,250	TABLE SPONSOR \$750	GIVING HEART SPONSOR \$250
Recognition from Stage	YES	YES	YES		
NPD Event Signage	PREMIUM	YES	YES		
“Spirit of Philanthropy” Honoree	2	1	1	1	1
Reserved Seating at NPD Luncheon	2 TABLES (16 SEATS)	1 TABLE (8 SEATS)	1 TABLE (8 SEATS)	1 TABLE (8 SEATS)	2 SEATS
Sponsorship Recognition at Table	YES	YES	YES	YES	
NPD Email Invitation Presence	NAME & LOGO	NAME & LOGO	NAME	NAME	
NPD Event Program Presence	FULL PAGE	FULL PAGE	HALF PAGE	NAME	NAME
AFP Website Presence	PROFILE & LINK	NAME & LOGO	NAME	NAME	
AFP Chapter Monthly Email Presence	LOGO & LINK	NAME & LINK	NAME		

**Additional seats are available for purchase (2 max per table) at \$75 per ticket. Max seats per table is 10.**

As an official sponsor of the Triad's National Philanthropy Day event, you will have the opportunity to recognize someone special from your organization as a “Spirit of Philanthropy” Honoree. Honorees may be an individual or couple who you would like to recognize for their dedication and support of your organization. Honorees will be recognized on the website, in print media, and with a premier award, which you will be able to present at time and place that best honors your recipient and organization.

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## National Philanthropy Day<sup>®</sup> SPONSORSHIP AGREEMENT

Name of Sponsor, Company, or Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Name as it should appear in print: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone & Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Selected Sponsorship Level:

\_\_\_\_\_ Presenting Sponsorship \$5,000

\_\_\_\_\_ Gold Sponsorship \$2,500

\_\_\_\_\_ Silver Sponsorship \$1,250

\_\_\_\_\_ Table of Philanthropy Sponsorship \$750

\_\_\_\_\_ Giving Heart Sponsorship \$250

\_\_\_\_\_ \*We will recognize a Spirit of Philanthropy Honoree

\_\_\_\_\_ \*\*We would like to purchase \_\_\_\_\_ additional seats (2 max per table) at \$75 per ticket. Max seats per table is 10.

\*This selection differs from previously nominated honorees and can be added to any sponsorship or selected as an individual item.

\*\*This selection allows sponsorships that include tables to purchase additional seats.

Name of Honoree(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Sponsor Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Please send me an invoice for payment

Please remit payment to: AFP – NC Triad  
Send to: Alyssa Fuentes  
AFP – NC Triad Chapter  
PO Box 92  
Kernersville, NC 27285  
afptriad@gmail.com

Upon receipt of this agreement, a member of the National Philanthropy Day Planning Committee will contact you regarding additional details and required information.

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## SAMPLE MARKETING

### Press Release Sample



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

##### The Association of Fundraising Professionals Honors Triad-Area Philanthropists

The Triad Chapter of the Association of Fundraising Professionals is pleased to announce the 2022 National Philanthropy Day Award Recipients. Their philanthropic contributions to the Triad community will be celebrated on November 21, 2022, at Grandover Resort and Conference Center.

National Philanthropy Day, presented by Fox8, UNC Greensboro, Cone Health, and the Association of Fundraising Professionals Triad Chapter, celebrates the many contributions of philanthropists from across the Triad, recognizing individuals, businesses, families, foundations, and organizations who are "Changing the Triad with a Giving Heart." For more information or to purchase tickets, please visit <https://www.afptriadchapter.org/npd2022>.

##### 2022 National Philanthropy Day award recipients include:

###### Lifetime Achievement in Philanthropy

Dale E. "Dek" Driscoll

###### Outstanding Philanthropist - Greensboro

Mae Douglas

###### Outstanding Philanthropist - High Point

Jordan Washburn

###### Outstanding Philanthropist - Winston-Salem

Kay Donahue

###### Inclusion, Diversity, Equity and Access (IDEA) Award - Winston-Salem

Ercell and Linda Tate

###### Inclusion, Diversity, Equity and Access (IDEA) Award - Greensboro

AARP NC

###### Outstanding Emerging Philanthropist

Stephanie Wilkerson

###### Outstanding Fundraising Professional

Beth Fischer

###### Outstanding Youth in Philanthropy

Lexi Olive

###### Outstanding Business in Philanthropy - Greensboro

Pest Management Systems, Inc.

###### Outstanding Business in Philanthropy - Winston-Salem

Truliant Federal Credit Union

###### Outstanding Philanthropic Organization

The Leon Levine Foundation

###### Outstanding Volunteer Fundraiser - Greensboro

Amy Meinecke

###### Outstanding Volunteer Fundraiser - Winston-Salem

Capital Campaign Tri-Chairs - Danny Newcomb, Anc Newman, and Jason Wenker

###### Outstanding Volunteer Fundraiser - Randolph County

Joy Hicks

##### National Philanthropy Day 2022 is supported by these generous sponsors:

###### **Presenting**

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###### **Spirit of Philanthropy**

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***About AFP Triad:** The Triad Chapter of the Association of Fundraising Professionals is committed to fostering the professional development and growth of fundraising executives in the Triad region of North Carolina. Our national association represents thousands of fundraisers throughout the world. The AFP Triad Chapter promotes the highest professionalism and accountability in philanthropic fundraising. Members are distinguished by altruistic service to the mission of their organization. With nearly 150 active members, the AFP Triad Chapter hosts monthly educational luncheons and an annual conference. Its membership network offers an impressive depth of industry expertise and peer support.*

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Association of Fundraising Professionals NC Triad Chapter

**MISSION STATEMENT**  
 The NC Triad Chapter of the Association of Fundraising Professionals serves as the regional portal for advancing philanthropy by promoting:

- Professional Development
- Best Practices
- Ethical Standards

**GOALS**  
 Search for your next position or post a job opening on the AFP Triad Chapter website: [www.afptriadchapter.org](http://www.afptriadchapter.org) or call our office for assistance.  
 AFP members have access to the national job openings site.



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 1991

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 Winston-Salem, Greensboro, High Point, Burlington, Asheville, Thomasville, and all other surrounding towns and communities.

## NC Triad Chapter of the Association of Fundraising Professionals

### ABOUT THE ORGANIZATION

The North Carolina Triad Chapter of the Association of Fundraising Professionals promotes philanthropic support for organizations and causes across the Triad. Through the highest professional standards and accountability, members of the organization serve to connect community support and resources to organizations of all ages and sizes in fulfillment of their mission. The NC Triad Chapter has nearly 150 members with an impressive depth of industry expertise. The Chapter hosts a variety of educational and networking activities throughout the year published online at [www.afptriadchapter.org](http://www.afptriadchapter.org).



### MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS: BEST PROFESSIONAL VALUE IN THE TRIAD

Membership in the NC Triad Chapter of AFP comes with a variety of benefits that are useful and helpful to fundraising professionals from nonprofits and philanthropic organizations of all sizes. Benefits include:

- Educational Events** - Hosted monthly, these fun, informative educational meetings help busy working fundraising professionals hone their skills and connect with peers. Topics vary and are announced in advance. Registration fees are discounted for members.
- Webinar Series** - The AFP Webinar Series offers evening of AFP educational webinars on a variety of topics. Registration fees are discounted for AFP members.
- Members-Only Networking Events** - Bringing fundraising professionals together for in-person, after-work networking events, these networking events help members connect with peers for information sharing and support. Events are held throughout the year at locations across the Triad and are only open to Chapter members.
- Mentor Program** - The Chapter's Mentor program provides a one-

on-one opportunity for new fundraising professionals to connect with professionals with extensive experience in philanthropy. The mentor program is only available to Chapter members.

**North Carolina Philanthropy Conference** - This annual conference provides an opportunity for professional development, networking and connection with national experts and fundraising peers across the state. Registration discounts are available for AFP members.

**National Philanthropy Day** - Each year, the Chapter hosts a celebration of philanthropy and giving across the Triad, recognizing those individuals who are "Changing the Triad with a Giving Heart."

**Leadership Development** - Through service on the Chapter Board of Directors or a working chapter committee, members can connect with peers and develop professional leadership skills.

**Membership information is available online at [www.afptriadchapter.org](http://www.afptriadchapter.org)**

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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**BE INSPIRED**  
**NOVEMBER 21**  
**11:30-1:00**

**Grandover Resort and Conference Center**  
 1000 Club Road, Greensboro, NC 27407

For more information and to purchase an individual ticket, please visit [afptriadchapter.org](http://afptriadchapter.org)

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**Announces the following honorees:**

<p><b>Lifetime Achievement in Philanthropy</b>  <b>Dale E. "Dek" Driscoll</b>                  Nominated by Senior Services, Inc. and Centenary United Methodist Church</p> <p><b>Outstanding Philanthropist - Greensboro</b>  <b>Mae Douglas</b>                  Nominated by Cone Health, United Way of Greater Greensboro, The University of North Carolina at Greensboro, and Community Foundation of Greater Greensboro</p> <p><b>Outstanding Philanthropist - High Point</b>  <b>Jordan Washburn</b>                  Nominated by Victory Junction</p> <p><b>Outstanding Philanthropist - Winston-Salem</b>  <b>Key Denahue</b>                  Nominated by Novant Health Foundation and Salvation Army</p> <p><b>Inclusion, Diversity, Equity and Access (IDEA) Award</b>  <b>AAFP NC</b>                  Nominated by AuthoraCare Collective</p> <p><b>Inclusion, Diversity, Equity and Access (IDEA) Award</b>                  Winston-Salem  <b>Erceal and Linda Tate</b>                  Nominated by Wake Forest University School of Medicine</p> <p><b>Outstanding Volunteer Fundraiser</b>                  Greensboro  <b>Amy Meisack</b>                  Nominated by Habitat for Humanity of Greensboro and Restoration Place Counseling</p> <p><b>Outstanding Volunteer Fundraiser</b>                  Randolph County  <b>Joy Hicks</b>                  Nominated by Cone Health</p>	<p><b>Outstanding Volunteer Fundraiser</b>                  Winston-Salem  <b>Capital Campaign Tri-Chairs</b>  <b>Danny Newcomb, Ane Newman and Jason Wender</b>                  Nominated by Crosby Scholars Community Partnership</p> <p><b>Outstanding Philanthropic Organization</b>  <b>The Leon Levine Foundation</b>                  Nominated by Family Services of Forsyth County, Second Harvest Food Bank of Northwest NC, and Senior Services, Inc.</p> <p><b>Outstanding Business in Philanthropy</b>                  Greensboro  <b>Pest Management Systems, Inc.</b>                  Nominated by Habitat for Humanity of Greensboro, Greensboro Science Center and AuthoraCare Collective</p> <p><b>Outstanding Business in Philanthropy</b>                  Winston-Salem  <b>Truliant Federal Credit Union</b>                  Nominated by Novant Health Foundation</p> <p><b>Outstanding Fundraising Professional</b>                  Nominated by the University of North Carolina at Greensboro  <b>Stephanie Wilkerson</b>                  Nominated by Victory Junction</p> <p><b>Outstanding Youth in Philanthropy</b>                  Nominated by Crisis Control Ministry</p>
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