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**10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary  
Celebration  
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Dear Bath Community Fund Supporter,

As advisory board members and volunteers for Bath Community Fund, we would like to personally invite you to our 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration, which will take place Friday, Aug. 1, 2025, at 6 p.m. at the DoubleTree by Hilton Akron Fairlawn. Guests will enjoy appetizers, a plated dinner, dessert, beverages, and an inspiring program highlighting the fund's grant recipients. We'll also celebrate the success of our ongoing endowment-building campaign and share an exclusive first look at plans for the fund's future.

Bath Community Fund annually awards grants to nonprofit organizations that preserve the township's historical and environmental legacy, enhance the local arts and culture landscape, serve youth through education and recreation, and meet residents' social service needs. Recent grants have supported the Music at Bath Concert Series, funded infrastructure improvements in our parks, and supported experiential learning programs at the Bath Nature Preserve and Hale Farm & Village. Altogether, the fund has reinvested more than \$300,000 into local causes that enrich the quality of life of all Bath residents since it was founded in 2014. Proceeds from the event will help us continue to strengthen the Bath community for current and future generations.

We encourage you to make a lasting difference in our community by becoming an event sponsor. This is an excellent opportunity to show your support for our tight-knit community and help us build a brighter future for the next generation.

Enclosed is a list of sponsorship opportunities for your consideration. For more information, please contact Affiliate Fund Event & Volunteer Coordinator Malia Rivera-Speer at 330-436-5649 or [mrivera@akroncf.org](mailto:mrivera@akroncf.org). Thank you for your generosity!

Please respond by June 6 to ensure full recognition in all promotional materials.

Sincerely,

Rev. Mark Frey  
Chair  
Bath Community Fund Advisory Board

Jody Konstand  
Founding Donor and Former Chair  
Bath Community Fund Advisory Board



**STRENGTHENING THE BATH COMMUNITY FOR CURRENT AND FUTURE GENERATIONS**

**Aug. 1, 2025 at 6 p.m. at the DoubleTree by Hilton Akron Fairlawn**

## **Sponsorship Opportunities**

### **☐ Lead Sponsor: \$10,000** (\$9,280 is tax deductible)

- Admission and prominent seating for a table of eight guests, including appetizers, a plated dinner, dessert and two drink tickets per guest
- Special recognition during the event, including the opportunity to speak during the program
- Your name/logo prominently featured as the Lead Sponsor in all promotional materials, including advertisements, press release, event registration site, invitation and emails
- Your name/logo prominently featured as the Lead Sponsor in event materials, including program and presentation
- A post acknowledging your support on Bath Community Fund's Facebook page

### **☐ Celebration Sponsor: \$5,000** (\$4,280 is tax deductible)

- Admission for a table of eight guests, including appetizers, a plated dinner, dessert and two drink tickets per guest
- Special recognition during the event
- Your name/logo featured in promotional materials, including press release, event registration site, invitation and emails
- Your name/logo featured in event materials, including program and presentation
- A post acknowledging your support on Bath Community Fund's Facebook page

### **☐ Community Sponsor: \$2,500** (\$2,140 is tax deductible)

- Admission for four guests, including appetizers, a plated dinner, dessert and two drink tickets per guest
- Your name featured in promotional materials, including press release and event registration site
- Your name featured in event materials, including program and presentation
- A post acknowledging your support on Bath Community Fund's Facebook page

### **☐ Anniversary Sponsor: \$1,000** (\$820 is tax deductible)

- Admission for two guests, including appetizers, a plated dinner, dessert and two drink tickets per guest
- Your name featured in event materials, including program and presentation
- A post acknowledging your support on Bath Community Fund's Facebook page

### **☐ Patron Sponsor: \$250** (\$160 is tax deductible)

- Admission for one guest, including appetizers, a plated dinner, dessert and two drink tickets
- Your name featured in the event program

*(See reverse)*

Please print your name as you wish it to appear in event materials:  I wish to remain anonymous.

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Name(s)/Organization

Contact Name (if different)

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Street Address

City/State/Zip

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Phone

Email

## Payment Options

### 1. Online

Fill out this sponsorship form online at [akroncf.org/BCF10thAnniversary-Sponsorship](http://akroncf.org/BCF10thAnniversary-Sponsorship) and email the completed form to [mrivera@akroncf.org](mailto:mrivera@akroncf.org).

### 2. Credit Card *(circle one)*

Visa / MasterCard / Discover  This is a corporate card.

Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Name as it appears on card: \_\_\_\_\_

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

### 3. Check

Enclose a check made payable to **Akron Community Foundation** with “**BCF 10th Anniversary Celebration**” written in the memo line. If paying with a credit card or check, please return this completed form with your payment by **June 27, 2025** to:

**Bath Community Fund**  
c/o Akron Community Foundation  
345 W. Cedar St.  
Akron, OH 44307

## Additional Information

- We will gladly accept sponsorships until the date of the event; however, to ensure the inclusion of your name or logo in the program and/or presentation, your sponsorship must be received by **June 27, 2025**. Sponsorships received after this date cannot be guaranteed inclusion in all materials.
- Please email the names of your guest(s) to [mrivera@akroncf.org](mailto:mrivera@akroncf.org). Names must be received by **July 20, 2025**, to be printed on name tags.
- Sponsors should email high-resolution black-and-white or grayscale logo files in PNG or EPS format to [oeastly@akroncf.org](mailto:oeastly@akroncf.org) by **June 6, 2025** for inclusion on invitations and other pre-event materials.
- We gladly accept gifts from donor-advised funds and IRAs. However, per IRS regulations, sponsorships from donor-advised funds and IRAs cannot receive any benefits, including but not limited to event tickets, gifts, food, beverages and other items of value. If you plan to support the event with a gift from your donor-advised fund or IRA, please contact Deb Hoffman at 330-436-5614 or [dhoffman@akroncf.org](mailto:dhoffman@akroncf.org).



Bath Community Fund is a fund of Akron Community Foundation, a 501(c)(3) public charity. Your tax acknowledgment card will confirm your reservation. Sponsorships and tickets are nonrefundable, but tickets may be transferred. Please notify Akron Community Foundation of any changes to contact person(s) or company names by calling 330-376-8522. Learn more about Bath Community Fund at [bathcommunityfund.org](http://bathcommunityfund.org).