



Dear Friend of Gulf Bend Center,

Gulf Bend Center is a non-profit organization dedicated to improving the quality of life in our community by providing trusted, compassionate care for mental health and wellness. We proudly serve a seven-county area, including Calhoun, Jackson, DeWitt, Lavaca, Refugio, Goliad, and Victoria.

We are excited to announce our annual Friendship Fest is taking place on Saturday, September 12, 2026, at DeLeon Plaza. This free, family-friendly event is designed to raise awareness and celebrate the abilities of individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD).

Friendship Fest promotes inclusion, challenges stereotypes, and encourages meaningful connections between people with and without disabilities. Our goal is to foster empathy, respect, and mutual understanding—paving the way toward a more inclusive society where individuals with IDD are empowered and valued.

We invite you to join us as a sponsor for this impactful event. Your support not only provides your company with valuable community exposure but also helps make Friendship Fest a success—supporting two very important causes: awareness and inclusion.

Enclosed you'll find a sponsorship form detailing available levels and benefits. All donations are tax-deductible and directly support the event's activities and outreach.

We truly appreciate your consideration and hope to partner with you this year. Please submit your sponsorship form, payment, and logo (or company name) by August 24, 2026. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at 361.582.2328 or by email at jdodds@gulfbend.org.

Sincerely,

Jessica Dodds

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Marketing Specialist





GULF BEND CENTER FRIENDSHIP FEST

SEPTEMBER 12, 2026

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

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| <input type="checkbox"/> PLATINUM SPONSOR <u>\$700</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> SILVER SPONSOR <u>\$300</u> |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Special recognition at event• Premium logo placement on event banner• 6 complimentary custom event drawstring bags• Link & logo included on website• Social media promotion | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Special recognition at event• Logo placement on event banner• 2 complimentary custom event drawstring bags• Link & logo included on website• Social media promotion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> GOLD SPONSOR <u>\$500</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> BRONZE SPONSOR <u>\$100</u> |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Special recognition at event• Prominent logo placement on event banner• 4 complimentary custom event drawstring bags• Link & logo included on website• Social media promotion | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Special recognition at event• Company name on event banner• 1 complimentary custom event drawstring bags• Link & logo included on website• Social media promotion |

UNDERWRITING SPONSORSHIP OPTIONS

- Drawstring Bags Sponsor \$1,200
- Games/Activities Sponsor \$1,000
- Food Sponsor \$1,500

All underwriters will receive the benefits of the Platinum Sponsorship Package as well as special recognition a custom yard sign at the event.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Contact Name: _____ Date: _____
Company Name (as it is to appear on printed materials): _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone: _____ Home Office Cell
Email: _____

SPONSORSHIP LEVEL	
<input type="checkbox"/> Platinum Sponsor	\$700
<input type="checkbox"/> Gold Sponsor	\$500
<input type="checkbox"/> Silver Sponsor	\$300
<input type="checkbox"/> Bronze Sponsor	\$100
<input type="checkbox"/> Underwriter	\$_____

PAYMENT OPTIONS	
Total amount due (payable to Gulf Bend Center) \$ _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> My payment is enclosed with check # _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Please run my credit card: <input type="checkbox"/> Visa <input type="checkbox"/> Mastercard <input type="checkbox"/> Discover <input type="checkbox"/> AMEX	
Card number: _____ Exp. Mo/Yr.: _____ CVC: _____	
Billing Address: _____	
Name on card: _____	

Sponsor Signature: _____ Date: _____

Sponsorship DEADLINE is August 24, 2026 - Please email logos to jdodds@gulfbend.org

Please return form to:
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