United Way of the Dutchess-Orange Region

ANNUAL SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES
Creating Major Change Through Philanthropy

Be recognized for your extraordinary support of local philanthropy, volunteerism and advocacy. Increase your organization's visibility at events, in the press and on social media.

Last year United Way of the Dutchess-Orange Region's Annual Sponsors helped impact the lives of over 230,000 of our neighbors and friends, including those struggling with access to food, homelessness, violence at home, barriers to education and financial crisis. Thank you for considering an annual sponsorship – your support makes our community better.

**PREMIERE ANNUAL SPONSOR**

$10,000

All events listed
Up to 1,754,560 impressions

**ANNUAL SPONSOR**

$5,000

Choice of 4 sponsorship options
Up to 682,604 impressions

**Partnership Benefits:**

- Company logos prominently displayed on UWDOR webpage
- Company recognized with logos on event materials as applicable (invitations, email blasts, social media posts, newsletters, signage, etc.)
- Acknowledgment in UWDOR press releases pertaining to all listed events
- Recognition of partnership at all relevant events
- 2 tables or 20 tickets and full page advertisement in program journals to all UWDOR Signature Events
- Company representative invited to welcome guests at Community Event

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- Company recognized with logos on event materials as applicable (invitations, email blasts, social media posts, newsletters, signage, etc.)
- Acknowledgment in UWDOR press releases pertaining to the 4 events
- Recognition of partnership at the 4 events
- 1 table or 10 tickets and half page advertisement in program journals to the selected UWDOR Signature Event(s)

* Payment plans available by request.
Celebration of Service & Talent United
United Way’s premier annual recognition of business and community leaders, to be held this spring. Recognize the work of United Way, salute our Distinguished Leadership Award recipient and highlight our talented community members through Talent United. (Up to 210,000 Impressions)

Community Breakfast & Kindness Champion
Annual event in September to launch the United Way fundraising season and salute local Community Champions. The Kindness Champion is United Way’s annual recognition of local residents displaying acts of kindness in our community. (Up to 210,000 Impressions)

Pull the Plane
Pull the Plane is the FUNdraising event in the Hudson Valley. Teams compete to be the fastest to pull a cargo plane over a distance of 12 feet. Awards for most creative costumes, most team spirit and best fundraisers are presented. Pull the Plane is tentatively scheduled for June 2022 (date to be announced). (Up to 210,000 Impressions)

Leadership and Tocqueville Society
Over 200 United Way donors are members of the United Way Leadership Society. Each year, more than $300,000 is raised by donors of $1,000 or more. Tocqueville Society members give a gift of $10,000 or more annually. Your sponsorship of the society will help steward this philanthropic group of community and business leaders through the annual Leadership Society reception and quarterly newsletters, which highlight Leadership and Tocqueville Society donors, their businesses and community affiliations. (Up to 1,360 Impressions)

Young Leaders Holiday Happy Hour/Gift Card Drive
Each December, United Way recognizes the hard work of our volunteers through a Happy Hour hosted by Young Leaders United, a dedicated group of United Way Young Professionals. Participants are encouraged to donate a gift card for local families in need. (Up to 70,620 Impressions)
Nonprofit Professional Development Training
Twice annually, United Way provides free, relevant training to local nonprofit employees, engaging 100-200 participants at each event. Employees of nonprofit organizations are less likely to be offered professional development opportunities due to the cost of time, travel and training related to skill development. Employee engagement creates more satisfied employees and reduces turnover. Trainings cover a variety of topics, including Human Trafficking, Grant Writing, Donor Development and Human Resources. (Up to 153,750 Impressions)

Annual Community Conversation
In order for United Way’s work to be relevant, we must listen to the pulse of the community. We facilitate large scale Community Conversations to ensure we are linking stakeholders and working together to solve the most pressing problems facing our communities. In October 2021, the Community Conversation focused on Youth Pandemic Barriers: Mental Health and Learning Loss. (Up to 76,875 Impressions)

Volunteer Initiative
Annually, United Way of the Dutchess-Orange Region organizes thousands of volunteers to serve our community. Half-day and full-day in-person and virtual projects include sorting food at the Food Bank of the Hudson Valley, participating in a community clean up, letter writing to isolated seniors, or walking dogs for an animal shelter. The Martin Luther King Jr. 21-Day Equity Challenge and the Juneteenth Racial Equity Challenge provide individuals opportunities to further their knowledge of diversity and equity. (Up to 230,625 Impressions)

Community Supply Drives
Every year, United Way facilitates essential needs supply drives and distributes items in Dutchess and Orange communities. Donations include hygiene items, school supplies, food and books. As a sponsor your company logo will be listed on all marketing materials and promotion of supply drives. We recently held a 100,000 Diaper Drive and a Back to School Drive. (Up to 181,860 Impressions)

Day of Sharing & Louis Greenspan Children’s Corner
United Way’s essential item distribution program supports more than 10,000 at risk families. Annually, United Way distributes new merchandise to clients and students of nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations and school districts. Your company will be listed as a sponsor of our Day of Sharing, which provides hygiene, clothing, and household items to families who would otherwise go without. (Up to 76,875 Impressions)
To confirm your annual sponsorship, please fill out this form and return it to Michelle Nepton (mnepton@uwdor.org) or call to discuss- 845-471-1900 ext 3115.

**Sponsor Level**

- [ ] Premiere Annual Sponsor  (all events)  
  - Cost: $10,000

- [ ] Annual Sponsor  (Choose from 4 options below)  
  - Cost: $5,000
    - Celebration of Service & Talent United
    - Community Breakfast & Kindness Champion
    - Pull the Plane
    - Leadership & Tocqueville Society
    - Young Leaders Holiday Happy Hour/Gift Card Drive
    - Nonprofit Professional Development Training
    - Annual Community Conversation
    - Volunteer Initiative
    - Community Supply Drives
    - Day of Sharing & Louis Greenspan Children’s Corner

Total: $______

Or go to www.uwdor.org/annualsponsorship.

Name ________________________________________________________________________________________________________

Business _____________________________________________________________________________________________________

Mailing  Address ________________________________________________________________________________________________

City ___________________________ State _________________ Zip ___________________________

Phone ______________________________ Email _____________________________ Website ______________________________

[ ] Check  Please make checks payable to United Way of the Dutchess-Orange Region
Mail to: United Way, 75 Market Street, Poughkeepsie, NY 12601

[ ] Visa/MC/AMEX/Discover #____________________________________________ Exp ______ Code _____

Signature________________________________________________________________________________ Date________________

Don’t see what you’re looking for? There are individual event sponsorships from $500 and up. Contact Michelle Nepton at 845-471-1900 ext 3115 to discuss a customized package that fits your needs or to set up payment plan.