

Kirkwood - Des Peres  
Area Chamber of Commerce

80<sup>th</sup>

Installation & Awards

*Ruby Jubilee  
Gala*

Sponsorship Guide  
Updated

Saturday, March 7, 2026 | 6:00 PM

Kirkwood Performing Arts Center  
210 E Monroe Ave, Kirkwood, MO 63122

## Eighty years.

Eighty years ago this Chamber began with people who believed in each other.

Family businesses opened their doors.

Neighbors shook hands.

Trust turned into opportunity.

You can trace our story through storefronts, streets, and shared tables.

Generations showed up.

They served.

They led.

They built something meant to last.

You stand on that foundation today.

A community shaped by small businesses.

A Chamber powered by people who cared enough to act.

This milestone night brings that story full circle.

We gather at the Kirkwood Performing Arts Center.

Its beauty sets the tone for an evening that matters.

Inside those walls you will witness leadership step forward.

You will welcome new Board members who choose to serve.

You will honor award recipients whose actions left a mark on our community.

This night exists because of generous sponsors who believe in the mission.

Their support makes the celebration possible.

Their commitment helps carry the Chamber into its next chapter.

When you attend you are not just sponsoring or buying a ticket.

You are honoring the past.

You are supporting the present.

You are investing in the future.

You belong in the room where history and hope meet.

We ask that you consider sponsoring the 80<sup>th</sup> Installation and Awards Ruby Jubilee Gala.

Please make sure to review additional details at the end of this document.

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### **Title Sponsor – \$3,000**

- Exclusive prominent sponsorship of the Event

- Eight (8) tickets at a premier table the evening of the Event

- Your company logo displayed prominently on the podium

- Your company logo displayed prominently on the stage backdrop

- Ability to speak at the podium during the event

- Premium seating at the event

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### **Cocktail Sponsor – \$2,500 (One Available)**

- Eight (8) tickets at a premier table the evening of the Event
- Cocktail napkins with your logo at the event
- Prominent signage at the event
- Your company recognized from the podium as the Cocktail Sponsor
- Your business recognized in the event program, on the Chamber website, and social media
- Company name announced at buffet procedure\*

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### **After Party Sponsor – \$2,500 (One Available)**

- Eight (8) tickets at a premier table the evening of the Event
- Prominent signage at the event
- Your company recognized from the podium as the After Party Sponsor
- Ability to announce from the stage, at the end of the program, that the After Party will now commence
- Your business recognized in the event program, on the Chamber website, and social media
- Company name announced at buffet procedure\*

## **Major Sponsor – \$1,500 (Two Remaining)**

- Four (4) tickets at a premier table the evening of the Event
- You provide the Chamber with a 1-minute video infomercial of your organization, taped prior to the event, which is shown at the Gala
- Prominent signage at the event
- Your company recognized from the podium as a Major Sponsor
- Your business recognized in the event program, on the Chamber website, and social media
- Company name announced at buffet procedure\*



## **Volunteer of the Year Award Sponsor – \$1,500**

### **Recipient Jon Schwendeman**

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## **Rising Star Award Sponsor – \$1,500**

### **(One Available) Recipient Leah Spiros**

- Four (4) tickets at a premier table the evening of the Event
- You provide the Chamber with a 1-minute video infomercial of your organization, taped prior to the event, which is shown at the Gala
- Prominent signage at the event
- Your company recognized from the podium as the Sponsor for this award
- Your business recognized in the event program, on the Chamber website, and social media
- Company name announced at buffet procedure\*

## **Businessperson(s) of the Year Award Sponsor - \$1,500**

### **Recipients Adam & Ashley Schmitz**

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## **Community Impact Award Sponsor - \$1,500**

### **Recipient Liz Crabtree**

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## **Lifetime Achievement Award Sponsor - \$1,500**

### **Recipient John Hessel**

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*Serving Seniors. Honoring Christ.*

## **Photo Booth Sponsor - \$1,000 (One Available)**

- Two (2) tickets for the evening of the Event
- Your logo on all the photo booth photos (which will be shared on social media)
- Link to the gallery of all the photos after the event for you to share on social media as well
- Prominent signage at the event
- Your company recognized from the podium as the Sponsor for this award
- Your business recognized in the event program, on the Chamber website, and social media

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## **Gala Table Sponsor - \$500 (Eleven Remaining)**

- Two (2) tickets for the evening of the Event
- You will have an assigned table with your Company Logo and name
- Your business recognized in the event program, on the Chamber website, and social media
- Ability to have ticket purchasing attendees request to be seated with you at your table (tables of eight)
- Company name announced at buffet procedure\*



## **Gala Prize Sponsor - \$500 (Two Available)**

- Your company name and logo will be placed on the prize areas
- Mention from the podium of your company as the sponsor of the prizes
- Your business recognized in the event program, on the Chamber website, and social media

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## **Individual Gala Tickets - \$125 each (67 Remaining)**

- Your company name and logo will be placed on the prize areas
- Mention from the podium of your company as the sponsor of the prizes
- Your business recognized in the event program, on the Chamber website, and social media

## **Additional Details**

\* The following Sponsors will be assigned a table that will include their Company Name and Logo as a designated table:

- Title Sponsor
- Cocktail Sponsor
- After Party Sponsor
- Major Sponsor
- Volunteer of the Year Sponsor
- Rising Star Sponsor
- Businessperson(s) of the Year Sponsor
- Community Impact Sponsor
- Lifetime Achievement Sponsor
- Table Sponsors

Each of these sponsors will have an assigned table. The Sponsors names will be used for dismissal at dinner time for the buffet and this will be announced from the podium to yet again let the attendees hear your sponsorship of the Gala.

## **Menu for the Evening**

### **Entrees:**

**Choice Top Round of Beef** (Choice beef, slow roasted and cooked medium, served in natural Au Jus)

**Rosemary Roasted Pork Loin** (Whole roasted pork loin with a Brandy Peppercorn Cream Sauce)

### **Accompaniments:**

Parsley Buttered Potatoes

Green Bean Almondine

House Italian Salad

Freshly Baked Dinner rolls w/butter

### **Open Bar Options:**

Signature RUBY JUBILEE Cocktail

Premium Liquors for Cocktails

Beer (including N/A options)

Wine

Soft Drinks, Tea, and Coffee

**The meals are Gluten Free.**

**Sorry, no substitutions.**

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To purchase, go to the Chamber Event  
located here: [TheChamberGala.com](http://TheChamberGala.com)

For additional conversation, contact  
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