



August 28, 2017

The Ohio Association of the Deaf, Inc. (OAD) will host its tenth Ohio OAD DEAFair 2017 scheduled for Saturday, October 28, 2017 in Cleveland, Ohio at the Cleveland State University , Student Center Ballroom. Please check the www.oad-deaf.org for more details.

This year, our theme is “ ASL Festival”. We are Deaf, Hard of Hearing, and Deaf-Blind Community have come a long way to achieve our goals: to be recognized as a member of society , therefore, it’s our turn to achieve changes.

OAD Ohio DEAFair Event 2017 will once again several purposes including the following:

- **Awareness** : Come and walk in our world , experience our culture, language, and celebration of diversity.
- **Exhibits**: New Technology, Services Organizations, Communication Devices, Crafts, and many, many more.
- **Entertainment**: Several exciting games, and roving all day performances by very talented Deaf Individual

And most important of all, it’s EVERYONE!! Consumers who are Deaf , Hard of Hearing, Deaf-Blind, Deaf children of Hearing parents, Family members, Senior Citizens, Interpreters, Students from various colleges/universities in Ohio and Service Providers.

OAD Ohio DEAFair 2015 was a tremendous success and we hope to achieve the same success this year. There are a large number of attendances 1, 500 as well as over 40 exhibitors. There was a lot of new technology among other exciting products to see and purchase. Our success was contributed to our corporate and organization sponsorships. Their contributions helped make it a success with many expenses as fees for performers advertisement, space rental children’s corner, door prizes, interpreter service, etc.

Again, we are offering four (4) primary sponsorship levels:

- Gold \$4,000.00
- Silver \$3,000.00
- Bronze \$2,000.00
- Honorary \$1,999.99 - \$1,000.00

Copy of Sponsorship Level Benefits is detailed on the next page. We would like for your company/business/organization to consider becoming a part of the Sponsorship Team.

Please complete the attached Confirmation Form indicating the level of your sponsorship for the upcoming OAD’s Ohio DEAFair 2017 Event. OAD is a non-profit , 501(c)3 organization and your sponsorship is fully tax deductible.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me through e-mail at OAD1961@gmail.com .

Thank you in advance for your generous support!

Sincerely,

Verne E. Taylor, Jr., Sponsorship Coordinator
Ohio OAD DEAFair Event 2017



Sponsorship Level Benefits

OAD Ohio DEAFair 2017 is offering a package for a sponsor. They are:

Gold Level (\$4,000.00)

- Free Exhibit (3 tables including 3 chairs), Free High Speed Internet, 2 nights hotel room
- Sponsorship Recognition on OAD Ohio DEAFair 2017 for continuing PowerPoint revolving screen show throughout the day with your logo and,
- Sponsor Recognition Certification of Appreciation

Silver Level (\$3,000.00)

- Free Exhibit (2 tables including 2 chairs), Free High Speed Internet, and 1 nights hotel room
- Sponsorship Recognition on OAD Ohio DEAFair 2017 for continuing PowerPoint revolving screen show throughout the day with your logo and,
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Bronze Level (\$2,000.00)

- Free Exhibit (1 tables including 2 chairs), and Free High Speed Internet
- Sponsorship Recognition on OAD Ohio DEAFair 2017 for continuing PowerPoint revolving screen show throughout the day with your logo and ,
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Honorary Level (\$1,999.99 - \$1,000.00)

- Free Exhibit (1 tables including 2 chairs)
- Sponsorship Recognition on OAD Ohio DEAFair 2017 for continuing PowerPoint revolving screen show throughout the day with your logo and,
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Please check one:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Gold Level | <input type="checkbox"/> Bronze Level |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Silver Level | <input type="checkbox"/> Honorary Level |

Please write a check payable: Ohio Association of the Deaf, Inc.

Please mail the check and the form to: OAD Treasurer
14856 Alger Road
Cleveland, Ohio 44111

Thank you for your support to OAD