

The 25th Yaga's Wild Game BBQ Cook-off
Benefitting the Yaga's Children's Fund
May 7th and 8th, 2021 Galveston, Texas
www.ycfund.org



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HISTORY

The cook-off began in 1997 with the intention of creating a family oriented two-day event in the downtown district. Yaga's Children's Fund grew each year, and in 2002 twenty-three teams participated with an attendance of over 3,000 people across three city blocks and were able to raise \$20,000 towards that year's charities. That year Yaga's Children's Fund 501-(c)(3) non-profit was formed and was expand to its current location on Pier 21.

Throughout the 24 years of the event, and now entering its 25th year, the Yaga's Children's Fund has allocated an excess of \$1,300,000 for Galveston County children's charities. The current volunteer board works hard year-round to fund numerous charities with the assistance of generous sponsors and cook teams. The Wild Game BBQ Cook-off is now the premiere spring event in downtown Galveston!

Throughout its history, for every dollar in sponsorships the fund receives, it has paid to charity \$1.20. Also, the fund continues to hold its expense ratio below 11%, which allows for an 89% payout!

2019 Grant Recipients

Funds from the 2019 Yaga's Children's Fund Wild Game and BBQ Cook-off was distributed among the following charities:

CASA of Galveston County
Galveston County Food Bank
The Grand 1894 Opera House
Moody Early Childhood Center
Ronald McDonald House
Family Service Center
Hospice Care Center
Boy Scouts of America - Bay Area Council
Assistance League of Bay Area
Gulf Coast Center
Galveston Children's Museum
Galveston Urban Ministries
Nia Cultural Center
Sea Star Base Galveston

Island ETC
Resource and Crisis Center
Communities In Schools Galveston County
Big Brothers Big Sisters Gulf Coast
Galveston's Own Farmer's Market
Galveston Ballet
St Vincent's House
Child Advocacy Center
SMART Family Literacy
Catholic Charities of Galveston/Houston
Teen Health Center
Salvation Army
Backpack Buddy (Santa Fe)

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2021 SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

TITLE AND SOUNDSTAGE Highest Cash Donor

Pre-Event Recognition and Benefits

Logo on all advertising
Internet advertising on the YCF Website

Event Recognition and Benefits

Featured corporate name and logo on Soundstage and Sponsor Tent
30 Sponsor Party passes (drinks and entertainment Friday night at Pier 21)
Verbal and visual recognition throughout Event Schedule

Post-Event Recognition and Benefits

Personal acknowledgment of support and sponsorship

GOLD SPONSORSHIP \$10,000 Cash Donation

Pre-Event Recognition and Benefits

Logo on all advertising
Internet advertising on the YCF Website

Event Recognition and Benefits

20 Sponsor Party Passes (drinks and entertainment Friday night at Pier 21)
Verbal and visual recognition throughout Event Schedule

Post-Event Recognition and Benefits

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RED SPONSORSHIP \$5,000 Cash Donation

Pre-Event Recognition and Benefits

Logo on all advertising

Internet advertising on the YCF Website

Event Recognition and Benefits

Corporate name and logo on posters throughout the Event

12 Sponsor Party passes (drinks and entertainment Friday night at Pier 21)

Verbal and visual recognition throughout Event Schedule

Post-Event Recognition and Benefits

Personal acknowledgment of support and sponsorship

ORANGE SPONSORSHIP \$3,500 Cash Donation

Pre-Event Recognition and Benefits

Internet advertising on the YCF Website

Event Recognition and Benefits

8 Sponsor Party passes (drinks and entertainment Friday night at Pier 21)

Verbal and visual recognition throughout Event Schedule

Post-Event Recognition and Benefits

Personal acknowledgment of support and sponsorship

KOOZIE SPONSORSHIP \$1,500 Cash Donation + cost of koozies

Not available in 2021. If interested for the 2022 event, please contact a board member.

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GREEN SPONSORSHIP \$1,000 Cash Donation

Pre-Event Recognition and Benefits

Internet advertising on the YCF Website

Event Recognition and Benefits

4 Sponsor Party passes (drinks and entertainment Friday night at Pier 21)

Verbal and visual recognition throughout Event Schedule

Post-Event Recognition and Benefits

Personal acknowledgment of support and sponsorship

REGGAE SPONSORSHIP \$500 Cash Donation

Pre-Event Recognition and Benefits

Internet advertising on the YCF Website

Event Recognition and Benefits

2 Sponsor Party passes (drinks and entertainment Friday night at Pier 21)

2 T-Shirts and koozies

Post-Event Recognition and Benefits

Personal acknowledgment of support and sponsorship