

**The Grand Rapids Lions Club is excited to present the 17th Annual Blind Dinner Date!**

Dear [Salutation],

Please join us on **Thursday, August 11, 2022 from 6:00pm to 9:00pm** at Blandford Nature Center (1715 Hillburn Ave NW, Grand Rapids, 49504) for a casual outdoor evening in a beautiful strolling venue filled with great appetizers, drinks, and music.

At the event, we will also publicly recognize the achievements of several area professionals who are dedicated to improving the lives of individuals with vision loss.

Did you know that 80% of the information we take in each day is processed through our eyes? Too often, and without thought, the ability to see is taken for granted.

All funds raised through the Blind Dinner Date provide:

* **Eye care to all ages** through the Grand Rapids Lions Club Vision Clinic at Cherry Health, including children with special needs.
* **Rehabilitation services for individuals in West Michigan with visual impairment or blindness** through the Association for the Blind & Visually Impaired (ABVI).

Please help with our mission – review the sponsorship opportunities and participation levels on the attached form. For more information, please contact Ben Eavey, 2022 Blind Dinner Date Chair, at 616-719-9799 or ben@eavey.com.

To be included in the program, the form must be received by Monday, July 18, 2022.

Thank you for sharing our vision! We look forward to seeing you there!



Ben Eavey

President, Grand Rapids Lions Club A Grand Rapids Lions Club Project



**2022 SPONSORSHIP LEVELS – Thank you for your support!**

**Forms must be received by Monday, July 18, 2022.**

**Title Sponsor | $10,000**

• Sponsor’s name will be included in the event title.

• Sponsor’s name and logo will be included in all event publicity and promotional campaigns,

 including but not limited to mailings, web, and social media.

• Sponsor’s name and logo will be included on all event signage, programs, and print materials.

• The Title Sponsor will receive recognition from the podium during the event.

• The Title Sponsor will also receive **16 tickets** to the event at no additional cost.

• The Title Sponsor will also receive post-event recognition through PR materials.

• An Appreciation Award for your personal display will be presented at the event.

**Platinum Sponsor | $5,000**

• Sponsor’s name and logo will be included in all event publicity and promotional campaigns,

 including but not limited to mailings, web, and social media.

• Sponsor’s name and logo will be included on all event signage, programs, and print materials.

• The Platinum Sponsor will receive recognition from the podium during the event.

• The Platinum Sponsor will also receive **8 tickets** to the event at no additional cost.

• An Appreciation Award for your personal display will be presented at the event.

**Gold Sponsor | $3,000**

• Sponsor’s name and logo will be mentioned in all event publicity and promotional campaigns,

 including but not limited to mailings, web, and social media.

• Sponsor’s name and logo will be included on all event signage, programs, and print materials.

• The Gold Sponsor will also receive recognition from the podium during the event.

• The Gold Sponsor will receive **4 tickets** to the event at no additional cost.

**Silver Sponsor | $1,000**

• Sponsor’s name and logo will be included in the event program.

• The Silver Sponsor will receive **4 tickets** to the event at no additional cost.

**Bronze Sponsor | $500**

• Sponsor’s name and logo will be included in the event program

• The Bronze Sponsor will receive **2 tickets** to the event at no additional cost.

*Sponsors & attendees: Please mark/circle your contribution:*

**Sponsorships: And/or Donations:**

* Title Sponsor | $10,000 $250
* Platinum Sponsor | $5,000 $100
* Gold Sponsor | $3,000 Other $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* Silver Sponsor | $1,000
* Bronze Sponsor | $500

**And/or Individual Tickets to the event on August 11, 2022, 6:00pm to 9:00pm:**

\_\_\_\_\_ Individual tickets at $75 each, total of $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Sponsor/Donor/Ticketholder Information:**

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**Please mark one:** \_\_ **Check Enclosed** \_\_ **Please Invoice** \_\_ **Credit Card**

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Make checks payable to: **Grand Rapids Lions Club**

Please return this form to: **Jennifer Helsel, ABVI**

 **456 Cherry Street SE**

 **Grand Rapids, MI 49503**

**Attendee Names:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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*(Space for additional attendee names on the following page)*

Please note: Vegetarian and gluten free food options will be readily available.

For questions or additional information, contact Ben Eavey at 616-719-9799 or ben@eavey.com

**Additional Guests:**

5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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