



## **SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL COMMUNITY**

### **OUR MISSION**

The **Winchester Main Street Foundation (WMSF)** is a **nonprofit** organization that focuses on bringing in quality events, beautification projects and youth education programs to build Winchester's unique brand in an attempt to improve quality of life, support and work with other nonprofit organizations and build a Main Street community.

### **HOW DO WE FULFILL OUR MISSION?**

WMSF believes that through many quality activities and community events Old Town creates an image of a vibrant community. As the lynchpin for the many groups working to revitalize Winchester, WMSF believes that working collaboratively to build and promote Winchester will ensure that we:

- Attract more visitors to our historic city
- Bring in jobs and innovative people and companies
- Re-energize our retail base
- Encourage our young graduates and professionals to stay in Winchester
- Increase our real estate values and fill commercial lease space
- Recruit an increasingly diverse, well-educated workforce, and ultimately
- Maintain our economic viability as we move proactively into the future

### **WHO BENEFITS FROM OUR EFFORTS?**

You do. Through your support you are helping to build a wider community of people who want to visit, live and work. Be a part of this great effort.

### **OUR BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

**(All of our board of Directors are invested in the community.)**

- David Smith, President (Village Square Restaurant)
- Beth J. Bates, Vice President (Web Strategies Internet Solutions, LLC)
- Joel Richardson, Secretary

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- Patrick Rodgers, Board Member
- Nicole Spicer, Board Member

## WHAT DO WE DO FOR THE COMMUNITY?

WMSF organizes community events and programs to showcase and benefit the vibrant main street we call Old Town Winchester.

### WINCHESTER RESTAURANT WEEK

This event alone has been a great success, bringing hundreds of residents and visitors downtown to experience a wonderful dining experience amongst some of the finest restaurants in Winchester.

The event will be held annually. We seek your support to help bring this wonderful event to Old Town.

Your support is greatly needed to help offset cost and materials. Be a part of what is early becoming a staple and a tradition in Old Town.

Statistics: 1500+ people over one week





## RALLY in the ALLEY (April)

Rally in the Alley is a community block-party style event that is held in Old Town. This event is free to the public.

- Live music from local bands.
- Local artists and craft vendors.
- Food featuring offerings from Town Winchester restaurants.
- Supervised activities for young children.

Statistics: 1000+ in one day



## FIRST FRIDAYS (Monthly)

First Fridays is a time at the beginning of each month, where the community comes alive in Old Town to support the local businesses. It is a time where they can listen to great music, enjoy wonderful food from local restaurants, shop and support local businesses, as well as see great art displayed throughout.

We will have musicians and artist, displaying art and playing music throughout the mall for the next 12 months, on First Fridays. During inclement weather, the same festive atmosphere will be inside participating establishments. Businesses will also be offering extended hours and discounts to patrons as well.



## WINCHESTER DAYS

A long-time Winchester event, Winchester Days is one of the biggest retail events of the year. Local shop owners in the Own Town district - the pedestrian mall and surrounding streets - will offer sidewalk sales, in-store sales and promotions, and several raffles for prizes. We'll post everyone's special promotions, stay tuned



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## **EVENT SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

We seek your support, to help continue these wonderful events in Old Town. Your support is greatly needed to help offset cost and materials. Be a part of what is becoming a tradition in Winchester.

Below please find the sponsorship options that are available for each of these Winchester Main Street Foundation Events. This includes two “event season” sponsorship options that enable your business to be represented at all of the Winchester Main Street Foundation events throughout the year. Thank you for your consideration.

### **Single-event Sponsorship - \$1,500 (Limit 1 per event)**

Sponsorship Benefits: These benefits are associated with a single Winchester Main Street Foundation Event of your choice.

- Mentions as sponsor in Press Releases
- Prominent placement of company logo on event marketing collateral specific to one event
- Online Marketing: Facebook, event website
- VIP benefits event if applicable.
- Logo and link on Winchester Main Street Foundation website as a supporter

### **Supporter - \$500.00 (Unlimited)**

Sponsorship Benefits:

- Facebook and Twitter Promotions
- Twelve Month Display of Logo and Link on Winchester Main Street Foundation as a Supporter



## Sponsorship Selection – Please choose your sponsorship

**Single-event Sponsorship - \$1,500**

Please select which Winchester Main Street Foundation Event you wish to be the Single-Event Sponsor of:

- WINCHESTER RESTAURANT WEEK
- CELEBRACION of WINCHESTER
- RALLY in the ALLEY
- FIRST FRIDAYS
- WINCHESTER DAYS

**Supporter: \$500.00 (Unlimited)**

### Company Profile

Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to Winchester Main Street Foundation and send to Winchester Main Street Foundation, POB 828, Winchester, VA, 22604.

If you have any questions feel free to contact [wmsfoundation8@gmail.com](mailto:wmsfoundation8@gmail.com).

\*\*\*All artwork for logos should be sent in PNG, JPG or EPS format to Beth Bates at [beth@webstrategies.com](mailto:beth@webstrategies.com).\*\*\*

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