



2026 Sponsorship Information

AN EVENING OF *Hope*

Benefitting  American Cancer Society

Friday, October 2, 2026 | The Historic Barn at Elmwood Farm Bed and Breakfast

What is An Evening of Hope?

An Evening of Hope is a fundraiser benefitting the American Cancer Society. This event was created to provide a venue to educate individuals and raise funds for programs and services that benefit cancer patients and their caregivers throughout the community. The evening will include dinner, silent auctions, raffles and more to raise much needed funds. Since the event began in 2018, An Evening of Hope has been able to donate over \$156,000 to the American Cancer Society to help provide programs and services for those battling cancer.

The evening will also include the presentation of the Hope Takes Flight Award which celebrates an unsung hero who has provided so much hope for those battling cancer throughout our community.

Where does the money from this event go?

Money raised from An Evening of Hope helps fund programs, such as Road to Recovery*, and services, like www.cancer.org, 1-800-227-2345, Hope Lodge**, and free wigs, give hope to those diagnosed with cancer and provide a level of support for their caregivers.

The money raised at An Evening of Hope also helps to fund cancer research. The American Cancer Society is second only to the Federal Government in the funding of cancer research — funding researchers who do not qualify for federal funding but who show promise in their area of research. Since the start of the organization, the American Cancer Society has funded 50 Nobel Prize winning researchers.

Your connection to the American Cancer Society can generate a more positive corporate image, improve customer loyalty, and increase sales potential. We continue to be a leading, trusted source for cancer information, with 93 percent aided brand awareness among consumers.***

For more information:

Contact us at sponsorship@eveningofhope.org.

* Road to Recovery is an American Cancer Society program which provides free transportation for cancer patients to and from treatments.

** Hope Lodge is a home-away-from-home for cancer patients who are currently undergoing treatment. To be eligible to stay at Hope Lodge, patients must live at least 50 miles from their treatment location. Many individuals in Washington County have been fortunate to take advantage of the Hope Lodge while undergoing treatment in Baltimore.

*** American Cancer Society Market Research: 2016 Brand Tracker

Sponsorship Levels

	Hope Sponsor \$250	Bronze Sponsor \$500	Entertainment Sponsor \$750	Silver Sponsor \$1,000	Gold Sponsor \$1,500	Award Sponsor \$2,000 (only 1 available)	Platinum Sponsor \$2,500	Valet Sponsor \$3,000 (only 1 available)	Bar Sponsor \$3,500 (only 1 available)	Amethyst Sponsor \$5,000
Digital										
Sponsor name featured on the homepage of An Evening of Hope's website	✓	✓	✓							
Sponsor logo featured on the homepage of An Evening of Hope's website				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Sponsor name/logo featured on the sponsor page of An Evening of Hope's website with a link to the sponsor's website	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Recognition on An Evening of Hope's Facebook timeline	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Media/Promotional										
Recognition in all Evening of Hope news releases	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Company logo featured on all event print promotional materials					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Company name featured in the event program	✓									
Company logo featured in the event program		✓	✓							
Half page ad (4.25" x 3.625") in the event program				✓	✓					
Full page ad (4.25" x 7.5") in the event program						✓	✓	✓		
Exclusive inside front cover ad (4.25" x 7.5") in the event program									✓	
Exclusive back cover ad (4.5" x 7.5") in the event program										✓
Event Experience										
Company logo featured at the event		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓
Company logo featured at the bar									✓	
Company logo featured on the podium						✓				
Opportunity to participate on the event committee	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Opportunity to distribute items in vehicles								✓		
Opportunity to distribute promotional items in goodie bags						✓	✓		✓	✓
Two tickets to the event					✓					
Four tickets to the event						✓	✓			
Six tickets to the event								✓	✓	
Eight tickets (at a reserved table) to the event										✓



Sponsorship Commitment Form

Business name

Street address

City

State

Zip

Contact name

Telephone number (business)

Fax number

Email

Web address

Commitment Level (Please make checks payable to "American Cancer Society")

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| ☐ \$5,000 – Amethyst | ☐ \$3,500 – Bar | ☐ \$3,000 – Valet | ☐ \$2,500 – Platinum |
| ☐ \$2,000 – Award | ☐ \$1,500 – Gold | ☐ \$1,000 – Silver | ☐ \$750 – Entertainment |
| ☐ \$500 – Bronze | ☐ \$250 – Hope | ☐ We are unable to be a designated Evening of Hope sponsor this year but enclosed is our donation of \$ _____ | |

Method of Payment

- ☐ Enclosed is my sponsorship check (**made payable to "American Cancer Society"**) in the amount of \$ _____
- Please mail to: An Evening of Hope, 13109 Bikle Road, Smithsburg, MD 21783**
- ☐ Please send an invoice.
- ☐ Charge my credit card (please print clearly): ☐ VISA ☐ MasterCard ☐ Discover ☐ AMEX

Cardholder's name

Billing address

Card number

Exp. date

Security code

Sponsor Signature

Date

(Please sign and retain a copy for your records.)

Please email an EPS or PDF logo to sponsorship@eveningofhope.org by August 15, 2026 to ensure high-quality printing. If an EPS or PDF file is not available, please send highest quality available. Note, submitting a low resolution logo may require signage to be printed in text in order to maintain quality.

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Sponsorship is 100% tax deductible.