Empty Bowls
"Dream"

2023 Sponsorship Packet

Saturday, September 16, 2023

Making Food Access Equitable for All
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Sponsorship Deadline:
Monday, September 4, 2023

Join Second Harvest of the Greater Valley as we work towards equitable food access for all. Empty Bowls will be a morning you won’t soon forget as we invite you to "Dream" with us about a world without hunger. Our one-of-a-kind event will include brunch, prepared by BESITOS Fine Cuisine, and a first hand look at our latest goal to help end hunger: Refrigerated Food Lockers.

For many that are in need of our services, getting to a pantry or a Mobile Fresh site is not possible due to barriers including work, transportation, and child care. Smart food lockers will allow community members to schedule a time most convenient to them to pick up an assortment of both fresh and shelf stable items.

Food banks across the country have begun to use these smart lockers as a way to extend their network service hours and reach more people experiencing food insecurity. Second Harvest aims to join the ranks of food banks utilizing this powerful food access tool. Each set of lockers will cost approximately $150,000, covering installation, proper fencing, and electrical work. While the cost is high, the resulting increase in food access makes the project more than worth it. The initial set of lockers for the pilot program will be housed in front of the Second Harvest offices. Our goal is to continue raising funding through grants to expand the program further into San Joaquin and Stanislaus Counties.

Empty Bowls "Dream" may have a new look and feel, but the mission is the same: shortening the distance between hunger and hope.

Your sponsorship of Empty Bowls 2023 will help fund SHGV's refrigerated food locker project. Refrigerated lockers provide convenient, dignified, and contactless access to food for neighbors in need. Examples are demonstrated below.

Exact design may vary. Lockers will be Second Harvest branded.

How Refrigerated Smart Lockers Work for Charitable Food

**STEP 1: Order**
Neighbor places order over the phone, online, or via phone app.

**STEP 2: Load**
Partner agency or Food Bank places neighbor’s food items in a locker.

**STEP 3: Notify**
Neighbor is notified via text or email with unique pickup code.

**STEP 4: Pickup**
Neighbor scans or enters code at locker console and retrieves their food items.
# Sponsorship Opportunities

## Platinum Bowl- $5,000
- Tickets for 10 to the Saturday Morning Brunch, and hosted bar.
- Acknowledgment by MC during the event
- Name and logo on SHGV Website and Social Media
- Priority volunteer opportunity at a Mobile Fresh Distribution
- Early access to our online silent auction
- Reserved Seating at the event

## Gold Bowl- $2,500
- Tickets for 8 to the Saturday Morning Brunch, and hosted bar.
- Name and logo on SHGV Website and Social Media
- Priority volunteer opportunity at a Mobile Fresh Distribution
- Early access to our online silent auction

## Silver Bowl- $1,500
- Tickets for 6 to the Saturday Morning Brunch, and hosted bar.
- Name and logo on SHGV Website and Social Media
- Volunteer opportunity at a Mobile Fresh Distribution

## Bronze Bowl- $750
- Tickets for 4 to the Saturday Morning brunch and hosted bar.
- Name on SHGV Website and Social Media
- Volunteer opportunity at a Mobile Fresh Distribution

## Unite Sponsors- $500
- Tickets for 2 to the Saturday Morning and hosted bar.
- Name on SHGV Website and Social Media
- Volunteer opportunity

## Individual Tickets
- Individual tickets are available by going to our website at www.localfoodbank.org or by calling 209-239-2091

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*Second Harvest of the Greater Valley is a registered 501c(3) Tax ID # 68-0376587*

*Hosted Mimosa Bar, Beer, and Wine will be available*

Thank you for helping Second Harvest of the Greater Valley feed our neighbors in need!
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Sponsorship Commitment Form

I would like to sponsor Second Harvest of the Greater Valley's 2023 Empty Bowls "Dream." I understand that space is limited and tickets are first come first served.

☐ Platinum Bowl $5000
☐ Gold Bowl $2500
☐ Silver Bowl $1500
☐ Bronze $750
☐ Unite $500

$ ____________ I am unable to attend, but would like to contribute. Please accept this gift.

☐ I do not wish to accept tickets to the in person event

Sponsorship Information

(As you would like to appear in event marketing. Upon receipt of sponsorship package SHGV will reach out for a guest list)

Name/Company: _____________________________________________________________________________
Contact Name: _______________________________________________________________________________
Address: ____________________________________________________________________________________
____________________________________________________________________________________________
City ____________________________ State ___________ Zip Code: ______________________
Phone Number: ___________________________ Email:______________________________________________
Social Media Handles: ________________________________________________________________________

Payment Information

☐ Check Enclosed
Please make checks payable to Second Harvest of the Greater Valley
☐ Send Invoice

☐ Credit Card (Can also be made over the phone or through our website)
Name On Card: _____________________________________________
Card Number: _____________________________________________
Exp: _______________ CVV: _______________
☐ AMEX  ☐ Discover  ☐ Visa  ☐ Mastercard
Signature: _____________________________________________

Please submit the completed form and company logo, and any logoed promotional items you would like included (optional) to:

Second Harvest of the Greater Valley
ATTN: Jessica Vaughan
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Manteca CA 95337

The deadline to respond is Monday, September 4, 2023