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2026

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

MORGANTOWN GALA





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TOGETHER, WE CAN MAKE A LASTING IMPACT.

Established in 2003, this annual gala has become the signature fundraising event for WVU Medicine Children's. Proceeds from the evening provide vital support, helping ensure the hospital can deliver exceptional healthcare to every child and woman across our state and region.

Join us on Saturday, February 21, 2026, for an out of this world evening attended by approximately 1,300 guests. The night will feature elegant cocktails, a gourmet dinner, lively dancing, exciting live and silent auctions, and a late-night buffet—all in support of a cause that touches countless lives.



WVU Medicine Children's in Morgantown is the state's premier provider of specialized maternal, infant, and pediatric care. Serving families from across West Virginia and the surrounding region, we offer expert care for premature infants, children with complex and life-threatening conditions, and adolescents transitioning into adulthood.

Our team of highly trained physicians, nurses, and staff deliver comprehensive services, from maternal-fetal medicine to neonatal intensive care, pediatric surgery, and a wide range of subspecialties, all under one roof at our state-of-the-art facility.

In the last year alone, children from across the region received care at WVU Medicine Children's more than 230,000 times, highlighting the vital role Morgantown plays as a central hub for pediatric care in the state.

Our doors in Morgantown opened three years ago, but we are just getting started. We are deeply committed to improving the health of our region's youngest residents. The time is now, the place is here and your support makes it possible. Our goal is simple yet urgent: ensure that every child in West Virginia can receive world-class care close to home, without ever having to leave the state.

Since opening in 2022, WVU Medicine Children's Hospital has seen a growing demand for outpatient pediatric care. To meet this need, proceeds from this year's Gala will support the creation of a new 15,214 square foot Children's Outpatient Clinic opening on the 10th floor in early 2026 that will bring services like neurology, surgery, pulmonology, and sleep disorders into one central hub, saving families time, reducing stress, and ensuring children receive the best care, faster.



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PRESENTING SPONSOR

- Two VIP tables of ten seats each with front row seating
- Exclusive meet and greet with entertainment and/or emcee
- Four complementary table served bottles of wine
- Multiple mentions at the podium as Presenting Sponsor
- Signage with your logo at the entrance and podium
- Recognition on stage screens during preshow
- Opportunity to be interviewed by media covering the event
- Logo with hyperlink on gala website
- Two-page signature centerfold ad in gala program
- Prominent recognition with logo and short write-up in event program
- Recognition on individual table signs
- Recognition on WVU Medicine Children's social media accounts
- 1 available, \$42,000 is tax-deductible

\$50,000

CELEBRATION OF HOPE SPONSOR

- Two VIP tables of 10 seats each with premium seating
- Exclusive meet and greet with emcee for up to 10 guests
- Four complementary table-served bottles of wine
- Multiple mentions at the podium as Celebration of Hope Sponsor
- Signage with your logo at the entrance
- Logo with hyperlink on gala website and recognition on stage screens during preshow
- One page ad plus featured recognition with logo in event program
- Recognition on individual table sign
- Recognition on WVU Medicine Children's social media accounts
- 1 available, \$33,000 is tax-deductible

\$40,000

QUESTIONS:

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BEVERAGE, DINNER, EMCEE, OR ENTERTAINMENT SPONSOR

- One premium table of ten seats with premium seating
- Customized recognition related to specific sponsorship selected (see chart)
- Mentioned at the podium
- Logo with hyperlink on gala website
- Recognition on stage screens during preshow
- One page ad plus featured recognition with logo in event program
- Recognition on individual table sign
- Recognition on WVU Medicine Children's social media accounts
- Two complementary table served bottles of wine
- 1 of each available, \$31,250 is tax-deductible

\$35,000

FAVOR, LIGHTING, OR REGISTRATION SPONSOR

- One premium table of ten seats
- Customized recognition related to specific sponsorship selected (see chart)
- Recognition on gala website and on-stage screens during preshow
- Half page ad plus featured recognition in event program
- Recognition on individual table sign
- Recognition on WVU Medicine Children's social media accounts
- Two complementary table served bottles of wine
- 1 of each available, \$26,660 is tax-deductible

\$30,000

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AUCTION, LATE NIGHT BUFFET, OR VALET SPONSOR

- One premium table of ten seats
- Customized recognition related to specific sponsorship selected (see chart)
- Recognition on gala website and on-stage screens during preshow
- Half page ad plus featured recognition in event program
- Recognition on individual table sign
- Recognition on WVU Medicine Children's social media accounts
- 1 of each available, \$21,600 is tax-deductible

\$25,000

GOLD

- One priority table of ten seats
- Recognition on gala website
- Half page ad plus recognition in event program
- Recognition on individual table sign
- Recognition on WVU Medicine Children's social media accounts
- \$14,100 is tax-deductible

\$17,500

SILVER \$12,500

- One preferred table of ten seats
- Quarter page ad plus recognition in event program
- Recognition on individual table sign
- Recognition on WVU Medicine Children's social media accounts
- \$9,200 is tax-deductible

BRONZE \$9,000

- One reserved table of ten seats
- Listing in event program
- Recognition on individual table sign
- Recognition on WVU Medicine Children's social media accounts
- \$5,900 is tax-deductible

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ABOUT THE 2026 GALA



TOGETHER, WE CAN MAKE A LASTING IMPACT.

WHEN:

Saturday, February 21, 2026 • 5:30pm

WHERE:

Morgantown Event Center
at Morgantown Marriott - Waterfront Place

TICKETS:

Individual Ticket • \$500
Tickets will be on sale December 9, 2025

ATTIRE:

Black Tie

EVENT CHAIR:

Stacy Downey

EVENT WEBSITE:

<https://wvuchgala.com>

SPONSORSHIP WEBSITE:

<http://give.wvu.edu/sponsorwvukids>

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Thank You

To confirm a sponsorship opportunity, please fill out the online registration form at: <http://give.wvu.edu/sponsorwvukids> or use this QR code:



The last day to reserve a sponsorship is Wednesday, December 3, 2025 however, please note that demand for sponsorship opportunities is typically very high and availability is limited. Individual tickets go on sale December 9, 2025 and sponsorships may be sold out prior to this date so we encourage you to respond as soon as possible.

We must receive any applicable logos no later than January 23, 2026, to ensure inclusion in appropriate recognition materials at the gala.

We ask that payment be made by January 23, 2026, to guarantee your sponsorship and ensure inclusion in applicable recognition materials at the gala. Credit cards can be accommodated on the link above.

If you prefer to process payment via check, please use promo code: PAYBYCHECK when prompted.

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CHECKS CAN BE MADE PAYABLE AND MAILED TO:

WVU Medicine Children's / WVUF
Attn: Rachelle Dillinger
1 Medical Center Drive (Peak Health Bldg. #350)
Morgantown, WV 26506

2026 WVU MEDICINE CHILDREN'S MORGANTOWN GALA SPONSOR LEVELS

as of 10/30/2025

GALA SPONSORSHIPS	Presenting Sponsor RESERVED \$50,000 (1 available)	Celebration of Hope Sponsor RESERVED \$40,000 (1 available)	Beverage Sponsor \$35,000 (1 available)	Dinner Sponsor \$35,000 (1 available)	Emcee Sponsor \$35,000 (1 available)	Entertainment Sponsor \$35,000 (1 available)	Favor Sponsor RESERVED \$30,000 (1 available)	Lighting Sponsor \$30,000 (1 available)	Registration Sponsor \$30,000 (1 available)	Auction Sponsor RESERVED \$25,000 (1 available)	Late Night Buffet Sponsor \$25,000 (1 available)	Valet Sponsor RESERVED \$25,000 (1 available)	Gold Sponsor \$17,500	Silver Sponsor \$12,500	Bronze Sponsor \$9,000
RECOGNITION BENEFITS															
Opportunity to be interviewed by media covering gala	✓														
Mentioned at the podium	Multiple	Multiple	✓	✓	✓	✓									
Customized recognition related to specific sponsorship	Logo at entrance and podium	Logo at entrance	Logo at bars and cocktail napkins	Logo at each guest table	Logo on sign outside of meet & greet	Logo on stage screens during entertainment	Recognition on upscale gala memento given to each guest	Recognition on exclusive signage at the event	Recognition on signage at each registration booth	Auction table signage and logo with hyperlink on mobile bidding app	Recognition on signage placed at the buffet	Recognition on water bottle placed in each car valet parked and on sign at valet station			
Recognition on stage screens during preshow	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
Recognition on gala website	Logo with Hyperlink	Logo with Hyperlink	Logo with Hyperlink	Logo with Hyperlink	Logo with Hyperlink	Logo with Hyperlink	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Program ad	2 page signature centerfold	1 page	1 page	1 page	1 page, back cover of program	1 page	1/2 page	1/2 page	1/2 page	1/2 page	1/2 page	1/2 page	1/2 page	1/4 page	
Recognition in event program	Prominent recognition including logo and short write-up	Featured recognition including logo	Featured recognition including logo	Featured recognition including logo	Featured recognition including logo	Featured recognition including logo	Featured recognition	Featured recognition	Featured recognition	Featured recognition	Featured recognition	Featured recognition	Listing	Listing	Listing
Recognition with signage at your table	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Recognition on WVU Children's social media accounts	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
PARTICIPATION BENEFITS															
Table for 10 guests	2 VIP tables with front row seating	2 VIP tables with premium seating	1 premium table with premium seating	1 premium table with premium seating	1 premium table with premium seating	1 premium table with premium seating	1 premium table	1 premium table	1 premium table	1 premium table	1 premium table	1 premium table	1 priority table	1 preferred table	1 reserved table
Exclusive meet & greet with entertainment and/or emcee	✓	✓ (up to 10 guests)			✓										
Table served bottles of wine	4 comp	4 comp	2 comp	2 comp	2 comp	2 comp									