

### Supporting PRIDE and celebrating diversity in Franklin County.

Dear Friends and Partners,

The Franklin County Coalition for Progress (FCCP) is excited to announce the second, annual Pride Franklin County celebration from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 4 2019 at The Orchards of 1580 Orchard Drive in Chambersburg, PA.

The goal of Pride Franklin County is to increase the visibility of our LGBTQ community and their contributions to our community and to bring the LGBTQ community and straight allies together to celebrate diversity, acceptance and respect in Franklin County.

Pride Franklin County will incorporate traditional Pride elements and activities while maintaining a family-friendly and welcoming atmosphere. Pride Franklin County is a smoke-free event and therefore does not accept sponsorship, vendor fees, or any other funding from tobacco companies, including cigar, e-cigarette, or vape stores.

An initiative of the FCCP, a 501(c) 3 organization, Pride Franklin County relies on the generous support of corporations, businesses, individual donors and volunteers.

The next few pages provide information about what to expect at Pride Franklin County, who you support when you support this event, promotional items provided in exchange for sponsorship and photos that speak for themselves. We are happy to work with your organization or company to develop other sponsorships tailored to meet your needs. We express our sincerest thanks and appreciation of your consideration and support.

We hope that you will support the LGBTQ community by supporting Pride Franklin County.

Please see the enclosed materials which detail the day's events, sponsorship options, promotional benefits, past sponsor information and a new VIP opportunity.

Nathan Strayer

Pride Franklin County Chair

Phillip Whitley

Pride Franklin County, Vice Chair



### What to Expect at Pride Franklin County



A large crowd! Last year's inaugural Pride Franklin County hosted 1000+ people from the region. Food-trucks sold out and the kegs were kicked! This year we have doubled our efforts to manage growth while creating a positive environment for everyone!

**Free Admission!** Pride Franklin County is free and open to the community, and everyone is welcome to attend. The event will feature a variety of family-friendly events, entertainment, quintessential Pride activities and a mix of local and regional vendors from local businesses, food, churches and nonprofit organizations.

**Free Entertainment!** Entertainment will include music, performances, flow arts and drag shows throughout the day.





**Food Trucks!** The Orchards will be handling alcohol sales and our food truck vendors will be providing the delicious lunches and snacks.

**Vendors & Swag!** Vendors will be mapped out across the parking lot advertising their business and support for Pride and some will have giveaways!

**More Fun!** A kid's creation/activity station sponsored by *Creative Minds Learning & Development Centers* will be set up and run by certified child-care staff.

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**VIP Treatment!** A VIP stage viewing area and a meet-and-greet with the queens are well worth the \$25 access ticket. You can have all that plus exclusive seating in a table area for VIPs only with the \$50 access ticket.

**NEW!** Check out or online store to give back through shopping! <a href="https://shop.spreadshirt.com/pridefc/">https://shop.spreadshirt.com/pridefc/</a>



### When You Support Pride You Support Our Community

Sponsoring Pride Franklin County:

- Supports diversity & inclusion initiatives
- Makes business sense
- Encourages employees to be their authentic selves, which makes for safe work spaces
- Can attract and retain a talented workforce
- Shows the LGBTQ & allies that your organization respects and values differences
- Fosters a culture of acceptance and welcome



# **CONSUMERS**

American LGBT households make 16% more shopping trips a year than the average US household and they buy more at checkout.

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55% of LGBT consumers do business with companies that commit to diversity, versus 34% of non-LGBT consumers.



LGBT households spent an average of \$4,135 at retail stores in 2014. This is 7% more spending than non-LGBT consumers.



58% of LGBT consumers are more likely to buy from companies that market to the LGBT population.





Sources: 2019 US Census, 2016 William Institute Census, 2015 Nielsen report, Harris Interactive.



### **Pride Franklin County Sponsorship Opportunities**

Sponsors will receive a complimentary vendor space and a t-shirt with all sponsor logos on the back (logo size based on sponsorship level). Silver, Gold and Platinum sponsors will receive a 2nd t-shirt.

#### Platinum sponsor - \$1,000

• All 12 items listed below

#### Gold sponsor - \$750

• Select 6 items listed from the bottom, up to the Gold level

#### Silver sponsor - \$500

• Select 4 items listed from the bottom, up to the Silver level

#### Bronze sponsor - \$250

• Select 2 items listed in the Bronze level

Platinum	Logo on the main stage banner or company banner on the main stage
	Two VIP access tickets
	Opportunity to distribute marketing collateral in the VIP area
Gold	Premiere placement of vendor space
	Acknowledgements from the stage
Silver	Logo on Pride FC website with embedded link to your website
	Recognition on the progress pod
	Shout out from the drag queens on their social media (large following)
Bronze	Logo on entrance banner
	Company name listed on the Pride FC website with embedded link to your website
	Acknowledgement on Social Media
	Item give-away opportunity on stage

#### **VIP Tickets**

\$25 access: VIP stage viewing area and a meet-and-greet with the queens.

\$50 access: Exclusive VIP table seating, VIP stage viewing area and meet-and-greet with the queens.

#### A la Carte & In-Kind Sponsorship Opportunities

We are happy to work with your business or organization to tailor a unique sponsorship package. In-kind sponsorships to offer non-cash support in the form of goods and services are just as welcome and valuable. Contact us for inquiries.

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## **Pride Franklin County Sponsorship Form**

CONTACT INFORMATION									
Business / Individual Name Key Contact Person									
Street Address									
City			ate	ZIP					
Key Contact Person Pho		E-mail Address							
Website									
SPONSOR LEVEL  We would like to become a sponsor of the Pride Franklin County (indicate level):  *Please mark desired options in the chart on the previous page.  Platinum Gold Silver Bronze									
\$1,000+	\$750+		\$	500+		\$250+			
T-shirt size (s):									
VIP ticket(s) quantities: \$25 acce			s\$50 access						
Please list the item(s) or se	rvice(s) you wish to p	oro	vide:						

#### **PAYMENT METHODS**

put towards the Festival \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Online - Pay online at www.pridefranklincounty.org Check Enclosed - Please send check to: Franklin County Coalition for Progress 75 W Queen Street

Chambersburg, PA 17201

No, we cannot sponsor the Pride Franklin County at this time. However, please accept this donation to

To be included in any print copy, a completed sponsorship form and payment by **June 30, 2019**. Thank you for your support! Questions can be directed to: Noel Purdy at <a href="mailto:pridefranklincounty@gmail.com">pridefranklincounty@gmail.com</a>.



We

would like to give recognition to our 2018 sponsors who made the first-ever PRIDE Franklin County possible. Thank you for helping us *make progress* in Franklin County!

Wilson College
Creative Minds Learning & Development Centers
Franklin County Democratic Committee
Women's Democratic Club of Franklin County
EXIT Realty
Penn State Mont Alto
Summit Health
Montessori Academy of Chambersburg
Chambersburg Community Theatre

Rotary Club of Chambersburg
Extra Magic Trips.com
Party Express
Beistle
Bob & Ann Ziobrowski
Travers & Associates
Pivot Physical Therapy
Capitol Theatre Center

