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# Celebrating YEARS Giving a Hand Out to Give a Hand Up

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# CALAHAN LEAGUE OF COLLEGE SCHOLARS (CLoCS)



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### CALAHAN LEAGUE OF COLLEGE SCHOLARS (CLoCS)

MENTORING PROGRAM Since the inception of the "Calahan League of College Scholars" (CLoCS) Mentor Program, we have inducted 26 students. To date, we have given nearly \$100,000 in scholarships. Our goal is to provide \$5,000 scholarships to our scholars over 4 years as long as their grades remain satisfactory. In addition to our financial support, we provide mentoring sessions that enable college readiness and provides strategies for persistence to graduation. Our ultimate goal is to provide various avenues of networking for internships and jobs post-graduation. This year we are so excited to add 4 new Scholars that will benefit from our ongoing work!







**COMMUNITY OUTREACH** The Calahan Foundation has embraced the mission of "Giving a Hand Out to Give a Hand Up" especially through community outreach. Since 2009, we have given over 1000 coats and toys to families living in shelters during the holiday season. The great thing about fulfilling our mission is that we are flexible to meet the deep needs of humanity. This past year the residents of Houston, Texas experienced a life altering Hurricane. As a result of our call to give a hand out to those in need, we were able to rally the Chicagoland area to provide over 130,000 pounds of supplies to the victims of Hurricane Harvey. With the help of many Businesses, Churches, Associations, Schools, and other Community Organizations we raised over \$10,000 and collected over 3,000 cases of water, needed supplies and toiletries to "Help Houston Heal"!







A special thanks to Olive-Harvey college for providing the 18 wheeler truck to help transport supplies to Houston, Texas

ANNUAL 5K RUN/WALK Each year during the month of August, we host a 5k Run/Walk for scholarships. Over 250 participants joined us at Jackson Park as we walked and ran alongside the beautiful Chicago Lakefront. Our goal is to encourage healthy living as we walk and run for a great cause! A portion of the proceeds from this event help us continue our financial commitment to our scholars. Sponsors can help undergird this event by defraying some of the expenses while at the same time sharing their goodwill in the community and marketing their business.







**CELEBRATION OF GIVING:** A **SCHOLARSHIP BENEFIT GALA** We host our annual fundraising gala in the month of December. This event is our main event where we raise funds for newly inducted scholars and celebrate our partners and sponsors. We realize we cannot do what we do without all of the individuals, businesses, and community organizations that support our great work. This event brings awareness to our mission and helps to share the great work that

we must continue.



(Left to Right) Valerie Calahan Taylor, Mr. Calahan. Dr. Carol Lee (Honoree), Mrs. Calahan, Mr. Bill Kates (Our Top Sponsor)



Mrs. Calahan with supporters from Governors State University



From left to right: Valerie Calahan Taylor, Mr. Calahan, Chrishon Lampley (Honoree), Mrs. Calahan, Mr. Bill Kates (Our Top Sponsor)



Calvin Holmes (Our Honoree)



Mr & Mrs. Calahan & Rev. & Mrs. Julian DeShazier (Our Honoree)



The Calahan Foundation Board with Musical Artist, Isaiah Sharkey

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## 5K RUN/WALK Sponsorship Form

Saturday, August 25, 2018 at Jackson Park

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Billie Williams Active Residential Management Services, Inc. Dear Potential Sponsor,

Each year the Calahan Foundation supports 16 students who are attending a four-year college or university. We are able to accomplish this mission by partnering with people like yourself who believe in our mission of "Giving a Hand Out to Give A Hand Up".

We ask for your support by sponsoring our Annual RUN4LIFE 5k Run/Walk. The 5K will be held on Saturday, August 25, 2018 in Jackson Park at 63<sup>rd</sup> & Hayes Drive, Groves A & B. Stretch and warm up begins at 7:30 a.m. and step off will be at 8:00 a.m. It is a timed race and awards will be given to top qualifiers.

Your sponsorship will help to support the Edward & Shirley Calahan Scholarship Fund. A portion of the funds received from our sponsors will be used to defray the events costs, such as T-shirts, awards, complimentary drinks, and snacks for each race participant. This year our fundraising goal is \$25,000. Enclosed in this packet you will find various ways you can be a sponsor. We sincerely need your commitment by June 15, 2018.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of becoming a sponsor. Attached is a sponsorship form to be completed and submitted by mail. Please call us at 773-723-3079 or email us at <a href="hands4u@calahanfoundation.org">hands4u@calahanfoundation.org</a> to answer any questions. Please visit our website for more details, <a href="https://www.calahanfoundation.org">www.calahanfoundation.org</a>.

Sincerely,

Jasper P. Taylor I | Executive Director

The Calahan Foundation



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DOUBLE YOUR DONATION with MATCHING GIFT PROGRAMS!  A matching gift is a charitable donation by a corporation that matches an employee's donation to an eligible nonprofit organization, most often dollar for dollar.  Contact us for more details!							
1. Sponsorship Level (please circle one):		•					
Platinum Gold Silver	· Bronze Mi	le Marker Wa	iter Station				
2. We plan to send materials/giveaways for the participant bags: YES NO  If yes, what item would you like us to include?							
3. Please write your company name exactly how you'd like it to appear on website, signage, etc.:							
IMPORTANT: Artwork and logos for the website and signage should be submitted as high resolution (300 dpi) JPEG or PNG files to hands4u@calahanfoundation.org.							
4. Participants can register for the RUN4LI	FE 5K RUN/WALK at	t <u>www.calahanfoun</u>	dation.org.				

5. Make checks payable to the Calahan Foundation and mailed to 7030 S. Halsted, Suite 200, Chicago, IL 60621. PLEASE MAIL as soon as possible, but no later than July 15, 2018. This will ensure that we get

you on our marketing materials for the event.



# **5K RUN/WALK Sponsorship Form** Saturday, August 25, 2018 at Jackson Park

Sponsorship Levels	Platinum \$2000	Gold \$1000	Silver \$500	Bronze \$250	Mile Marker \$150	Water Station \$100
Listed as top sponsor on website with logo and link	X	X				
Listed on website			X	X		
Prominent display of company name on all race T-shirts	X					
Company name on all race T-shirts		X	X			
Opportunity to speak at opening of race	X					
Promotional materials in race packet provided by sponsors by Monday, August 13, 2018	X	X	X	X		
Special PA announcements mentioning sponsor name during and after the race	X					
Company name on displayed at the finish line	X	X				
Company name will appear on one-mile marker sign or on the two-mile marker, or three-mile marker. For \$300, you can have a sign at all mile makers.					X	
Company name will appear on a prominently located sign at the water station.	X					X
# of complimentary race entries	4	2	2	1	0	0

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Matching Fund Donations		