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Virtual 5K RUN/WALK Sponsorship Form

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Dear Potential Sponsor,

We experienced a full circle moment this year as we spoke to our first scholar who received a scholarship from the Calahan Foundation. We asked the question that we ask every scholar in effort to catch up to the latest happenings in their life, "So what are you up to these days?". The student shared, "I'm back in Chicago and I now work as an epidemiologist" "A what?!", we asked. "An epidemiologist!", she replied, "I am working on the front line as a disease detective. I am helping to end the COVID-19 pandemic and helping us all get back to life as normal." The conversation ultimately ended as we thanked her for her work and effort, and in turn she thanked us for our investment in her life.

As I reflected on that conversation, I was reminded of that we do not always realize how the seeds that we sow, come back and impact us later in life. In this case, we along with many people like yourself, helped a young lady pursue her dream of higher education. That investment paid off, as she put her education to work helping to save the world.

For 13 years, the Calahan Foundation has committed itself to "Giving a Hand Out to Give a Hand Up". This year has been difficult, but we have become even more resolute in our commitment to our mission. Our Board of Directors all agree, that in light of what our students and the world have experienced as a result of the Pandemic, that we must do more.

We ask for your help! Consider signing up as a sponsor for our **Virtual** 5k Run/Walk as we continue to provide college scholarships, college mentoring, and community outreach. This 3.1-mile race will take place on your own terms as you will have three weeks, from August 1st – August 28th, to participate. This is a great opportunity to gather your family, friends, Greek organizations, or even your church family for a great cause. After a year like this, we all need an excuse to get out of the house! Please visit our website www.calahanfoundation.org for more details.

This year our fundraising goal is \$15,000. Enclosed in this packet you will find various ways you can be a sponsor. Should you so choose, we ask that you make your commitment by July 30, 2021.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of becoming a sponsor. Any level of support is greatly appreciated. Please call us at 773-723-3079 or email us at hands4u@calahanfoundation.org to answer any questions. Thank you again!

Humbly,

Jasper P. Taylor I | Executive Director
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Platinum Sponsor **\$2,000**

Your donation of \$2,000 pays for their freshmen year of college.

- Listed as top sponsor on website with logo and link
- Prominent display of Company Name/Logo on all race T-shirts
- Social Media Feature
- Company Name mentioned during virtual closing ceremony

Gold **\$1,000**

Your donation of \$1,000 pays for their sophomore, junior, or senior year of college.

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Silver **\$500**

Your donation of \$500 pays for a semesters worth of books.

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Bronze **\$300**

Your donation of \$300 pays for a personal care items for each scholar.

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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!

Sponsor Information: Please email your response to hands4u@calahanfoundation.org or mail to 7030 S. Halsted St., Suite 200, Chicago, IL 60621.

Contact Name: _____

Company Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: ____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Name To Be Included In Acknowledgement: _____

Please write your company name exactly how you would like it to appear on our website.

IMPORTANT: Logos for the website should be submitted as high resolution (300 dpi) JPEG or PNG files to hands4u@calahanfoundation.org.

Participants can register for the VIRTUAL 5K RUN/WALK at www.calahanfoundation.org.

Payment Information:

Please Invoice

I will pay by check in the amount of : _____ (Please make check payable to Calahan Foundation.)

Payment maybe sent at a later date (must be received by August 1st).

Please charge my credit card

Name on Card: _____ Account Number _____ Exp. _____ CVV: _____

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