

Dear Friends,

## THANK YOU dearly for your continued interest in supporting Project iAm as we

enthusiastically prepare for our 18th annual edition of Acoustics for Autism happening this March 2, 2025. As you know, the last several years we have begun our planning earlier and earlier due to the vast success of each event. Last year, we were able to raise an astonishing \$275,000 and distribute those funds to families in our area living with ASD. As this event continues to grow in scale each year, our pledge to you is to remain loyal to our mission and those who helped us along the way. We are fully vested in the community we serve and continue to find unique ways to support our iAm families.

We are happy to report that our total scholarship distribution for ASD children in our area has reached over \$765,000 since our inception—that's \$300,000 more than last year alone. Let's continue to build on that success and make tangible differences in the lives of the folks we help.

# Project iAm and its Acoustics for Autism event is still, and will always be 100% volunteer-

based. We don't have a formal office, and we don't have a staff to pay. We have generous people that are willing to share their unique talents and time. We are fortunate to have been able to give back to those volunteers who are going through their own struggles by hosting charity benefits on their behalf, again showing the community that we are proud of our family and will continue to support our own.

We consider you to be "one of us" and hope that you will continue to support this wonderful event and our scholarship program. As you review the sponsorship material this year, please take note that we are always looking for creative ways to expand, while keeping true to our mission and the event. As new businesses join the uptown Maumee area, we hope to partner with them if it brings value. Each year, we perform a thorough post-mortem evaluation that seeks to identify opportunities for continuous improvement. And as we strive to get better, we hope we have made you proud to be on our journey together. It's been a great 17 years, and we could not do it without you.

Yours in Charity and Progress,

Scott Hayes

**Director of Fundraising** 

Project iAm/Acoustic for Autism

# **BECOME A SPONSOR**

18th Annual Acoustics for Autism - March 2, 2025 The Village Idiot, Maumee, Ohio and Surrounding Areas!

All Sponsors will be placed on the website and individual social media blasts in addition to what is listed below:

## Event Sponsor \$7,500 (6 Available)

Your Logo Included on all promotional materials including radio, TV, prominent logo on official poster, and "Event Sponsor" banners at the event at all stage venues, \$100 in drink tickets for the Bier Garden, and \$100 in merchandise vouchers.

# The Bier Garden Stage Sponsor (in the main tent) \$5,000 (6 additional Available)

Shared Stage banner on the Bier Garden Stage with other stage and event sponsors, logo on official poster, \$75 in drink tickets for the Bier Garden, \$75 in merchandise vouchers.

# The Village Idiot Stage Sponsor \$3,000 (3 additional Available)

Stage banner at the Village Idiot Stage with other stage and event sponsors, logo on official poster, \$50 in drink tickets for the Bier Garden, and \$50 in merchandise vouchers.

## The Silent Auction Tent Stage Sponsor \$2,500 (5 Available)

Stage banner at the Silent Auction Tent Stage with other stage and event sponsors logo on official poster, \$30 in drink tickets for the Bier Garden, and \$30 in merchandise vouchers.

# The Maumee Elks Stage Sponsor \$2,000 (6 Available)

Stage banner at the Maumee Elks Stage with other stage and event sponsors, logo on official poster, \$20 in drink tickets for the Bier Garden, and \$20 in merchandise vouchers.

## The Conant Street Stage Sponsor \$1,750 (3 Available)

Shared Stage banner at the Conant Street Stage with other stage and event sponsors.

#### The Buster Browns Stage Sponsor \$1,500 (3 Available)

Shared Stage banner at the Buster Browns Stage with other stage and event sponsors.

#### The Wayne Street Tent Sponsor: \$1000 (10 available)

Individual maximum 3'x5' banner at the Wayne Street Tent

#### Small Box Music Venue Sponsor \$650 (2 Available)

Individual stage banner at Small Box Music with other venue and event sponsors.

## **General Sponsor \$500 (Unlimited Available)**

Individual maximum 3x5 banner will be placed in a location on the inside or outside of the Bier Garden tent to be determined based on space remaining at set up.

#### "We're with the Band" Sponsor \$350 (Limited to Number of Performing Bands)

Included on website, social media blasts, and acknowledged before and during a musician's set.

\*Artist to be chosen and confirmed by Project iAm. Sponsor will be given advance notice of set time.

#### Website sponsor \$250 (unlimited)

Logo included on website and shared social media blasts.

#### Please email info@acousticsforautism.com to request payment by cash or check.

#### **ELECTRONIC PAYMENTS:** https://acousticsforautism.com/sponsor/

You will upload your high resolution logo at that time.

All sponsorship materials and payment must be received by February 7, 2025 for full acknowledgments, in order to allow time for banner printing.

If you have a banner you would like used specifically, please let us know by February 7, 2025.

If you wish to be a sponsor after the deadline, please contact info@acousticsforautism.com to request potential availability and provide your own banner.

Reception of both Logo and payment constitutes a binding contract pursuant to the claims made in this Sponsorship form.

\*\*PLEASE NOTE, you will receive more publicity the earlier your sponsorship is received. Press begins — in December! AFA graphics are updated as sponsors are received, all final products will be considered "official" graphics of the event.