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JAMBALAYA AND JAZZ

Jambalaya and Jazz Sponsorship Packet

June 2025

Welcome to Jambalaya and Jazz, Adoption Option Inc.'s biggest annual fundraiser, with this year's Honorary Chairs, Paul and Kimberly White! Jambalaya and Jazz supports Adoption Option Inc.'s various programs and Capital Campaign, while also bringing together people from around the Great Lakes Bay Region. Sample the best offerings from local restaurants, enjoy the sweet sounds of live jazz music and try to outbid your neighbor for the most sought after auction items, all while making a difference in the lives of the children and families in your community.

As a business leader, you have had a powerful and positive economic impact on your community, and it is with the support of people like you that Adoption Option Inc. is able to continue offering high quality programming throughout the Great Lakes Bay Region and beyond. This letter is to invite you to support Adoption Option Inc.'s mission to improve the lives of the children and families we serve by contributing to our annual Jambalaya and Jazz Fundraiser.

How we serve:

Twenty-one years ago, our organization received a license to provide adoption, foster home licensing, foster care and other services. Later we also began providing parent education and other Family Preservation Services. With help from donors like you, we also began offering mentoring services to youth in the foster care system. Additionally, we provide facilitation services for Family Team Meetings, which are led by a trained facilitator who encourages parents to engage with community resources to assist with their reunification efforts.

Who we serve:

Your sponsorship will help us to provide access to education and resources to change the lives of children and their families located in the Great Lakes Bay Region and surrounding areas. Last year, financial contributions from Jambalaya and Jazz helped our non-profit organization serve over 1,700 children and adults collectively. In addition to supporting our various programs, your contribution will also assist in our Capital Campaign to purchase and renovate the building that we are currently leasing, so that we will have a permanent location from which to serve the children and families in the Great Lakes Bay Region and surrounding areas.

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A Child Reached is A Child Saved...

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How you can help:

We hope you will continue to support our work, core values, and mission to serve children and their families. By selecting one of the sponsorship levels below, you can make it possible for us to assist even more children and families.

JAMBALAYA AND JAZZ

On Thursday, November 20, 2025
From 6pm – 8:30pm
At The Great Hall Banquet and Convention Center
5121 Bay City Rd,
Midland, MI 48642

Will you help again?

We invite you to join us and our Honorary Chairs, Paul and Kimberly White, for Jambalaya and Jazz, and ask that you please consider investing in our efforts to make a positive impact on the lives of children and their families by becoming a 2025 sponsor of Jambalaya and Jazz. There are multiple sponsorship levels that will allow you to help children and their families. The Jambalaya and Jazz Sponsorship Package is attached for your review and consideration. If you have any questions, or would like more information, please contact us at 989.839.0534 or JambalayaAndJazz@aocw.org

Thank you in advance for your consideration and support.

Gratefully,

DeLois Leapheart

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President and CEO
Adoption Option Inc.

**Jambalaya and Jazz 2025
Honorary Chairs
Paul and Kimberly White!**



JAMBALAYA AND JAZZ

Sponsorship Opportunities



EVENT SPONSOR - \$10,000

- ♥ Brand acknowledgement: onsite at event, across all media channels - print, broadcast and digital.
- ♥ Recognized as event sponsor on all marketing materials pre and post - event.
- ♥ Present up to two minutes of remarks/video/commercial during program.
- ♥ 24 event tickets.



CHILD WELFARE SPONSOR - \$7,500

- ♥ Brand acknowledgement: onsite at event, across all media channels - print, broadcast and digital.
- ♥ Recognized as a sponsor on all marketing materials pre and post - event.
- ♥ Present up to one minute of remarks/video/commercial during program.
- ♥ 20 event tickets.



FAMILY PRESERVATION SPONSOR - \$5,000

- ♥ Brand acknowledgement onsite at event - print and digital.
- ♥ Brand acknowledgement pre and post event- print and digital.
- ♥ Recognized as a sponsor in broadcast and print posters for Great Lakes Bay Region
- ♥ 16 event tickets.



ADOPTION SPONSOR - \$2,500

- ♥ Brand acknowledgement onsite at the event - print and digital
- ♥ Recognized as sponsor in print posters in the Great Lakes Bay Region
- ♥ Brand acknowledgement pre and post event - print and digital.
- ♥ 12 event tickets.



FOSTER CARE SPONSOR - \$1,000

- ♥ Brand acknowledgement onsite at event - print and digital.
- ♥ Recognized as a sponsor in print posters in the Great Lakes Bay Region
- ♥ 8 event tickets.



YOUTH SERVICES SPONSOR - \$500

- ♥ Brand acknowledgement: onsite at event - print and digital.
- ♥ 4 event tickets.

CHECK OUT HIGHLIGHTS OF
JAMBALAYA AND JAZZ 2024!



Sponsorship Form



Name: _____

Business Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Email: _____

Phone Number: _____

Sponsorship Options:

- ☐ **Event Sponsorship** - \$10,000 or more
- ☐ **Child Welfare Sponsorship** - \$7,500 or more
- ☐ **Family Preservation Sponsorship** - \$5,000 or more
- ☐ **Adoption Sponsorship** - \$2,500
- ☐ **Foster Care Sponsorship** - \$1,000
- ☐ **Youth Services Sponsorship** - \$500

Amount

**Please respond by Friday October 30, 2025 with
your sponsorship selection**

Tickets

Would you like all of the tickets that are included in your sponsorship level?

☐ YES

☐ NO – I would like to donate _____ of my tickets to an employee or client.

Amount

Payment Method

_____ Email a request for an invoice to: JambalayaAndJazz@aocw.org

_____ Check: **Make check payable to Adoption Option Inc.**

Send check to: Adoption Option Inc., 601 E. Wackerly Street, Suite 1, P.O. Box 2225, Midland, MI 48641-2225

_____ Credit Card: <https://adoptionoptioninc.org/jambalaya-and-jazz-25/>

If you are unable to sponsor, but would like to donate:

Specify Donation amount: \$ _____

Would you like your donation to remain anonymous? ☐ YES ☐ NO

For more information

Call Office: 989.839.0534. Or Email: JambalayaAndJazz@aocw.org