

# **NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOL SOCIAL WORKERS' ASSOCIATION**

PRESENTS

## **Annual Conference Sponsorships and Exhibit Opportunities**

NCSSWA has become the catalyst for providing the professional development of school social workers in North Carolina. We gather once a year to provide our membership with a three-day conference on various topics to enhance their skills in the practice of school social work. School social workers bring unique knowledge and skills to the school system and the student services team. School social workers provide services that enhance and promote the educational, emotional, and social needs of students and families in order for them to make use of the resources available to them to achieve their full potential within their home, school, and community. Our membership is made up of school social workers, drop-out prevention counselors, administrators, and professors from major universities.

### **NCSSWA Annual Fall Conference 2009**

#### **Information:**

- Location: Carolina Inn, Pinehurst, North Carolina
- Date: October 28-30, 2009
- Approximately 250 school social workers to attend

## **SPONSORSHIP AND EXHIBITION OPPORTUNITIES**

### **Lunch Sponsorship Package—Cost \$750.00**

#### **Benefits Include:**

- Recognition as a Sponsor in conference brochure
- Recognition as a Luncheon Sponsor in the conference opening announcements and at the luncheon your group sponsors
- Recognition as a Luncheon sponsor in the conference registration packets and on our website including the following information about your organization: organization name, contact person, email address, website address, land mail address, phone number, fax number, and description of your organization
- Exhibit table at the conference
- Ability to have a single flyer or brochure placed in every registration packet if the required amount of flyers/brochures are received by us 4 weeks before the date of the conference
- One complimentary conference registration for one exhibit person to attend all conference activities

### **Refreshment Break Sponsorship Package—Cost \$500.00**

**Benefits include:**

- Exhibit table at the conference
- One complimentary conference registration to attend all conference activities
- Ability to have a single flyer or brochure placed in every registration packet if the flyers/brochures are received by us 4 weeks before the date of the conference
- Recognition as a Sponsor in the conference brochure
- Recognition as a Refreshment Break Sponsor in the conference opening announcements
- Recognition as a Refreshment Break Sponsor in the conference registration packets and on our website including the following information about your organization: organization name, contact person, email address, website address, land mail address, phone number, fax number, and description of your organization

### **A/V Equipment Sponsorship Package—Cost \$300.00**

- Exhibit table at the conference
- Recognition as a Sponsor in the conference brochure
- Recognition as a Speaker Sponsor in the conference opening announcements
- Recognition as a Speaker Sponsor in the conference registration packets and on our website including the following information about your organization: organization name, contact person, email address, website address, land mail address, phone number, fax number, and description of your organization

### **Vendor Package—Cost \$150.00**

**Benefits include:**

- Exhibit table at the conference
- Recognition as a vendor in the conference brochure
- Recognition as a vendor in the conference opening announcements

### **Non-Profit Exhibition Package—Cost \$125.00 (additional fee of \$75.00 for electricity-hotel imposed fee)**

**Benefits include:**

- Exhibit table at the conference
- Recognition as an exhibitor in the conference brochure
- Recognition as an exhibitor in the conference opening announcements

## **Terms and Conditions of Sponsoring or Exhibiting**

- Payment must be received in full **no later than two weeks prior** to the date of the conference
- In order for your agency's name, contact person, email address, website address, land mail address, phone number, fax number, and organization description to appear in the registration packets, your sponsorship or exhibition application must be received no later than October 3, 2009.
- Sponsorship/Exhibitor space is limited at our fall conference. Do not delay in submitting your application to reserve your space
- In order for your agency's name to appear on the brochure, your application must be received by October 3, 2009.
- Additional fees may apply for electrical or A/V equipment.
- No refund can be issued for cancellations or individuals that do not show to represent your agency. Your application to sponsor/exhibit at our conference is a contract that you intend to fulfill the financial responsibilities of sponsorship/exhibition.

**NCSSWA's Annual Fall Conference Sponsorship/Exhibitor Application**

**Instructions:**

1. Check the sponsorship opportunity of your choice
2. Print or type answers to all questions
3. Sign that you have read and understand the terms and conditions
4. Email or land mail the form to [melinda\\_willingham@abss.k12.nc.us](mailto:melinda_willingham@abss.k12.nc.us) ; or Melinda Willingham/Sandi Hall, Public Relations co-chairpersons at P.O. Box 48, Pinetops NC 27864
5. Mail payment in the form of a check or money order to the above address so that it is received no later than October 3, 2009.

**Please print or type the following information as you would like it to appear in the brochure, registration packet, and website.**

**Organization Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of person to attend conference (if applicable):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Organization Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fax:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_ **web address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Brief description of Organization:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Sponsorship/Exhibitor option desired: (Please check one)**

- Dinner or Lunch Sponsorship Package (\$1000.00)  
 Refreshment Sponsorship Package (\$750.00)  
 A/V Equipment Sponsorship Package (\$500.00)  
 Vendor Package (\$150.00)  
 Non-profit Package (\$125.00)  
 Electricity Fee (\$75.00)

Please return completed form and payment to:

Melinda G. Willingham, Public Relations  
P.O. Box 48, Pinetops NC 27864