

# Grit, Gratitude & You Breakfast

Friday, November 22, 7:30-9:00 a.m.

Windows on the River, West Bank of the Flats



## 8th Annual Community Breakfast

“Grit, Gratitude & You” is a celebration to give gratitude to The First Tee of Cleveland’s parents, coaches, volunteers, donors, board members, Ambassadors Committee members and community partners for a year of participant success. “Grit” is the power of passion and perseverance.

The First Tee of Cleveland is celebrating 19 years of positively impacting youth in Northeast Ohio by providing educational programs that build character, instill life-enhancing values, and promote healthy choices through the game of golf. In 2019, we will serve nearly 2,000 participants ages 6-18 through our green grass programs, our schools’ program and outreach partnerships with youth agencies. Independent research validates that our proven curriculum – Nine Core Values, Life Skills and Healthy Habits – has a positive impact on grades, self-confidence, and social responsibility of our participants.

Kids today deserve our program more than ever. We encourage you to support our efforts by securing one of our sponsorship packages. Hope you can join us for an inspiring morning on November 22nd!

Best regards,  
Daryl Deckard & Heather Schmidt, *Event Co-Chairs*

## Highlights:



- **2019 Del de Windt Leadership Award for Civic Engagement: Richard J. Buoncore**
  - Managing Partner, MAI Capital Management, LLC
  - Past Board Chair, The First Tee of Cleveland



- **Keynote Speaker: June Ryan, Rear Admiral, U.S. Coast Guard (Retired)**
  - Trainer, Speaker, Author, Coach; June Ryan Global Solutions

- **The Doris A. Evans, M.D. Merit Scholarship Award**

## Sponsorship Opportunities

Please help us reach more local youth in need of social and emotional skills. **Participant fees contribute only 7% of the yearly revenue** necessary to continue our impactful programming; 93% is dependent on donors.

### Platinum Exclusive Presenting Sponsor / \$10,000 (\$9,700 tax-deductible)

- “Company Name” Presents the 8th Annual Grit, Gratitude & You Breakfast
- Full-page color ad in Program Book with priority placement
- Direct link on The First Tee of Cleveland website through 12/31/19
- Introduction and acknowledgment during Welcome
- Signage
- Reserved Seating for 8

### Gold Sponsor / \$5,000 (\$4,750 tax-deductible)

- Half page color ad in Program Book with priority placement
- Direct link on The First Tee of Cleveland website through 12/31/19
- Introduction and acknowledgment during Welcome
- Signage
- Reserved Seating for 8

### Silver Sponsor / \$2,500 (\$2,300 tax-deductible)

- Quarter page color ad in Program Book with priority placement
- Direct link on The First Tee of Cleveland website through 12/31/19
- Introduction and acknowledgment during Welcome
- Signage
- Reserved Seating for 8

### Host / \$1,000 (\$800 tax-deductible)

- Logo acknowledgment in program
- Reserved Seating for 8

### Program Ad Options (All color ads; Page Size 8.5” x 5.5”)

- Full page ad (8” x 5”): \$1,500
- Half page ad (4” x 5”): \$1,000
- Quarter page ad (4” x 2.375” x ): \$500
- Congratulatory Wishes: 1/8 page ad (2.375” x 2”): \$250

Ads must be camera-ready and emailed by November 5 to Paula Domzalski – [pdomzalski@thefirstteecleveland.org](mailto:pdomzalski@thefirstteecleveland.org)



# Sponsorship Form

Register online at [www.thefirstteecleveland.org](http://www.thefirstteecleveland.org);  
or, mail this form with your check.



Company / Sponsor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: (Street) \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Name to be recognized in program: \_\_\_\_\_

Please send your check made payable to The First Tee of Cleveland and form to:

**The First Tee of Cleveland**

3841 Washington Park Blvd., Newburgh Heights, OH 44105

Questions? Contact Paula Domzalski, Executive Office Manager: 216.641.7799; [pdomzalski@thefirstteecleveland.org](mailto:pdomzalski@thefirstteecleveland.org)

## Sponsorship Packages

Sponsorship Deadline: November 5th

Please select from the following:

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$10,000 Platinum Exclusive Presenting Sponsor**  
(*\$9,700 tax-deductible*)

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$5,000 Gold Sponsor** (*\$4,750 tax-deductible*)

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$2,500 Silver Sponsor** (*\$2,300 tax-deductible*)

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$1,000 Host** (*\$800 tax-deductible*)

\_\_\_\_\_ We will not be able to participate but wish to support the event with a fully tax-deductible gift of:

**\$2,500** \_\_\_\_\_ **\$1,000** \_\_\_\_\_ **\$500** \_\_\_\_\_ **\$250** \_\_\_\_\_

**Other (specify amount)** \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Options:

\_\_\_\_\_ Enclosed, please find my check.

\_\_\_\_\_ Please send me an invoice.

## The First Tee of Cleveland Leadership Team

**Board of Directors:** Whitt Butler *Chair*, Daryl Deckard *Chair-Elect*, Tricia Tomko *Treasurer*, Tony Kuhel *Secretary*, Patrick Brown, Brent Buckley, Connie Clore, Carl Cores-Ortiz, Lynnette Forde, Christine Kramer, Julie Lamb, Ronna McNair, Christopher Miklich, Jim Peelman, Rick Renner, Sonal Robinson, Steve Srmag, Kevin Thomas, Matt Timmons, Tom Turco, Rob Walker, Adam Zangerle

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*\* Past Board Chair*

**Executive Director:** Patricia LoPresti



## Mission

To impact the lives of young people by providing educational programs that build character, instill life-enhancing values and promote healthy choices through the game of golf.

## Nine Core Values

Honesty | Integrity | Sportsmanship | Respect | Confidence | Responsibility | Perseverance | Courtesy | Judgment