



June 22, 2022

Dear Community Supporter,

Argonaut, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit, will be hosting our annual Sunset on the Harbor Fundraiser later this summer and we look forward to partnering with you. This event will be held on Friday, September 16th, 2022, at the Great Lakes Science Center which provides gorgeous views of the surrounding city, North Coast Harbor, and Lake Erie.

Our goal this year is to raise funds to continue to support our programming at Davis Aerospace and Maritime High School and our mission to “break the cycle of poverty and increase equity in education by providing hands-on experiential learning opportunities and work experience for youth interested in exploring careers in aerospace and maritime.” We are expecting a large crowd with many local business and community leaders in attendance. To make this event as successful as possible, we need your help!

The impact that our programming has is best described by our students themselves:

“[Argonaut] has opened a lot of doors for me. Being involved with Aviation Club, FabLab Club and FIRST Robotics, I have developed skills that I will be able to carry with me throughout my career. I am now interested in quantum computing because of the experiences I had with [Argonaut],” states Victoria Tellez, a junior at Davis A&M.

Macie Williams, a Davis A&M c/o 2022 graduate says: “[Argonaut] has impacted my experience at Davis in many ways. They provided opportunities to further explore my interests in aviation by providing ground school and real flight training. [Argonaut] has also allowed me to experience other career pathways in STEM.”

We have a limited number of tax-deductible sponsorship opportunities available and are accepting donations for our silent auction. We would be grateful if you would consider donations including (but not limited to): gift certificates, unique experiences, merchandise, and services. Silent auction donors will receive excellent exposure and will be listed on both our main website and on the individual digital auction listing for each donation contributed.

Please see the enclosed silent auction donation form. If you have any questions or are interested in a sponsorship opportunity, please do not hesitate to reach out to Julie Kent, Development Coordinator at jkent@argonaut.org or 216-225-2238. We appreciate any support to help make our fundraiser a success. Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

Captain Drew Ferguson,
Chief Executive Officer

ARGONAUT PRESENTS

SUNSET ON THE HARBOR COCKTAIL PARTY

Join us as we celebrate our new brand identity and growing organization!



FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16th, 2022

6:30pm to 10pm

THE GREAT LAKES SCIENCE CENTER

601 Erieside Avenue, Cleveland, OH

SPONSORSHIP & TICKET PACKAGES

□ CAPTAIN SPONSOR | \$10,000

- Prominent logo recognition at event, on website, and on marketing of event.
- Listed as “Presented by” in Event Marketing
- Speaking opportunity at the event
- Premier seating for a table of 10
- 10 VIP passes to sunset boat ride with CEO Captain Ferguson
- Tax Deductible Amount: \$9,000

□ CHIEF MATE SPONSORS | \$7,500

- Logo recognition at event, on website, and on invitations and marketing of event.
- Sponsorship Recognition from Event Stage
- Table of 8
- 8 VIP passes to sunset boat ride
- Tax Deductible Amount: \$6,700

□ SECOND MATE SPONSORS | \$5,000

- Table of 8
- 4 VIP Passes to sunset boat ride
- Logo recognition at event, on website, and on invitations and marketing of event.
- Sponsorship Recognition from Event Stage

- Tax Deductible Amount: \$4,200

□ BOSUN SPONSORS | \$2,500

- 4 tickets to the cocktail party
- 2 VIP passes to sunset boat ride with Captain Kassbaum and Captain Hall
- Logo in Event Marketing
- Tax Deductible Amount: \$2,100

□ SUPPORTING SPONSOR | \$1,500

- Table of 8
- Logo Listed on Event Marketing
- Tax Deductible Amount: \$700

□ NONPROFIT PARTNER | \$750

- 4 Tickets to the event
- Logo Listed on Event Marketing

□ VIP PATRON TICKET | \$175

- Entry to Event
- VIP pass to sunset boat ride
- Tax Deductible Amount: \$75

□ PATRON TICKET | \$150

- Entry to Event
- Tax Deductible Amount: \$50

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SPONSOR COMMITMENT FORM

Thank you for joining our team of sponsors. Please fill out the form below and send it to jkent@argonaut.org.

Contact Name: _____

Organization Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

SPONSORSHIP LEVEL:

Captain Sponsor \$10,000

Bosun Sponsor \$2,500

Chief Mate Sponsor \$7,500

Supporting Sponsor \$1,000

Second Mate Sponsor \$5,000

Nonprofit Partner - \$750

PAYMENT METHOD [Check Credit Card Paypal. Other]

Credit Card #: _____ . Expiration Date: _____ CRV _____

Billing Information:

Name on Card _____ . Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Argonaut appreciates your support. Thank you!

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SILENT AUCTION FORM

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Donor Name: _____o

Organization Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Name of Item: _____

Estimated Dollar Value: _____

Delivery Method:

I will deliver the item(s) and/or certificate(s) to Argonaut (please contact to arrange).

I need Argonaut to pick up the item(s) and/or certificate(s).

I will provide the necessary certificate via email.

I need Argonaut to create a certificate.

Other. Please specify: _____

Please provide a brief description of the item that you are donating:

Argonaut appreciates your support. Thank you!