

Dear Partners and Friends,

BLEND (aka Blend of the Bayou)...the granddaddy of all art fundraisers in northeast Louisiana.

BLEND 2025 is scheduled for **Sunday, March 23, 2025.**

We are returning to the Clarke M. Williams Innovation Campus Lobby located at 1 Century Link Drive in Monroe. That beautiful space was such a hit last year. We're looking forward to being back there this year.

Blend sponsorships play an important role in the Arts Council's mission of nurturing a vibrant regional arts culture through support, promotion, and education. Your sponsorship dollars help fund initiatives including our popular Brown Bag Concerts, Gallery Exhibitions, Lunch and Learns, celebrating our regional artists at the annual Arts Awards, and other special projects.

We are also adding a **Sponsor Preview for BLEND** this year. In return for your sponsorship of BLEND, not only will you receive a combination of admission tickets, reserved tables and advertising based on your contribution level, **all sponsors are invited to an early entrance opportunity beginning at 4:00pm.**

Your sponsorship is a great way to include your family, friends, co-workers, and employees in supporting the arts and culture of this place we call home - - northeast Louisiana.

We encourage you to review the sponsorship guide included and return the from by mail to the address below or by email to Barry Stevens at barry@nelaarts.org.

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact us.

Thank you for your support of the Northeast Louisiana Arts Council. For more information about who we are and what we do, please visit us at www.nelaarts.org.

With gratitude,



Barry Stevens
President/CEO

Will Copeland
Chair



Linda O'Neal
Development Vice-Chair



BLEND 2025 SPONSORSHIP FORM

BUSINESS NAME: _____

CONTACT NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

SPONSOR LEVEL: _____

MY CHECK IS ENCLOSED: PLEASE INVOICE ME:

FOR NORTHEAST LOUISIANA ARTS COUNCIL USE ONLY

DATE PAYMENT RECEIVED: _____

SPONSORSHIP SECURED BY: _____

Please return completed form by mail to the address below or by email to Barry Stevens at barry@nelaarts.org along with a high-resolution logo by **FEBRUARY 12, 2025**

The Northeast Louisiana Arts Council is a 501c3 organization (Tax ID # 72-0914324)
Your contribution may be tax deductible to the extent allowed by law
Consult your attorney or tax adviser for details. Please keep a copy of the form for your records



BLEND

Sponsor Guide

FRIEND OF BLEND

8 event tickets,
1 reserved table,
name listed
on our website,
private preview hour
4-5pm.

\$600

BAYOU SPONSOR

8 event tickets,
1 reserved table,
event signage,
name + logo listed on
our website, social
media promo, private
preview hour 4-5pm.

\$1500

PREMIER SPONSOR

16 event tickets,
2 reserved tables,
event signage,
name + logo listed on
our website, social
media promo, private
preview hour 4-5pm.

\$2500



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NURTURE THE ARTS IN REGION 8!



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