



14th Annual Wiregrass Area Buddy Walk

Sponsorship Commitment Form

BUDDY NAME: _____

F.R.I.E.N.D.S. is asking your support for the 14th Annual Wiregrass Area Buddy Walk. The Buddy Walk is a one-mile walk designed to promote understanding and acceptance of people with Down syndrome. It is a family-friendly event where individuals form teams to support and celebrate their *Buddy* with Down syndrome. The 2022 Wiregrass Area Buddy Walk is Saturday, March 19th at The National Peanut Festival Fairgrounds.

This will be our first in-person walk since 2019 and we are looking forward to an exciting day of celebration and a great walk! Ninety percent of all money raised stays in the local community and is used to provide new parent packets to doctors and hospitals, and to support families and individuals who have been affected by Down syndrome.

F.R.I.E.N.D.S. continues to provide services to individuals with Down syndrome and their families by:

- Providing up-to-date materials and handouts to doctors, hospitals, clinics, libraries, schools, and new families
- Offering opportunities for socialization and education
- Promoting community recognition of the inherent dignity of all people with developmental disabilities
- Offering yearly grant monies to each Buddy for clinical and educational purposes

Sponsorship packet information can be found below; however, any donation amount is greatly appreciated. F.R.I.E.N.D.S. is a non-profit 501c3 organization and you will receive appropriate tax documentation for all donations given. If you have any questions concerning sponsorship, please contact Heather Adkins at 334-790-8292 or by email at info.downsyndromefriends@gmail.com.

Thank you for your consideration of this request. Your support will help all people with Down syndrome step towards a brighter tomorrow.

Sincerely,

The F.R.I.E.N.D.S. Board

Use this secure website to submit your contribution
www.ds-stride.org/wiregrassbuddywalk
and click on the Sponsor tab!

____ **\$1000 Platinum Buddy Sponsor**

- Logo on event t-shirts
- Booth for promotional material at event
- Logo on F.R.I.E.N.D.S. Website
- Logo recognition at event & on social media
- 15 t-shirts

____ **\$750 Gold Buddy Sponsor**

- Logo on event t-shirts
- Logo on F.R.I.E.N.D.S. Website
- Name recognition at event & on social media
- 10 t-shirts

____ **\$500 Silver Buddy Sponsor**

- Name on event t-shirts
- Name on F.R.I.E.N.D.S. Website
- Name recognition at event & on social media
- 8 t-shirts

____ **\$250 Bronze Buddy Sponsor**

- Name on event t-shirts
- Name recognition at event & on social media
- 4 t-shirts

____ **Other Amount \$** _____
Any amount is greatly appreciated!

COMPANY INFORMATION

Company Name: _____

Company Contact Person: _____ Shirt Sizes

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

• Payment Made By: Online Cash Check# _____ Check made payable to F.R.I.E.N.D.S.

For company logo or name to appear on event t-shirt, sponsorship commitment form and logo must be submitted to Heather Adkins by Thursday February 17, 2022. If form is received after this date, all efforts will be made to include your company information, but there are NO guarantees. Mail to: Wiregrass Area Buddy Walk, PO Box 9551, Dothan, AL 36304