



El Kahir FEZ-tival of Trees & More

Thursday through Saturday, November 29-December 1, 2018
905 Tower Terrace Road, Hiawatha, Iowa

The ***Fez-tival of Trees And More*** fundraiser is an excellent opportunity for businesses, organizations, friends and families to show their philanthropic support while receiving public recognition for their contribution. This type of event had been hosted by other Shrine organizations around the United States for several years. The El Kahir Shrine sponsored its inaugural ***Fez-Tival of Trees*** event in 2017.

El Kahir Shrine, located in Hiawatha, has played a key role in the cities of Cedar Rapids and Waterloo, and throughout its jurisdiction in Northeast Iowa. From its inception to the present, good men have had an opportunity to share in the fun of its activities while contributing to needs of **children** with orthopedic conditions, burns, spinal cord injuries, and cleft lip and palate. These specialized services are provided regardless of the families' ability to pay.

We invite **YOU** to sponsor a tree or an "And More" item this year. Below are the guidelines and benefits you will receive:

Guidelines

- Deadline for Tree or "And More" Sponsor agreement is – **Thursday, November 1, 2018** – *Space is available on a first-committed basis.*
- **"& More"** items include wreaths, planters, table or mantel centerpieces.
- Value of tree and prizes/gifts can be \$500 or \$300. "And More" item value is \$150.
- Tree spaces are 7 by 7 feet. Wreaths will be 4 by 4 feet. All trees must be purchased by sponsor and be artificial (no real trees). If trees are lit (recommended), lights must be LED and tree sponsor must supply a new power cord (5 ft) that meets electrical code.
- Tree can be any size, up to 8 foot. Smaller trees (table top size or pencil slim style) are welcomed.
- **Tree or "& More"** sponsor must supply all setup accessories – including and not limited to wire, tape, decorations, hanger, etc. Trees must be secured and free-standing. Tree skirting is recommended.
- You will select a theme for your tree. The theme will be displayed under tree and on raffle box or silent auction sheet with your company name/logo.
- Gift items (optional) may be placed on or under tree to compliment your theme. These items will be part of the tree unless otherwise noted. Cash and/or gift certificates should NOT be attached to tree. Use play money or list on tree. Place these in an envelope with sponsor name and tree theme to be placed in safe in Shrine Office until night of drawing/auction. At this time, the envelope will be given to winner.
- **Tree or "And More"** item must be set up from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, November 28 and/or Thursday, November 29 by Noon. Any sponsor forfeits its ability to participate if deadline is not met. No raffle prize will be awarded on behalf of the sponsor. Sponsor will still be responsible for providing a CASH donation in the amount of their sponsorship agreement to the El Kahir Shrine.
- El Kahir Shrine is not responsible for loss or damage to any trees, wreaths, prizes or displays
- Not able to sponsor a tree or "and more" item, you may may a monetary contribution to El Kahir Shrine.



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Sponsor Opportunities and Benefits

Tree Topper – \$500 cash value. Fully decorated themed tree with option of related gifts/prizes placed either on or under the tree.

- Logo and tree theme on signage under tree
- Logo/Name on signage at entry of event
- Name/Logo presence on El Kahir website and social media
- Two (2) complimentary tickets to the “Appreciation Dinner” on Friday evening, November 30, 2018 with opportunity to view the various trees, wreaths and more available for raffle, silent auction and live auction
- Two (2) complimentary tickets to the “Celebration Cheer” with Raffle drawings, Silent and Live Auction Finale on Saturday, December 1, 2018

Ornament - \$300 cash value. Fully decorated themed tree with option of related gifts/prizes place either on or under the tree.

- Logo and tree theme on signage under tree
- Logo/Name on signage at entry of event
- Name/Logo presence on El Kahir website and social media
- One (1) complimentary tickets to the “Appreciation Dinner” on Friday evening, November 30, 2018 with opportunity to view the various trees, wreaths and more available for raffle, silent auction and live auction
- One (1) complimentary ticket to the “Celebration Cheer” with Raffle drawings, Silent and Live Auction Finale on Saturday, December 1, 2018

Holly - \$150 cash value. Fully decorated wreath, planter or centerpiece.

- Name on signage beside wreath, planter or centerpiece
- Name on signage at entry of event
- Name presence on El Kahir website and social media
- One (1) complimentary ticket to the “Celebration Cheer” with Raffle drawings, Silent and Live Auction Finale on Saturday, December 1, 2018



Agreement – Please return this form to: **El Kahir Shrine, PO Box 38, Hiawatha, IA 52233 by November 1, 2018**

Sponsor _____ Contact Person _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____

I will sponsor: Tree at \$500 value Tree at \$300 value Tree Theme _____

“And More” Item (indicate type of item) Wreath Planter Table/Mantel Centerpiece

I am unable to sponsor at this time, please accept this monetary donation: _____

Make check payable to: **El Kahir Shrine, Fez-tival of Trees**

Proceeds are for the benefit of the El Kahir Shrine Center in Hiawatha, IA and are not tax-deductible as a charitable contribution.