

# Kankakee Area Jaycees

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## **To Whom It May Concern:**

The Kankakee Area Jaycees are a not-for-profit organization that has operated in the Kankakee area since 2009. We have been devoted to helping people between the ages of 18 and 41 learn business and professional leadership skills by engaging them in community development projects. In 2018 the Kankakee Area Jaycees has accomplished a lot. We teamed up with Fortitude Community Outreach and raised money to purchase zero-degree weather sleeping bags for the homeless. When Kankakee and Iroquois county flooded, we started a donation drive for needed supplies and funds. Three blood drives were successfully run with Court Street Ford. Kankakee Day, a new local holiday, was established to celebrate our local history and culture. We ran our first festival, Halloween Downtown, and it was a huge success! With an estimated three thousand in attendance throughout the day, the community came out for free games, activities, music and Halloween fun! Each of these presented our members with opportunities to develop or sharpen their skills in organizing, leading, budgeting, marketing and communication. Moving forward into the new year, we're looking repeat our success with Halloween Downtown, celebrate Kankakee Day, continue our efforts with the American Red Cross and be prepared to help in the community.

We are asking you, a member of our community and ideal partner, to consider becoming one of our 2019 sponsors. Giving young active citizens the opportunity to succeed with training-through-experience, while building sustainable solutions to community issues; these are some of what we hope will inspire you to become involved! The leadership and task management skills our members learn are valuable tools that they take with them when working to improve the community and their own lives. After all, we are all a part of the same community. A strong community base strengthens our economy, local businesses, and personal lives. As a sponsor, you will receive positive media attention for supporting Kankakee Area Jaycees, which (being a local subordinate chapter of Illinois Jaycees, United States Junior Chamber, and Junior Chamber International) receives international recognition for its accomplishments.

We have included a sponsorship proposal for your review. If sponsorship interests you or you're interested in discussing some of the issues our members are currently tackling, please don't hesitate to contact us. In addition, I will follow up via phone within a week or two to see if you have any questions that I can answer about the proposal and our organization. Thank you in advance for taking the time to review our sponsorship proposal package.

**Sincerely**

**Amber Cahue**  
**2019 President, Kankakee Area Jaycees**



## Chapter Sponsor Package

Non-tax-deductible contribution

	Gold (\$1,000)	Silver (\$500)	Bronze (\$250)
Announcement of sponsorship on Facebook	X	X	X
Name mentioned in chapter press releases	X		
Company logo placed on chapter promo material printed in 2019	X	X	X
Announcements from stage at events	X	X	
Company information available at Jaycees booth for all of our 2019 events and appearances	X	X	
Free booth [for 1 year] at community events we run	X	X	X
1-year ad in Kankakee Jaycees newsletter	4x6	Business card size	name/logo
Social Media mentions and postings	12 a year, 1 a month	6 a year, every other month	3 a year, every trimester
1-year Kankakee Jaycees Website ad	4x6	Business card size	name/logo



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