



- INAUGURAL -

# EVENING OF HONOR

SATURDAY

12  
2026

DECEMBER

*Lakeland Police Foundation  
Awards Gala*

RP FUNDING CENTER • 5:30PM - 9:30PM

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Dear Friend,

The Lakeland Police Foundation invites you to become a valued partner in honoring the men and women who protect our community by donating an item, service, gift certificate, package, or unique experience to the Silent Auction at our inaugural **Evening of Honor Awards Gala**.

Every day, the members of the Lakeland Police Department answer the call to serve with courage, compassion, and unwavering commitment. The Lakeland Police Foundation exists to stand beside them—providing resources that recognize their service, support them and their families during times of need, preserve the legacy of our fallen heroes, and strengthen the bond between law enforcement and the community they proudly serve.

Your generous Silent Auction donation will help make this special evening a success while directly supporting the Foundation's six signature programs:

- Fallen Heroes Memorial Perpetual Care Fund
- Educational Grants for Department members and their children
- Hardship Assistance for members and their families during times of crisis
- Retired K-9 Care Program
- Lakeland Police Explorer Program
- Member and Retiree Appreciation Programs recognizing dedicated service

Every donated item makes a meaningful difference. Whether you contribute a gift basket, artwork, vacation package, dining experience, professional service, sports memorabilia, jewelry, tickets, or another unique item, your generosity helps ensure these important programs continue to serve those who dedicate their lives to protecting ours.

In appreciation of your support, your business or organization will be recognized as a Silent Auction donor during the Evening of Honor Awards Gala, providing meaningful exposure while demonstrating your commitment to the safety and well-being of the Lakeland community.

Please remember that donations are welcomed throughout the year. Whether you choose to contribute to this year's gala or reserve a donation for a future Lakeland Police Foundation fundraising event, your partnership plays an important role in helping us fulfill our mission of **Serving Those Who Serve**.

On behalf of our Board of Directors, the members of the Lakeland Police Department, and the families we serve, thank you for considering this opportunity to make a lasting impact. Your generosity helps ensure that those who faithfully serve our community know their community stands beside them.

To donate an item, discuss a future contribution, or request additional information, please contact:

With sincere gratitude,

**Steven A. Pacheco**

Executive Director

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**AUCTION ITEM DONATION FORM**

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**SILENT AUCTION DONATION REQUEST**

ITEM DESCRIPTION(s)

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Restrictions (if any) \_\_\_\_\_

Retail Value\*\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone# (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Delivery of Item Options:**

Item included with completed form

Item will be mailed to: **Lakeland Police Foundation, 219 N. Massachusetts Ave, Lakeland, FL 33801**

Date Item will be mailed: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / 2026

Item is too large or fragile to mail. Donor requests the foundation to arrange pickup.

Date item will be ready for pickup: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / 2026

Item Pickup Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Donor wishes the foundation to create a gift certificate on behalf of donor with donor approval.

**Donor/Organization's Creative Assets/Logo Direction:**

Creative included with this form

No Specific creative/logo needed

Creative Assets/Logo to be emailed to: [Lakelandpolicefoundation@gmail.com](mailto:Lakelandpolicefoundation@gmail.com)

Date creative will be emailed by: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / 2026

**Thank you for your donation to the Lakeland Police Foundation! Please let us know below who to send our gratitude not to:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please email completed form to [lakelandpolicefoundation@gmail.com](mailto:lakelandpolicefoundation@gmail.com) or send by mail to: Lakeland Police Foundation, 219 N. Massachusetts Ave, Lakeland, FL 33801.**

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