



# CATFISH FEST

RICHMOND FIRE RELIEF ASSOCIATION



catfishfestrichmond.com

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Dear supporters of the Richmond Fire and Rescue Department,

With great anticipation, we invite you to join us for our **4<sup>th</sup> Annual** Winter Catfish Fest fundraising event located on the Sauk River Chain of Lakes in Richmond, MN. This exciting family-friendly two-day fishing tournament will take place on **February 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024**. We invite your sponsorship to help make this a successful fundraising event for our 100% volunteer, 501(c)(3) Fire Relief Association. Can we count on your support?

### About the Richmond Fire and Rescue Department

Today, the type of calls the Richmond Fire and Rescue Department encounters vary from commercial and residential structure fires, grass fires, medical emergencies, behavioral health emergencies, auto accidents, hazardous storms, search and rescue, haz-mat incidents, and other public safety hazards. To handle all these emergencies, the Richmond Fire and Rescue Department requires specialized training, tools, and equipment. Fundraisers, donations, and other avenues of income are how much of the needed equipment and training is financially covered for the department.

There is always an ongoing list of equipment needed to be purchased; this year we are actively fundraising to purchase updated electronic fire-fighting equipment and enhancing our rigs with additional life-saving resources. Though these items cost several thousand dollars, we are determined to add it to our arsenal of resources to better serve our community.

### How you can help

The Richmond Fire and Rescue Department truly appreciates your support. If you feel inspired to secure a sponsorship level, please do so by checking the sponsorship level below and mailing or emailing to the address found on the bottom of this page. We kindly ask that you either mail your donation now or sign the pledged dollar amount and return a copy of this sponsor form with your contact information. Description of each level is listed on the second page.

- Bronze Sponsor \$250
- Silver Sponsor \$500
- Gold Sponsor \$1,000
- Weigh Scale Sponsor (1 Only) \$3,000
- Leader Board Sponsor (1 Only) \$5,000
- Ice Sponsor (1 Only) \$7,500
- Tent Sponsor (1 Only) \$10,000
- Prizes & Other Cash Donations (Description: \_\_\_\_\_)

**Mail Sponsorship Checks to:** (or give to any Richmond Fire Dept. member!)

Richmond Fire Relief Association – Attn: Catfish  
P.O. Box 628  
Richmond, MN 56368

- I \_\_\_\_\_ will sponsor at the \_\_\_\_\_ level (see list above) for the 2025 Catfish Fest Fundraising Event and agree to mail my full sponsorship to the address above by January 4, 2024.

If you would like to take part in this two-day event as a guest vendor, or any questions at all please reach out to our planning committee at [catfishfestonthechain@gmail.com](mailto:catfishfestonthechain@gmail.com). Phone: call Jeremy at (320) 290-5794 Thank you for your consideration!



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**Bronze Sponsor**

- Name Advertised on website: CATFISHFESTONTHECHAIN.com
- Advertisement Banner at the Tournament

**Silver Sponsor**

- Same as Bronze
- On-Ice Mentions at the Tournament

**Gold Sponsor**

- Same as Silver
- Name/Logo Advertised on Event Posters
- Social Media Mentions
- 5 Tickets (\$100 Value)

**Weigh-In Scale Sponsor (1 Only)**

- Same as Gold Sponsor
- Name on weight scale
- Radio Advertisement Mentions
- 10 Tickets (\$200 Value)

**Leader Board Sponsor (1 Only)**

- Same as Weigh-In Scale Sponsor
- Name on Leader Board
- 20 Tickets (\$400 Value)

**Ice Sponsor (1 Only)**

- Same as Leader Board Sponsor
- Name around the event area on the ice at the tent
- Two VIP Parking Passes for at the tent/event area
- Additional radio and social media advertisement

\*For more info email us, or call Call Jeremy at 320-290-5794

**Tent Sponsor (1 Only)**

- Same as Ice Sponsor
- Name on Event Tent – (With additional advertisement/mentions)
- Food and Drink accommodations on ice

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