

Broward County Airboat, Halftrack and Conservation Club, Inc.

"Dedicated to Preserving the Everglades"

To Whom It May Concern:

We are writing you on behalf of the Broward County Airboat, Halftrack and Conservation Club Inc. The BCAHCC is a non-profit 501(c) (3) organization that is dedicated to preserving and protecting the Everglades, and the historical way of life we refer to as being a "Gladesmen". We are quickly approaching our 30th Annual Airboat Show & Festival on February 9th, 2019 and February 10th, 2019 at the Bergeron Rodeo Grounds, 4271 Davie Road, in Davie Florida. This is our organizations premier fundraising event. This is a family friendly event; filled with live bands, a kid's zone, food and demonstrations, airboats and buggies displayed, raffles and vendors with a wide variety of unique merchandise for sale.

Preserving the everglades is our primary goal and we do this largely through the investment of our youth. The BCAHCC participates in multiple events including the sponsoring of several youth to attend a week of camp at the FWC's Everglades Youth Conservation Camp at the J.W. Corbett Management Area facility. Here kids spend the entire week hiking through the swamp, fishing, boating, and learning archery skills, marine biology and much more. They sleep there for the week and come home enthusiastic about their new love for the everglades and Florida's awesome backyard. Without the club's contribution, most of these kids wouldn't be able to attend and most probably wouldn't even know about EYCC and the life-impacting camper experience.

Another youth activity that BCAHCC not only sponsors but hosts is the Youth Hunting Program of Florida. This program, in conjunction with the FWC & landowners such as SFWMD and many private land owners, offers ANY child ages 12 to 17 and their parent a weekend of safe and ethical, guided deer, hog, duck, alligator, & turkey youth hunting experience. Youth are taught to respect the outdoors and the species they seek and it is all done in a controlled safe environment. Most of the youth we guide have never hunted and are not from a hunting family. We also sponsor women to attend FWC's Becoming and Outdoors Woman retreats every year where they fellowship together and learn more about Florida's great outdoors.

To ensure the success of this fundraiser, we rely on the generous support of companies and individuals that help support our cause. We are extremely grateful for all contributions and have created sponsorship levels in an effort to help recognize and promote businesses as sponsors at the event.

We have included a sponsorship package for your review and consideration and would be happy to speak with you regarding any additional information you may want regarding the organization and the upcoming 30th Annual Airboat Show and Festival.

Thank you for your kind consideration, I look forward to hearing from you in the very near future.

Sincerely,

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