

# Rockfish Wildlife Sanctuary

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**Rockfish Wildlife Sanctuary is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization**

that supports our community through wildlife rehabilitation and education. RWS relies exclusively on private donations.

**Contributions are tax-deductible.**



Friday, October 2, 2026  
Eastwood Farm and Winery | Charlottesville, Virginia

## Sponsorship Opportunities

### Why support the Rockfish Wildlife Sanctuary?



**Committed to Central Virginia:** The Rockfish Wildlife Sanctuary treats roughly 1,000 injured and orphaned native animals each year, including 60+ unique species. Most patients come from the greater Charlottesville area, though the Sanctuary routinely cares for wildlife originating from 70 counties across Virginia...for free!



**Caring for All Creatures:** RWS is the only rehabilitation facility in the region that provides long-term care for orphaned raccoons, foxes, skunks, groundhogs, bats, and waterfowl like ducklings and goslings. Our release rate is consistently above the national average, speaking to the top-notch quality of care our licensed rehab staff provides.



**Educating Our Community:** The Sanctuary presents dozens of educational programs every year alongside our ambassador animals. We meet thousands of Virginians annually, from kindergarteners to senior citizens. Our programming is always free for public schools.



**Training Future Conservationists:** RWS is one of the few rehabilitation organizations in the nation that offers paid summer internships for students beginning their careers in wildlife science, animal care, and conservation.

**Thank you for your generous support of native wildlife, Virginian ecosystems, and learners of all ages in our community!**



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# Corporate Sponsorship Packages



## Sponsorship Levels

## Benefits

### Summit

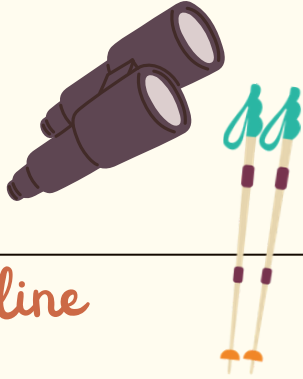
**Presenting Sponsor**  
\$10,000



- Name on program cover
- Tickets for up to 12 guests
- Full page color advertisement on inside program cover
- Name on fundraiser invite & signage
- Opportunity to table at fundraiser
- Special recognition from podium during fundraiser program
- 2 features with RWS on NBC29's Community Conversations segment
- Recognition on website and in newsletters throughout the year of sponsorship
- Recognition on all RWS social media platforms (35,000+ followers, highly local to Central Virginia) and 2 collaborative posts with RWS
- NBC29 segments shared on socials
- Inclusion in eblast (4,400 subscribers)
- Private tour of the Sanctuary and/or a wildlife ambassador visit to your company

### Vista

\$5,000



- Tickets for up to 8 guests
- Full page black and white advertisement in program
- Name on fundraiser invite & signage
- Special recognition from podium during fundraiser program
- Recognition on website in the fall and in spring & fall newsletters
- Recognition on all RWS social media platforms (35,000+ followers, highly local to Central Virginia)
- Inclusion in eblast (4,400 subscribers)
- Choice of one private tour of the Sanctuary or one wildlife ambassador visit to your company

### Ridgeline

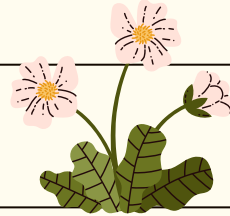
\$3,500



- Tickets for up to 6 guests
- Full page black and white advertisement in program
- Name on fundraiser invitation and signage
- Choice of one private tour of the Sanctuary or one wildlife ambassador visit to your company
- Recognition on website and in fall newsletter
- Recognition on Facebook & Instagram

### Foothill

\$2,500



- Tickets for up to 4 guests
- Half page black and white advertisement in program
- Name on fundraiser signage
- Private tour of the Sanctuary
- Recognition on website and in fall newsletter

### Meadow

\$1,000

- Tickets for 2 guests
- Half page black and white advertisement in program
- Name on fundraiser signage
- Recognition in fall newsletter

### Advertiser \$500

- Half page black and white advertisement in program

## Did you know?

RWS has over 50 specialized outdoor enclosures dotted along our peaceful 20 acre property in Nelson County. Our rehab team routinely walks over 20,000 steps per day caring for all of the Sanctuary's patients. That hard work is worth it come critter release day!

## Contact Information

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

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ We will follow up with you regarding ticket information. Thank you!

## Payment

**Check:** Please mail this form and a check payable to Rockfish Wildlife Sanctuary with "Fundraiser Sponsorship" in the memo line. RWS's mailing address is 5450 Wheelers Cove Road, Shipman, VA 22971.

**Credit card:** Please call the Sanctuary at (434) 263-4954 to pay over the phone or visit our website to donate online. Write "Fundraiser Sponsorship" with your business name in the comment box.



# Patron Sponsorship Packages



## Sponsorship Levels

## Benefits

### Virginia Opossum

\$5,000



- Tickets for up to 8 guests
- Private behind-the-scenes tour of the Sanctuary with friends and family or a private house visit with ambassadors
- Wildlife patient release ride-along experience
- Listed in Soirée program

- Listed on Soirée invitation and signage
- Special recognition from podium during Soirée
- Recognition on website and in fall newsletter
- 2 RWS embroidered ballcaps, t-shirts, and bags

### Red Fox

\$3,500



- Tickets for up to 6 guests
- Private behind-the-scenes tour of the Sanctuary with friends and family
- Name on Soirée invitation and signage

- Listed in Soirée program
- Recognition on website and in fall newsletter
- 2 RWS embroidered ballcaps

### Raccoon

\$2,500



- Tickets for up to 4 guests
- Name on Soirée invitation and signage
- Private behind-the-scenes tour of the Sanctuary with friends and family

- Listed in Soirée program
- Recognition on website and in fall newsletter
- 2 RWS embroidered ballcaps

### Evening Bat

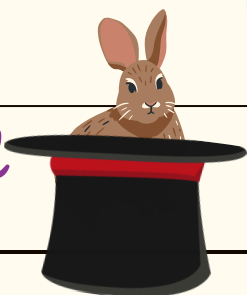
\$1,000



- Tickets for up to 4 guests
- Name on Soirée invitation and signage
- Listed in Soirée program
- RWS embroidered ballcap

### Cottontail

\$500



- Tickets for 2 guests
- Name on Soirée signage
- Listed in Soirée program

## Did you know?

*The Virginia Opossum is RWS's most-admitted patient. Each year, the Sanctuary treats about 250 orphaned joeys with the goal of releasing them back to the wild!*

## Contact Information

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ In honor or memory of someone? \_\_\_\_\_

# of Guest Tickets Requested: \_\_\_\_\_ We will follow up with you for your guests' names and information closer to the Soirée.

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Unable to sponsor but want to buy a ticket to our Soirée?  
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