





The members of Bath Volunteers for Service (BVS) and Bath Pony Club (BPC) are pleased to invite you to consider supporting the 81st Annual Bath Horse Show/Mini-Trial to be held on the weekend of August 9 and 10, 2025 by becoming either a **Sponsor**, a **Donor**, or an **Advertiser** in our Program.

The Bath Horse Show was established in 1944 when a group of Bath High School students decided to throw a horse show to top off their riding season. Susie Cranz, her future husband Robert Wyatt and five others organized the show for the 1st Sunday in October. It was held in front of Ralph Wetmore's barn and after the vans and trailers had pulled away, the Bath Riding Club members emptied out their pockets filled with crumpled dollar bills. After the horse show expenses had been met, they even had enough left over to make a sizable donation to the Red Cross and the Bath Horse Show was born! In 2016, after many years of raising funds for the Bath Fire Department, the Bath Pony Club and Bath Volunteers for Service organizations took over the running of the event which draws participants from novice to experienced riders and provides great competition and an exciting weekend for all who attend.

Last year the Bath Horse Show raised over \$14,000! Bath Pony Club uses their proceeds for educational programs for youth and for maintenance of the Pony Club facilities. Bath Volunteers for Service's proceeds become part of their Charitable Giving Fund, which annually provides grants to dozens of local non-profit organizations and several scholarships for local students. Year after year, the generous support of our local Community makes it possible for each organization to achieve their missions.

By becoming a Sponsor, placing an advertisement in the program, or donating, you can be assured that your dollars are being put to good use and many local organizations and individuals will benefit. At the same time, your business will be highlighted throughout the community.

Enclosed with this mailing you will find a Sponsorship Form and an Advertising Form for you to indicate your support. We ask that these forms, along with payment are returned to us by the dates noted. *Please note, for any sponsorships over \$1,000 which include logos printed on the Community Mailing that goes out at the end of June, commitments are required no later than June 17, 2025.* For all other sponsorships or paid advertisements, the deadline for listing in the event program is July 29, 2025.

To find out more about either of our organizations, please visit the Horse Show page of the BVS website at www.bathvolunteersforservice.com.

We are profoundly grateful for the steadfast support of our local Community in helping us to help others, and we thank you sincerely for your consideration.

With Best Regards,

Becky Hogue Chairperson/Bath Pony Club 81st Annual Bath Horse Show Lisa McClellan Chairperson/BVS Horse Show Committee 81st Annual Bath Horse Show

81st Annual Bath Horse Show Levels of Support

*Inclusion on Community Mailing requires sponsorship commitment prior to June 17, 2025
**Advertisement inclusion in the Horse Show Program requires copy to be received prior to July 29, 2025

Sponsorship/Donation Levels

\$2,000 Olympic Sponsor

- Olympic Sponsor recognition with name/logo on all printed materials (community mailings and event program) *
- Olympic Sponsor recognition with logo in all press releases and online marketing and social media
- Exhibition opportunity at the Bath Horse Show (subject to approval of BVS and Bath Pony Club)
- Full page color inside cover ad included in the Bath Horse Show Program **
- Listing in the event program

\$1,000 Triple Crown Sponsor

- Triple Crown Sponsor recognition with name/logo on all printed materials (community mailings and event program) *
- Triple Crown Sponsor recognition with logo in all press releases and online marketing and social media
- Full page black and white ad included in the Bath Horse Show Program **
- Listing in the event program

\$500 Trophy Sponsor

- Trophy Sponsor recognition with logo in all press releases and online marketing and social media
- Half-page black and white ad included in the Bath Horse Show Program **
- Listing in the event program

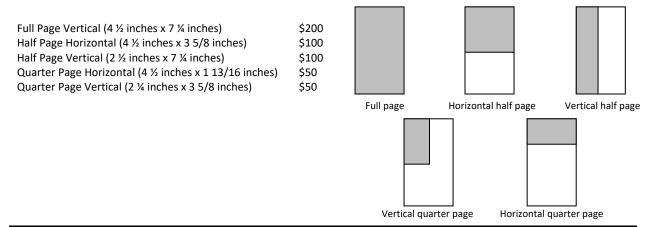
\$250 Blue Ribbon Sponsor

- · Blue Ribbon Sponsor recognition with logo in press releases and online marketing and social media
- Quarter-page black and white ad included in the Bath Horse Show Program **
- Listing in the event program

Other levels of support:	\$150 Galloper	\$100 Pacer	\$75 Canterer
	\$50 logger	\$25 Walker	Other Amount

• Listing in the event program

Paid Advertisement Sizes and Rates



For more information on sponsorships contact Lisa McClellan 703-944-4716 or email at lisaann223@yahoo.com

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