



DVCCC

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE CENTER OF CHESTER COUNTY

Freedom Through Empowerment

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To members of our community:

The Domestic Violence Center of Chester County (DVCCC) will hold our annual fundraising gala on Saturday, April 9, 2016 at the Penn Oaks Golf Club. We invite you to be one of the sponsors for the event. This will mark our 40<sup>th</sup> year providing a wide range of services to victims of domestic violence in Chester County. These services promote the economic, psychological, and emotional self-sufficiency of survivors. As all our services are free, we can only provide them through community support.

We would like to share the story of one of our program participants we will call Annie. Her name is changed for confidentiality but the words are her own:

*"The first time I called the domestic violence hotline, I hung up the phone before it rang because I was so afraid. It took two years and several calls to 911 for me to get enough courage to call and speak to someone. It was at that moment real change began. I felt like the person on the other end of the phone was hugging me so tight it didn't leave any room for fear. To this day, I feel the same way when I'm talking to someone from DVCCC. Through the programs at DVCCC, I found a way to forgive and heal. It's been two years since I relocated to a safe environment. I can't describe the joy I have watching my children ride their bikes, play in parks, and go out to eat. I am finally free to live my life in peace without looking over my shoulder in fear."*

Your sponsorship makes experiences like this possible. As outlined in the enclosed registration form, sponsorship levels for our 2016 Gala celebrating our 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary range from \$500 to \$15,000. Early sponsorship will ensure name recognition in our formal invitation as well as our program and other promotional materials, sending a clear message to your peers and the community of Chester County you are a proud partner in ending domestic violence.

Thank you in advance for your dedication to ending domestic violence in Chester County.

Sincerely,

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**40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration**  
**Benefitting the Domestic Violence Center of Chester County**  
**Saturday, April 9, 2016 from 7pm-11pm**  
**Private Sponsor Reception 6:00pm to 7:00pm**  
**Penn Oaks Golf Club**

**Sponsorship Opportunities**

**Diamond - \$15,000**

**Give smiles.** Help support our children's programs, giving children like Annie's opportunities to heal and connect with others.

Diamond sponsors receive reserved seating for three tables, prominent signage at event as key sponsor with a full page ad in program, and name recognition in all post-event printed materials.

**Ruby - \$10,000**

**Give empowerment.** Help program participants like Annie transition to independent living, providing resources for a safe home with her children.

Ruby sponsors receive reserved seating for two tables, prominent signage at event with a full page ad in program, and name recognition in all post-event printed materials.

**Emerald - \$7500**

**Give support.** Help support DVCCC satellite offices in Oxford, Phoenixville, Kennett Square, and Coatesville so participants like Annie can access services.

Emerald sponsors receive 12 guest tickets, half page ad in program, and name recognition in all post-event printed materials.

**Sapphire - \$5000**

**Give hope.** Help program participants like Annie receive group counseling including child care for their dependents so they can work with fellow survivors to move beyond abuse.

Sapphire sponsors receive eight guest tickets, quarter page ad in program, and name recognition in all post-event printed materials.

**Opal - \$2500**

**Give independence.** Help provide transportation for participants like Annie to court, medical appointments, and job interviews.

Opal sponsors receive six guest tickets and a quarter page ad in program.

**Amethyst - \$1000**

**Give shelter.** Help provide families like Annie's with safe housing in our emergency shelter.

Amethyst sponsors receive four guest tickets and listing in program.

**Pearl - \$500**

**Give safety.** Help program participants like Annie obtain a Protection from Abuse order.

Pearl sponsors receive two guest tickets and listing in program.

**Please indicate sponsorship level on enclosed registration form.**  
**Deadline for recognition in the program is 3/4/2016.**

## Sponsorship Registration Form

**Yes! I/We will sponsor the gala celebrating the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Domestic Violence Center of Chester County at the following level:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Diamond \$15,000
- \_\_\_\_\_ Ruby \$10,000
- \_\_\_\_\_ Emerald \$7,500
- \_\_\_\_\_ Sapphire \$ 5,000
- \_\_\_\_\_ Opal \$ 2,500
- \_\_\_\_\_ Amethyst \$1,000
- \_\_\_\_\_ Pearl \$ 500

Please indicate how your sponsorship should be acknowledged in the printed material:

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### Contact and Payment Information

Primary Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

Method of payment: \_\_\_\_\_ check (enclosed) or \_\_\_\_\_ credit card (Visa or MC)

Card # \_\_\_\_\_ expiration date \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this registration form to DVCCC, P.O. Box 832, West Chester, PA. 19381. Checks may be made payable to DVCCC. For more information please contact Director of Development Terry Moody at 610-431-3546 or email [tmoody@dvccc.com](mailto:tmoody@dvccc.com).



The official registration and financial information of the Domestic Violence Center of Chester County may be obtained from the Pennsylvania Department of State by calling toll free within Pennsylvania, 1-800-732-0999. Registration does not imply endorsement. The Domestic Violence Center of Chester County is a 501(c) (3) non-profit organization supported largely through generous contributions from individuals like you. Thank you!