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<https://beefdays.com>

April 20, 2026

Subject: Join us in Supporting Solon Beef Days on July 17 & 18, 2026

Dear Business Partner,

Solon Beef Days is more than just a celebration; it's a community tradition that gives back. Since 1971, this event has awarded over **\$966,450** to local projects and community improvements. We simply couldn't do this without the incredible generosity of partners like you.

Your sponsorship ensures that Beef Days remains a high-quality event with free entry and activities for families. In preparation for our 2026 celebration on July 17 and 18, we are looking for partners to help us make this year our best yet. At this year's funding approval meeting, the Solon Beef Days committee voted on and approved awarding a total of **\$61,735** for the following items:

Solon Beef Days 2026 Project and Activity Funding Approval Amounts

Project/Activity	Amount	Project/Activity	Amount
Boys High School Soccer	\$500	Solon High School Dance Team	\$1,500
Spartan Life	\$500	Solon Archery Team	\$3,000
Music On Main	\$850	Cub Scouts Pack 120	\$3,000
Solon High School Post Prom	\$1,000	Solon Senior Support	\$3,960
Spartan Dash	\$1,000	Lake Macbride Fireworks	\$2,250
Scouts Troop 120	\$1,000	DVIP / RVAP (Domestic & Sexual Violence)	\$2,500
Purple Martin Gourd Rack	\$1,200	Solon Athletic Programs	\$5,000
High School FBLA	\$650	Solon Spotlight	\$2,500
T.T.T. Chapter FG Iowa City	\$1,325	Solon Public Library	\$4,000
Iowa State Police Association	\$2,000	Solon Recreation Department	\$5,000
Solon FIRST Lego League	\$1,500	Spartan Ball Club	\$3,000
Solon Spartan Trapshooting Team	\$2,000	State Historical Society	\$2,500
High School Baseball	\$2,000	Solon American Legion	\$6,000
Iowa Brass Band	\$2,000		
		Total Funding	\$61,735

Sponsorship Opportunities

Specific event sponsorships (such as the Main Stage, the bands, Parade, Kids Korner, etc.) are assigned in the order that checks are received. We will contact you shortly after receiving your donation to discuss available events for your sponsorship level. Sponsorship Levels, benefits, and available events are as follows:

Sponsorship Information

Sponsorship Level	Amount	Benefits	Available Sponsorship Events
Platinum	\$2000 and up	All Gold Benefits + Sponsor supplied booth to give out Swag/information staffed by your employees + 2 additional Beef Days T Shirts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Main Stage for Friday Night (with sign on Main Stage) • Main Stage for Saturday All Day (with sign on Main Stage) • Beer Tent for both Friday and Saturday • Hay Bale Toss
Gold	\$1000 to \$1999	All Silver Benefits + Name of your business on Beef Days Flyer + Bring your own or use Beef Days supplied signage, logos for social media including the website + 2 additional Beef Days T Shirts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parade • Corn Hole Bags Tournament • Carnival • Beef Days Run (5K & 1 Mile) Front of 5K/1M T Shirt • Kids Korner Friday Night Kids Tractor Pull
Silver	\$500 to \$999	All Bronze Benefits + 2 Beef Days T Shirts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Friday night band from 9 PM To Midnight • Saturday night band from 9 PM To Midnight • Kids Korner Saturday Events To be Announced
Bronze	\$200 to \$499	All Copper Benefits + 2 Beef Days Can Koozies + Sponsor event + logos for social media including the website + Beef Days supplied signage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scott Kleppe Fishing Derby • Waterball Fight • Horseshoe Tournament • Archery Tournament • Friday night band from 5 To 8:30 PM • Saturday band from 11 AM To 1 PM • Saturday Beer Tent Band From 2 pm – 4 PM • Saturday Night Band From 5 PM To 8:30 PM
Copper	\$25 to \$199	Your business name listed on back on Beef Days T Shirt and on Beef Days Website	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None

How to Give

1. **Check:** Please use the enclosed pre-addressed, stamped envelope to send your check.
2. **Details:** Include your business name exactly as you would like it to appear on the T-shirts if it is different than what is listed on the envelop you received this letter in. This will be used for the back of the Beef Days T-shirt and event signage
3. **Deadline: May 23, 2026.**

If you are interested in volunteering or joining the Committee, please visit our website at <https://beefdays.com> for updates and FAQs.

Thank you for your continued support and for helping us keep the spirit of Solon strong. We look forward to seeing you in July!

Sincerely,
Solon Beef Days Proud Sponsor Committee

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