

Creating Scholarships in the Name of Your Company



PIGGYBACKING SCHOLARSHIPS:

Ideal for companies who want to provide scholarship funds specifically to their employees only.

If you want to guarantee that someone from your company wins a scholarship, you may do so by “piggybacking” on the GFIA’s already established Scholarship Foundation.

Piggybacking allows you to provide your own scholarship program to the children of your full-time employees and/or your part-time employees who are full-time students. Only those applicants associated with your company can win your scholarship(s). However, your applicants are also eligible to win other awards offered through the Foundation (i.e. GFIA Scholarships, or any of the sponsored awards). For example, if you piggyback two scholarships you are guaranteeing that at least two of your applicants win awards. If another one of your applicants qualifies and wins a GFIA award, then you would have three winners.

All administrative costs are deferred to the Foundation. All selection processes, disbursement of funds, publicity pieces, etc. are handled by the Foundation and Scholarship Program Administrators, Inc. As a piggybacking company you are only responsible for, 1) naming the scholarship, 2) setting the criteria and 3) providing the amount of the scholarship(s) to be awarded. Employment is verified and you are notified of all winners before they are announced.



SPONSORING SCHOLARSHIPS:

Ideal for vendors and wholesalers who want to provide scholarships to the employees of their retail customers.

Sponsoring scholarships is an excellent way for associate members (vendors) and wholesalers to thank their retail customers and gain exposure.

As a scholarship sponsor, you are able to provide scholarships in the name of your company to your retail customers. As a scholarship sponsor, you are only responsible for 1) naming the scholarship, 2) determining and providing the amount of the scholarship, and 3) approving the criteria. The Foundation and the Scholarship Program Administrators will handle the publicity, judging and disbursement of funds to the winner(s). You will be notified of the winners before they are announced and have final approval.



GEORGIA FOOD INDUSTRY EDUCATION FOUNDATION

2008 "PIGGYBACK"

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITMENT



I would like to **Piggyback** on the Georgia Food Industry Education Foundation Scholarship Program by awarding scholarships in the name of my company. Only children of full-time employees of this company or part-time employees of this company who are full-time students are eligible to win the scholarship(s) funded by this company. I understand the Foundation will be responsible for all administrative costs and processes. I understand I am responsible for paying the amount of the scholarships I have committed to awarding, naming the scholarship, setting the criteria, posting the announcement posters and encouraging my employees to send in the requests for applications.

The name of the scholarship(s) shall be _____.

We will fund _____ piggyback scholarships in the amount of \$ _____ each.
(#)

The total amount of money to be awarded is \$ _____.

In selecting winners, priority shall be given to:

No Priority Part-Time Employees Children of Full-Time Employees

Other criteria to be considered when choosing winners include:

I understand if for any reason the scholarship(s) is not awarded, the money will be refunded to me or I have the option of rolling it over to be awarded the next year.

I understand the amount I have pledged to award shall be paid in full to the Georgia Food Industry Education Foundation no later than March 1, 2008. I will incur no other charges related to the awarding of these scholarships.

Name: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____



GEORGIA FOOD INDUSTRY EDUCATION FOUNDATION

**2008 “ SPONSORED “
SCHOLARSHIP COMMITMENT**



I would like to **SPONSOR** a scholarship through the Georgia Food Industry Education Foundation Scholarship Program by awarding scholarships in the name of my company. I understand the Foundation will be responsible for all administrative costs and processes. I understand I am responsible for paying the amount of the scholarships I have committed to awarding, naming the scholarship and setting the criteria.

The name of the scholarship(s) shall be _____.

We will fund _____ sponsored scholarships in the amount of \$ _____ each.
(#)

The total amount of money to be awarded is \$ _____.

Who is eligible for this scholarship (i.e. GFIA retail members only; retail & wholesale members; retail members & employees of your company; etc.)?

In selecting winners, priority shall be given to:

No Priority Part-Time Employees Children of Full-Time Employees

Other criteria that should be considered when choosing the winners include:

I understand the amount I have pledged to award shall be paid in full to the Georgia Food Industry Education Foundation no later than March 1, 2008.

I will incur no other charges related to the awarding of these scholarships.

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Signature: _____ Date: _____

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