



Dear Business Sponsor,

2024 is here and we are already into full swing for our biggest fundraising event! It's time to start collecting Door Prizes for our Community FUN Bowl, which is to be held at Splitz Bowling Center at Funworks in Gainesville on Saturday, July 27, 2024. We are expecting to have close to 150 bowlers and will be providing advertising value for your Door Prize items in the form of a listing in the event program and by an announcement during the event. We will also list the Door Prize items on our Facebook page before the event for all items received by July 17, 2024. For your bookkeeping records, the Hawthorne Area Chamber of Commerce is an IRS 501(c)6 Organization.

We will also be handing out a Goody Bag to each of our bowlers and volunteers. Each bag will contain different promotional and advertising items from each Company or Individual that wishes to contribute. Items such as a Bowling Towel, Pens, Magnets, Key Rings and Coupons are just some of the items from past years' Goody Bags. We will be putting together 175 bags to give away to our bowlers & volunteers. If you would like to contribute but would prefer to supply less than 175 items that will be no problem. The bags don't have to contain the same items and all contributions will be greatly appreciated.

Please contact the Chamber at 352-363-5125, Door Prizes and/or Goody Bag items can be dropped off in Hawthorne at the Hawthorne Area Chamber of Commerce office next to the Hawthorne Insurance Agency at 6800 SE US Hwy 301. Please provide us with any advertising material or flyers to hand out with your Door Prizes. A business card attached to each Door Prize works really well for most items, too. All Door Prizes and items for the Goody Bags must be turned in by July 17, 2024. However, if you'd like to be listed in the program as a Door Prize &/or Goody Bag donor then we must have your items in by June 30, 2024.

You do not have to be a Chamber member to donate items so please share this with your contacts. Thank you!

Sincerely,

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