

THE PURPLE BALL

APRIL 5, 2024
THE SMITH AT THE MOTO MUSEUM

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Put on a on a splash of purple and your fancy leather and join us for a fun and inspiring evening that raises funds to support the Lupus Foundation of America, Heartland Chapter's programs of research, education, support, and advocacy.

THE VENUE

The Smith is a new event venue located in the MOTO Museum in Midtown. The museum houses a private collection of unique motorcycles obtained from over 20 countries from around the globe covering almost 100 years of motorcycle history.

THE EVENT

The Purple Ball features a cocktail reception, premium open bar, delicious dinner, and dancing. Take a chance to win a bottle of fine wine or whisky and have fun at the photo booth. The event includes an online auction and an inspiring presentation and opportunity to send a girl to lupus camp.

LUPUS INSPIRE AWARD



The Lupus Foundation of America, Heartland Chapter is pleased to present the 2024 inaugural *Lupus Inspire Award* to **Austin M. Dalrymple, DO, FAAP, FACR,** Associate Professor of Pediatrics and Program Director, Pediatric Rheumatology Division of Adult & Pediatric Rheumatology, Saint Louis University School of Medicine & SSM Health Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital.

PURPLE FOR A PURPOSE

Lupus is a complicated, unpredictable, and misunderstood autoimmune disease that ravages different parts of the body. It is difficult to diagnose, hard to live with, and a challenge to treat. While anyone can be diagnosed with lupus, 90% of people with lupus are female, and women of color are 2-3 time more likely to be diagnosed with the disease.

The Lupus Foundation of America, Heartland Chapter is part of a national force devoted to solving the cruel mystery of lupus while providing caring support to those who suffer from its brutal impact. Through a comprehensive program of research, education, support, and advocacy, we lead the fight to improve the quality of life for all people affected by lupus.









SPONSORSHIP LEVELS & BENEFITS

PRESENTING SPONSOR - \$10,000

- · Two tables with VIP seating (seating for 20)
- Full page ad in program book (inside front)
- Logo on invitations, save the date, and program book
- Logo featured on event signage and slideshow
- Logo featured on e-marketing, Purple Ball website, Heartland website, social media, and annual report

GOLD SPONSOR - \$5,000

- One table with VIP seating (seating for 10)
- Full page ad in program book
- Logo on invitations, save the date, and program book
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VIP TABLE SPONSOR - \$2,700

- One table with VIP seating (seating for 10)
- Half page ad in program book
- Name on invitations and program book

PREMIER SPONSOR - \$7.500

- One table with VIP seating (seating for 10)
- Full page ad in program book (inside back)
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SILVER SPONSOR - \$3,500

- · One table with VIP seating (seating for 10)
- Half page ad in program book
- Name on invitations and program book
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PROGRAM BOOK ADVERTISING

- Full Page Ad \$500 (8.5 x 11)
- Half Page Ad \$300 (8.5 x 5.5)
- Quarter Page Ad \$200 (4.25 x 5.5)

RESERVED TABLE FOR 10 - \$2,000 | GENERAL ADMISSION TICKETS - \$200

Sponsorship must be confirmed by the following print deadlines:

Save the Date, November 29, 2023; Invitations, January 23, 2024; Program Book, March 22, 2024

POWER OF PARTNERSHIP

The Purple Ball is our largest and most successful fundraising event. Our partners have an opportunity to reach a diverse audience of decision makers who are invested in health and wellness.

- Event attracts our region's influential corporate and civic leaders, medical professionals, and donors.
- Purple Ball invitations are mailed to over 1,000 households and targeted e-mails are sent to over 7,000 individuals.
- LFA & Purple Ball websites have over 13,500 visits per year.
- 7,000 Facebook Followers, 1,700 Instagram Followers, 900 Twitter Followers.







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