2024 Humanitarian Awards

HEALING THROUGH OUR SHARED HUMANITY

FACES OF HOPE













The 2024

HUMANITARIAN AWARDS

May 9, 2024 • 5:30-8pm Jacksonville Center for the Performing Arts

THE HONOREES

For 54 years, this special event has honored those who have demonstrated an unwavering commitment to our community.

SILVER MEDALLIONS

Martha Frye Baker - Community Trustee
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OUR VISION

Our vision is an inclusive community where difference is welcomed and celebrated.

Through education, community-building, advocacy and community engagement initiatives, OneJax works to overcome bias, bigotry and oppression. It is the intention of OneJax to serve as an ethical center among all people to assure that everyone in Northeast Florida is treated with respect and dignity. We want to be the catalyst that will help our diverse community to be truly Different Together. We can't do it alone—it will take all of us working together. Please join us.



OUR MISSION

OneJax is an interfaith organization dedicated to achieving civility, understanding and respect for all people.

WHY BE A SPONSOR?

- You believe in the mission of OneJax, an interfaith organization dedicated to promoting civility, respect and understanding.
- You want to be proactive in rejecting expressions and acts of hate in our community.
- You want to join in celebrating remarkable leaders from our community.
- You want to live in a community that celebrates differences.
- You want to live in a community that is just, equitable and sustainable.
- You want to help our community focus on all we have in common, in spite of our differences.
- You support OneJax programs because they are making a difference in our community.

WHAT YOUR SPONSORSHIP WILL SUPPORT

SANDY MILLER ONEYOUTH PROGRAMMING

- In-Classroom Diversity Education
- Metrotown Institute—Multi-day experiential leadership and diversity training
- Metrotown-In-A-Day (MIAD)—A one-day condensed version of Metrotown
- Leaders of United Diversity (LOUD)—A service group of Metrotown graduates

INTERFAITH PROGRAMS

- A variety of programs for clergy and chaplains from different faith traditions
- Interfaith Campus Connect, an initiative to build a strong interfaith network among groups on the college and university campuses in Northeast Florida
- Interfaith forums and programming for the community
- Annual Interfaith Thanksgiving Gratitude Service

COMMUNITY FORUMS/CIVIL DISCOURSE DISCUSSIONS

- Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Belonging Training and Facilitation
- Community Engagement / Community Suppers
- Promotional campaigns that emphasize the diversity of our community
- Community Gatherings to get neighbors talking to neighbors



ABOUT ONEJAX

A PROUD TRADITION OF SERVICE IN NORTH FLORIDA

Originally formed as a local chapter of the National Conference of Christians and Jews in 1970 and later known as the National Conference for Community and Justice, the organization has addressed the everchanging needs and challenges that come with promoting interfaith respect, acceptance and inclusion. In 2005, the Jacksonville chapter disaffiliated from its national group and formed OneJax.

The reputation of OneJax and its work continued to grow over the next several years. The range of topics addressed in its many forums of discussion expanded to include ethnicity, race, culture, ability/disability, sexual orientation and identity. Between 2012 and 2023, OneJax was affiliated with the University of North Florida, serving both the campus community and the greater Jacksonville community at large. OneJax reclaimed it's independent, 501(c)3 nonprofit status in July 2023.

OUR GUIDING PRINCIPLES

RESPECT. We respect and value every person's human dignity.

UNITY. We celebrate our common humanity and we honor our differences.

COURAGE. We stand together and speak out when oppression hurts people.

CREATIVE TENSION. We face disagreement and discord to elicit better ideas and outcomes.

FAITH. Our commitment to a common vision is rooted in our individual and diverse faiths.

ACCOUNTABILITY. We act responsibly with those we serve and with those who support us.

INTEGRITY. We live the principles we talk about in our everyday lives.

AWARD HISTORY



To see a list of all previous recipients of the Humanitarian Awards (The Circle of Honorees), as well as a list of the Event Committee Chairs over the years, visit https://onejax.org/programs/humanitarian-awards/ or scan the QR code.



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Introduction of a speaker or honoree, 30 tickets of preferred seating, recognition as a "lead sponsor" in all promotional materials including event invitation, event program, event signage, and screenshow, as well as formal recognition from podium. (Sponsorship consists of a \$47,750 tax-deductible donation.)

COMMUNITY BUILDER \$25,000

20 tickets of preferred seating, prominent logo in event invitation, prominent logo on program, event signage, and screenshow, as well as formal recognition from podium. (Sponsorship consists of a \$23,500 tax-deductible donation.)

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15 tickets of preferred seating, prominent logo in event invitation, prominent logo on program, event signage, and screenshow, as well as formal recognition from podium. (Sponsorship consists of a \$13,875 tax-deductible donation.)

CHAMPION \$10,000

10 tickets of preferred seating, prominent logo in event invitation, prominent logo on program, event signage, and screenshow, as well as formal recognition from podium. (Sponsorship consists of a \$9,250 tax-deductible donation.)

UNIFIER \$5,000

10 tickets and listing in event invitation, program and event signage listing. (Sponsorship consists of a \$4,250 tax-deductible donation.)

FRIENDS OF ONEJAX \$3,000

10 tickets and program and event signage listing. (Sponsorship consists of a \$2,250 tax-deductible donation.)

INDIVIDUAL TICKETS \$250

Ticket price consists of a \$175 tax-deductible donation.

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