

HONORABLE ORDER OF BLUE GOOSE INTERNATIONAL SOUTHERN REGION

2026 CORPORATE SPONSORSHIP DRIVE

Established in 1906, the Honorable Order of the Blue Goose International (bluegoose.org) is a fraternal organization of professional men and women who work in the insurance industry and related fields. We encourage growing in one's profession, promote industry leadership, and actively raise money and contribute time to support local charitable causes within our respective chapters, which we call Ponds. Over the past eight years Blue Goose, as of 6/30/22, has donated \$1,893,186 to various charities, volunteered 16,262 hours, collected \$684,662 in goods and awarded \$94,660 in scholarships across the US and Canada.

As a fraternal organization, our regular pond meetings provide fellowship and networking opportunities for our members in pursuit of our core principles of "Character, Charity and Fellowship". Membership in Blue Goose provides a unique and personal opportunity for growth improvement of our industry's image in the eyes of the general public.

Every year we meet at an international convention. In 2026, the 120th Grand Nest Convention will be held in Louisville, Kentucky and hosted by the Southern Region (Alabama, Arizona, Kentucky, Louisiana, Texas, Tennessee and Virginia Ponds). The Convention will incorporate all the hospitality and culture the south has to offer. Our convention theme is "GATEWAY TO THE SOUTH" in 2026. We are seeking corporate sponsorship to participate in and facilitate this great event. Enclosed is our Corporate Sponsorship information outlining the tiered sponsorship level opportunities.

Please review the information for full details on sponsorship level benefits. Should you elect to participate, simply select a level of support, complete the form and return it with your payment to one of the convention committee members at outlined below. If you have any questions, you may contact one of us directly. Please make your <u>check payable to the "Southern Region Convention Fund".</u>

On behalf of the Southern Region, thank you in advance for your support of the Honorable Order of Blue Goose International.

Tom Elder, PMLG Grand Guardian of the Nest

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