

## *2016 Hardeeville Catfish Festival*

Dear Festival Sponsor,

The Hardeeville Catfish Festival as a 1<sup>st</sup> year standalone organization ran by a Board of Directors and group of volunteers had an amazing festival last year thanks to great sponsors. We are asking you to continue to partner with us as a Sponsor to make this the best festival in South Carolina.

This year's festival will officially begin Friday, September 16<sup>th</sup> and run through Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup>. There are several wonderful kickoff events, which include a Beauty Pageant scheduled for July, Catfish Fishing Tournament in August, 5k Run and Education Day for local schools in September. Of course, the catfish cook-off/bake-off, amusement rides, live music, great food, fireworks and family fun are all on the menu. We know your business brings vital services and jobs to our city. In appreciation, we are extending a special invitation for you to take part in this Great Festival as a Sponsor.

As a 501c3 committee, the festival needs your help in getting this festival together. Attached is a sponsorship form detailing the benefits sponsorship brings to your business. We also need volunteers and certain goods and services so we can be flexible and creative in helping you participate. If you have any questions, please send an email to: [hardcatfish@yahoo.com](mailto:hardcatfish@yahoo.com).

On behalf of the Hardeeville Catfish Festival Committee, We wish to extend our sincere appreciation to you for considering sponsorship as well as our appreciation of all that your business brings to our community. We hope you will take this opportunity to be a part of The Hardeeville Catfish Festival.

Yours Truly,

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