May 20, 2019

Re: *Taste of the Cove & Silent Auction V* sponsorship benefiting the Martinsburg Community Library, nonprofit #25-1157648/000

Dear Community Partner,

It’s back! **Taste of the Cove** is returning to the Givler Cultural Center at Homewood in Martinsburg for another great night of fun and fundraising to benefit the Martinsburg Community Library. Our guests truly enjoyed the beautiful new venue, wonderful meal, and classic acoustic rock entertainment provided by Raining Blue, who had everyone singing along!

If you were a sponsor of any type last year, we truly thank you for your sponsorship. If you haven’t had the opportunity to be part of the Taste of The Cove the last four years, now’s the time to get involved for 2019! *Due to consistent decreases in library funding, the Taste of The Cove has become a main source of income for the library to continue to operate. Our 2019 goal is $17,000, and that goal is achievable with your support.*

This year’s event is scheduled Saturday, **October 19, 2019**, at the Givler Cultural Center at Homewood, in Martinsburg, from 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. at 437 Givler Drive, Martinsburg. A buffet dinner will be prepared by Homewood’s Chef, and Raining Blue has committed to be with us again for an evening of entertainment! The event will include the fifth year of Novel Service Award presentations to well-deserved community members. Award nominations will be accepted until **September 6**. It promises to be a night of food, fun, and special recognition for a great cause.

We invite you to select a program ad/ticket sponsorship level from the attached forms or pledge a product/service to the silent auction or raffle. Gift baskets, gift cards, vacation packages, and new retail items will be accepted until **September 27**. Major sponsors will be acknowledged in press releases and on the library wall plaque and website. All donors will be listed in our program booklet.

Please notify the Library Director (814.793.3335 or [mclibrary@atlanticbbn.net](mailto:mclibrary@atlanticbbn.net)) of your sponsorship commitment by **August 2** in order to appear in press releases. The Martinsburg Community Library Board and Director thank you in advance for your continued support.

Together we are moving PA Forward!

Sincerely,

*Martinsburg Community Library Board*

*Library Director*