



Because of YOU

Almost 600 adults with disabilities are able to THRIVE, living with purpose and leading a fulfilling life.

Read what our participants say about Black Hills Works, and you can trust that **YOUR SUPPORT** and **PARTNERSHIP** are put action every day of the year.



Why do Todd and Jenny love BHW? When asked what they like best, "it's the **support** we receive to live **independently**." They have been married 23 years and own their **home**. Jenny said, "All I wanted in life was a husband, house, a cat, and **I have it all!**"



At the top of Tyler's list is the opportunity to participate in **Flutter Productions**, our all-ability theater.

AREAS OF IMPACT



Parent and volunteer Deann Arneson shared why she values Black Hills Works for her son Harry. "It is his world, his life, his future, a safe place to live in an apartment of his own. He is becoming more comfortable with others supporting him, which means the world to me, and gives me peace of mind for the future. Thank you!"

Harry says he likes "the opportunity to be **employed**."



FashionABLE participant Cindy said, "I'm so happy that I'm going out into the **community** often."



Chuck is a valued **employee** at Mt. Rushmore. He also **volunteers** at the Club for Boys at the thrift shop.



Nancy, an artist and long-time participant of BHW values "the **support** I get, plus **working** at Suzie Cappa Art Center."



SPONSORSHIP PROPOSAL

"Black Hills Works is a large organization, and it takes a village to do the work we do. Because of you, our participants have a place to call home, enjoy meaningful employment, and are able to fully engage in community. Thank you from the bottom of my heart for being part of this journey with us."
- CEO, Brad Saathoff



Partner with us, and **TOGETHER** we will continue creating and sustaining **OPPORTUNITIES THROUGH COMMUNITY!**

THANK YOU! Your sponsorship provides opportunities for the participants of Black Hills Works to live in our community with **INDEPENDENCE, DIGNITY, and PURPOSE.**

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THE BENEFITS TO YOU: As your partner, the Black Hills Works Foundation takes our partnership agreement very seriously. You make a promise to help adults with disabilities **LIVE, WORK, and PLAY.** In return, we promise to deliver these rewarding sponsorship benefits.

BHW Foundation 2025 Sponsorship	Transformative \$15,000 or more	Champion \$14,999 - \$10,000	Sustainer \$9,999 - \$7,500	Collaborator \$7,499 - \$5,000	Supporter \$4,999 - \$2,500	Helper \$2,499 - \$1,001
Exclusive sponsor message/story on website	X					
Additional Recognition for Month of Support	X	X	X			
Invitations to exclusive gatherings, including Artist of the Year reception & Meet & Greet with Gala honorees	X	X	X	X		
Personal recognition from one the featured people supported throughout 2025	X	X	X	X		
Highlight in a BHW ad in Elevate or other marketing magazine	X	X	X	X	X	
Recognition in Flutter Productions performance programs	X	X	X	X	X	
Logo featured on BHW website	X	X	X	X	X	
Recognition in newsletters (500 internal per issue/3000 external per issue) & BHW TV programming	X	X	X	X	X	X
Recognition on Sponsor page of BHW website	X	X	X	X	X	X
Placement on Social Media platforms: Facebook, LinkedIn, Instagram, X, & YouTube	X	X	X	X	X	X
Walk Through the Works presentation	X	X	X	X	X	X
Inclusion of BHW logo in your business publication	X	X	X	X	X	X
Event Materials & Marketing-Logo placement	X	X	X	X	X	X
Invitation to Flutter Production & sponsor recognition events	X	X	X	X	X	
*Putt-n-Pub Team- March 1, 2025 <i>Minimum of \$600 financial allocated toward event to have at team</i>	X	X	X	X	X	
*Annual Recognition Gala <i>Minimum \$1200 financial contribution allocated toward event to receive a table for 8</i>	X	X	X	X	X	
EVENT SPONSORSHIP for Gala & Putt-n-Pub	Event Sponsor	Benefits	Benefits	Benefits		
Red Carpet Gala Sponsor – A Minimum of \$5,000 financial contribution required. Available to Transformative, Champion, or Sustainer Levels.	\$5000	Table for 8	Host a Meet-n-Greet for Honorees	Marketing benefits for Transformative, Champion, & Sustainer level		
Sponsor Annual Recognition Gala on October 17, 2025	\$1200	Table for 8		Media & event recognition		
Putt-N-Pub event on March 1, 2025	\$ 600	1 Team representing your business		Media & event recognition		

Benefits inclusion subject to deadline. All benefits expire after 12/31/2025. Black Hills Works is a non-profit 501c3 organization. Tax ID is 46-0363653. Your sponsorship is tax deductible up to the maximum extent allowed by law. Please be advised that in keeping with IRS guidelines, experiences and tickets to events may affect the deductibility of your gift.

THE IMPACT OF YOUR PARTNERSHIP

EMPLOYMENT- Over 40 local businesses employ 300 participants. Pride in working and earning an income is significant to quality of life.

HOUSING – 360 participants have safe, affordable, and accessible housing. Participants live in apartments, community homes, group homes, or shared living.

VOLUNTEERING – Participants gave 1200 hours of volunteer time at local churches, Feeding SD, the Boys Club, Love Inc., City of RC, Fork Real, and more.

COMMUNITY members volunteered over 4000 hours with Black Hills Works.

FLUTTER PRODUCTIONS provides opportunities to participate in theater production and performance. In 2024 participants engaged in 2 productions, with the support and involvement of community volunteers.

SUZIE CAPPA ART CENTER employs 30 artists. On-going education is provided by artists in residence. The gallery artwork is available for purchase.

EVENTS – Two major community awareness and fundraising events are hosted each year:

***THE PUTT-N-PUB** will be held March 1, 2025 in downtown Rapid City. Costumes and mini-golf putting greens create a fun-filled day that is made complete with the support of volunteers from the community and BHW participants.

***THE ANNUAL RECOGNITION GALA** will be hosted on October 17, 2025 honoring 24 participants. It is an evening of celebration that helps to fund programming and accessible housing.

Smaller events are hosted throughout the year to thank our partners and the community for their outstanding support of the almost 600 adults with disabilities of Black Hills Works.

