

# **IEP Gives Frequently Asked Questions**



Each year, Idaho Event Professionals may sponsor one wedding or event for a couple or family experiencing extreme life circumstances like terminal illness, loss, or other special circumstances. Our goal is to bless the life of a family/couple that otherwise would not be able to celebrate the special unity of family.

## What is included in the wedding sponsorship?

We strive to give each couple/family an incredible experience and the opportunity to celebrate in a way that would not otherwise be possible.

Usually Included: Event Planning & Coordination | Venue | Photographer | Videographer | Cake/Desserts | Caterer | Photo Booth | DJ | Florist | Decorator | Rental Company | Officiant | Bride's Hair & Make-Up | Wedding Gown Rental | Tuxedo Rental for Groom

Possibly Included: Lighting Design | Veil | Jewelry | Shoes | Wedding Party Attire | Hotel Stay | Transportation

Not included: Rehearsal Dinner | Alcohol | Child Care | Transportation | Honeymoon | Guest Travel

# Is there a limit to how many people can attend my event?

Yes, we ask that you limit your guest count to 50 people, including yourself. This helps to minimize cost for the vendors providing services for your event. Additional guests can attend for \$20/per person, up to 100 total guests.

#### Is there a cost to me to receive the event sponsorship?

For the services included, there is no cost to you. We want to provide this experience all inclusive. If you choose to add on additional services or want something at your event that is not included, that is your responsibility. If you know of anyone who would like to donate to the event, this will welcomed and the funds will help provide the needed items for your wedding.

# Am I able to choose things I want, like flowers and colors?

Yes! Each vendor will meet with you individually (if applicable) to choose specifics for what they are providing. Depending on the vendor, they may give you 2-3 options have you select the one you like best. Each vendor will do their best to provide you with the choices you desire. This will be coordinated by your event planner.

## What is required of me to participate?

We ask that the clients we work with are gracious and thankful to their vendors. Each of our hand selected vendors has an incredible reputation in the community and give to these events out of the kindness of their hearts and at their own expense.

Recipients of IEP Gives events must agree to full media coverage (news, print, online, etc). Reporters may be present at your event and we work closely with them to ensure that they are not intrusive to the special nature of your day and respectful of the challenges you may be experiencing. New coverage means that this event is able to inspire and encourage others who may be struggling in their lives.

#### Who Chooses the recipient of the IEP Gives sponsorship?

All applications are reviewed by the Idaho Event Professionals. A special review committee may be formed for this selection process including other Idaho Event Professionals members and/or past IEP Gives recipients.