

INVITATION FROM THE LINCOLNSHIRE RURAL CHARITIES

On 11th April 2019, we will once again be working together to host the third 'Lincolnshire Rural Charities' Dinner in the magnificent setting of the Epic Centre on the Lincolnshire Showground.

The dinner is being held to celebrate the work of charities that actively work to support communities throughout Lincolnshire and beyond. The Lincolnshire Rural Support Network helps over 140 rural families a year with practical and emotional support, and is working with the Lincolnshire Diocese and the Methodist District to fundraise to secure the future of Agricultural Chaplaincy in the County. The Jon Egging Trust has worked with more than 1500 young people in Lincolnshire inspiring and supporting them to overcome adversity and achieve, and the Lincolnshire Agricultural Society's Educational Trust, which works to promote food and farming. These charities all provide vital services and rely extensively on fund-raising for their continued operation. The dinner is an opportunity to entertain your guests in style whilst helping raise much needed funds.

The evening will celebrate the Lincolnshire Agricultural Society's 150th year with a theme of 'Past, Present and Future'. Guests will be guaranteed a sumptuous meal of Lincolnshire produce designed and introduced by Steven Bennett, 'The Lincolnshire Chef' at Healing Manor, during a fun evening of fine dining and entertainment.

Your involvement will be publicised through County and local media coverage along with the Charities' own marketing material. A full colour commemorative program will be produced for each guest and corporate sponsors' advertisements will be included within it.

On behalf of the three Charities, we very much hope that you will be able to help us build on the success of our previous dinners by being part of this great evening of fine dining and entertainment.

Meryl Ward MBE FRAGS

Chair of the Lincolnshire Rural Charities Dinner Committee



LRSN was founded in 2002 and is a Lincolnshire charity supporting Lincolnshire's rural and agricultural community. The focus of our work is farmers and those working in agriculture and their families, many of whom are isolated in rural communities and experiencing problems associated with their mental and physical wellbeing. Our service is a tailored mix of advocacy, mental and physical health screening, signposting and practical and emotional assistance where we 'walk with' the client until the problem is resolved. Our team of skilled and competent volunteers and staff are drawn from the community which we serve supporting more than 140 families per year. In addition, every year our Health Screening Service at County Livestock Markets and Spalding Auction undertakes over 1000 health checks and our Helpline receives over 100 calls for support and advice. For us no problem is too small, too complex or too simple. The Agricultural Chaplain is at the heart of all we do, and we are currently working with the Diocese and the Methodist District to secure funding for the Chaplaincy role.

Registered Charity No. 1137678



The Jon Egging Trust (JET) was set up in memory of Red Arrows pilot Flt Lt Jon Egging (Red 4), who was tragically killed on August 20 2011 while completing a display at the Bournemouth Air Festival. The Trust believes that through inspiration and support, every young person can overcome adversity, identify their strengths and be the best they can be. JET achieves this through its Inspirational Outreach and Blue Skies programme, which began in Lincolnshire in 2012 working with just 10 young people. In the last academic year we worked with more than 1500 young people in Lincolnshire across 6 schools and we have worked with more than 17,000 young people nationwide since 2012.

Registered Charity in England and Wales 1156265



The Lincolnshire Agricultural Society (LAS) was formed in 1869 and currently has over 3200 members. The Society aims to educate people about food, farming and sustainability – which has never been more important. Improving children and young people's knowledge about where their food comes from, how farming and the countryside affects our everyday life and inspiring tomorrow's farmers are all key focuses of the LAS. In addition to the Lincolnshire Show, the charity organises a year-round programme of educational events including Countryside Lincs, the Lincolnshire Farming Conference, Farmhouse Breakfast Weeks, the Schools Challenge, Careers Events and Teacher Training Days. All of which provide opportunities for both those already working in agriculture and children and young people to develop their knowledge and understanding of all things related to food, farming and the countryside.

Registered Charity No. 515652



YOUR INVITATION TO SUPPORT OUR

2019 DINNER

11TH APRIL 2019 THE EPIC CENTRE



SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES



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SOLE CHAMPAGNE RECEPTION SPONSOR – SOLD!

- Named as the sponsor of the Champagne Reception on the tickets and the front of the commemorative programme.
- An opportunity to display promotional banners, flags etc at the entrance to and within the Champagne Reception. Involvement in the Champagne Reception décor with a theme of “Past, Present and Future” in celebration of the Lincolnshire Agriculture Society’s 150th birthday.
- Logo lit up on the walls in the Champagne Reception area.
- Logo on the tickets and front of the commemorative programme.
- Whole page advert on the back page of the commemorative programme.
- Whole page message to the charities in the commemorative programme.
- Complimentary table of 10 in a central position in the dining hall.
- MC to thank the Champagne Reception sponsor during the evening.
- Mentioned in all event press releases.
- A link to the sponsor’s website on the Dinner’s Twitter and Facebook pages.

DINNER SPONSORS £3,500 – Exclusivity to five main Dinner Sponsors each representing five different key professions supporting the rural community.

- An opportunity to address the guests for 150 seconds on the “Past, Present and Future” theme in celebration of the Lincolnshire Agriculture Society’s 150th birthday.
- Opportunity to display three promotional pull up banners in the dining hall.
- Logo on tickets, front of the commemorative programme, table plan and table numbers.
- Logo and advert on rotation on screens in the dining hall and logo shown before each of the charities’ films are played.
- Whole page advert early in the commemorative programme.
- Half page message to the charities in the commemorative programme.
- Complimentary table of 10 in a central position in the dining hall.
- MC to thank the Dinner Sponsors during the evening.
- Mentioned in all event press releases.
- A link to each of the Dinner Sponsor’s websites on the Dinner’s Twitter and Facebook pages.

THREE REMAINING

SOLE CHEF SPONSOR £3,000

- Opportunity for your table to meet Steven Bennett, The Lincolnshire Chef and have a photo opportunity with him.
- Logo on tickets and front of the commemorative programme and the only sponsor’s logo on the front of the menu.
- Whole page advert early in the commemorative programme.
- Complimentary table of 10 in a central position in the dining hall.
- MC to thank the Chef Sponsor during the evening.
- Mentioned in all event press releases.
- A link to the Chef Sponsor’s website on the Dinner’s Twitter and Facebook pages.

CORPORATE DINING PACKAGE £1,200

- Table of 10 guests (£80 per ticket).
- Half page advert in the full colour commemorative programme.

INDIVIDUAL SPONSORSHIP – Each to receive thanks within the commemorative programme and in the case of food providers thanks within the menu.

- Printing, Décor, Photographer, Food

ADVERTS IN THE COMMEMORATIVE PROGRAMME

- Whole page advert £1,000
- Half page advert £650

We will be promoting our sponsors through social media in the run up to the event and our nominated charities will also be sharing our stories on social media. Sponsors will all be officially thanked in the commemorative programme given to every guest on the evening of the dinner.

For further information on our sponsorship packages, dining packages or to book please contact Della Armstrong at della.armstrong@lrsn.co.uk