

Community Partnership program





About Us

When local neighbors are facing financial hardship, **ECCO** is here to provide help and hope. Whether it's one single service provided like food or financial assistance or years of walking through hardship, our team will encourage, advocate, and develop a system of support focused on helping our neighbors navigate through life's challenges.

All programs and services strive to help neighbors find a path toward opportunity. ECCO's ministry of **Neighbors Helping Neighbors** aims to improve the quality of life in our community in a compassionate way that respects the dignity and worth of every person.

Our Impact

We are driven every day to make an impact in our community. When we see the smile of a grateful child during our holiday programs or receive a "thank you" from a senior citizen in need of assistance paying for their prescriptions, we know we are making a difference.

With 30+ years of service under our belt, we take great pride in our work and are honored to share some of the many ways our team is making an impact within our community.

At ECCO's location on Six Mile Road, we operate a Wellness Food Pantry, Dental Clinic, Medical Clinic, Financial Assistance program, and more Client Navigation programs. At our location on Bowman Road, we operate a Clothing Closet.











741,639pounds of food donated to local families



\$514k value of dental & medical services provided



average annual household income of ECCO clients



How you can help.

ECCO counts itself fortunate to partner with many generous businesses that contribute to our mission through their time, talent, and treasure. As an ECCO teammate says, "We can only serve the community, with the support of the community." It takes all of us to provide help and hope to neighbors facing financial hardship. Today, we're inviting you to join our circle of support in one of the following ways:



Donate to ECCO



Sponsor an Event



Hold a Food Drive



Volunteer at ECCO

We believe in true partnership.

Each year, it's support from businesses like yours that allows ECCO to reach our annual fundraising goals and strengthen our community. But we believe this is a true partnership. While you're giving from a spirit of generosity, we believe we can offer real benefits to your business, your team, and your name in the community:

Host team-building volunteer projects

• There are volunteer opportunities that range from sorting clothing, stocking shelves, landscaping, administration work, and so much more. Work with us to pick a date, and we'll host your team for team-building and serving the community.

Provide marketing opportunities for your business

• With each event and initiative, sponsorship benefits normally include pre and postevent marketing, tickets to the event, social media marketing, inclusion on ECCO's website, and much more.

Be a resource for your team

• ECCO's resources are here to benefit anyone going through financial hardship. If there's anyone on your team that might be in need of help, please send them our way. We are here for everyone.

Share your generosity with the community

• Unlike advertising, nonprofit marketing and sponsorships can improve your brand's recognition and reputation because you're supporting organizations that the community cares about. We want to share that generosity with the community.

2025-2026

Sponsorship Opportunities



The Big Dill Tournament

October 25, 2025 The Pickle Bar

ECCO's Charity Tournament is returning for year two, bringing 100+ players from across the Lowcountry for a day of fun and to support ECCO's mission. The doubles tournament will be a day-long event.

Expected attendance: 200

007 License to Give Gala

May 7, 2026 Hibernian Hall

We're bringing creatives, philanthropists, wine lovers, and neighbors like you together to raise money to support ECCO. Night will include an art auction, silent auction, wine pull, live music, wine tasting, and more.

Expected attendance: 275

Charity Concert

Spring 2026

An unforgettable night of live music, community, and good vibes—all for a good cause. This high-energy charity concert will bring together local bands and rising artists for a night you won't want to miss.

Expected attendance: 250

Stone Soup Celebration

April 19, 2026 Alhambra Hall

Underwrite ECCO's most important event of the year, an awards celebration to honor and thank the 300+ volunteers who give 34,000 hours in time each year to support ECCO's mission. We simply couldn't do it without them.

Expected attendance: 150

Charity Golf Tournament

Fall 2026 Bulls Bay Golf Club

Join ECCO for year 13 of our annual charity golf tournament.
Thirty foursomes will hit the links at Bulls Bay for an exclusive day of golf, prizes, great food and drinks, afterparty, and auction.

Expected attendance: 150



Annual Gala

May 7, 2026 | Hibernian Hall, Charleston

ECCO invites you to join us for a celebratory evening dedicated to honoring ECCO's impact. This special event will bring together community leaders, neighbors, and supporters for an unforgettable night of dining, music, and generosity—all to help ensure that local families have access to the resources they need to thrive.

For more information, please contact us via email at smassar@eccocharleston.org or by phone at 843-416-7123.

Sponsorship Opportunities

Sponsorships begin at only \$2,500, with opportunities that range from your business being the exclusive sponsor of the entire event to table sponsorships. Each level comes with a complete marketing package to spotlight your business's generosity in the community, a sponsored table, recognition at the event, and much more.

Each level can be directly tied to meeting needs in this community. For every \$1,500 donated, ECCO can provide help to a local family through food, clothing, healthcare, financial assistance, and hope for the future.

Sponsorship Levels



















Charity Golf Tournament

Fall 2026 | Bulls Bay Golf Club, Awendaw

For the 13th consecutive year, ECCO will host our annual tournament, presented by Nucor Steel Berkeley. We invite you to join us for this day of fun, philanthropy, and a few birdies. Thirday foursomes will come together at the stunning Bulls Bay Golf Club in Awendaw. Foursomes and sponsorships are exclusive and will sell out fast.

Last year, thanks to the support of past sponsors, ECCO raised over \$130,000 to support ECCO's mission. For more information, please contact <u>dsquires@eccocharleston.org</u> or 843-416-7123.

Sponsorship Opportunities

Sponsorships begin at only \$250, with opportunities that range from your business being the exclusive sponsor of the driving range to the awards reception. Each sponsorship level comes with a complete marketing package to spotlight your business's generosity in the community. Tournament foursomes begin at \$3,500.

Sponsorships (start at only \$250)

- Golf Cart Sponsor \$5,000
- Driving Range Sponsor \$4,500
- Putting Green Sponsor \$4,500
- Party Sponsor \$4,500

- Cigar Sponsor \$1,500
- SWAG Sponsor (2) \$1,500
- Awards Sponsor \$1,500
- Hole Sponsor (18) \$250

<u>Foursomes</u>

Platinum Foursome - \$4,000

Includes: Team registration for 4 golfers, complimentary lunch, unlimited beverages, tournament giveaways, access to the post-tournament party & awards reception, invite for (2) golfers to pre-tournament hitting clinic and happy hour social, 1 premier hole sign on course, listing in the golf program, invitation to ECCO's 2027 Gala.



 Includes: Team registration for 4 golfers, complimentary lunch and unlimited beverages, tournament giveaways, access to the post-tournament party & awards reception, and logo/names listed in the golf program





Thank you for your support!





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