

## BRING YOUR SQUAD TO LABOR OF LOVE

### WHAT IS A PARTY HOST?

- WORD OF MOUTH CHAMPION AND ADVOCATE FOR OPEN ARMS
- SQUAD LEADER FOR LABOR OF LOVE PARTY-GOERS
- WE WILL PROVIDE YOU AND YOUR GUESTS WITH LABOR OF LOVE PARTY FAVORS!



### HOW IS A PARTY HOST DIFFERENT FROM A TABLE HOST?

PARTY HOSTS CAN INVITE AS MANY OR AS FEW GUESTS AS THEY LIKE.

INSTEAD OF ASSIGNED SEATING, PARTY GUESTS CHOOSE WHERE THEY'D LIKE TO SIT AND ENJOY THE PROGRAM.

EACH PARTY GROUP WILL RECEIVE UNIQUE PARTY FAVORS SO THEY CAN CELEBRATE TOGETHER!

### HOW DOES PARTY HOSTING WORK?

PARTY HOSTS INVITE FRIENDS AND FAMILY TO ATTEND LABOR OF LOVE WITH THEM ON THURSDAY, APRIL 3, 2025.

OPEN ARMS PROVIDES PAPER AND ELECTRONIC INVITATIONS AND SOCIAL MEDIA POST SUGGESTIONS.

PARTY HOSTS ARE KEPT UP TO DATE ON GUEST REGISTRATION AND OTHER LABOR OF LOVE NEWS!

## HOW MICH DOES IT COST?

INDIVIDUAL TICKETS ARE \$143\* WHICH COVERS THE COST OF THE EVENT.

SLIDING SCALE AND GROUP PRICING IS AVAILABLE.

DISCOUNTED VALET PARKING FOR CARPOOLS!



\*143 MEANS I LOVE YOU



## HOW DO I CHI STARTED?

### SIGN UP TODAY!

• EMAIL <u>DEVELOPMENT@OPENARMSPS.ORG</u> TO LET US KNOW YOU WANT TO BE A PARTY HOST!

### MAKE A GUEST LIST!

• WE RECOMMEND INVITING AT LEAST 10-15 PEOPLE

• FRIENDS, FAMILY, COWORKERS, CLUBS, FAITH GROUPS, PARENTS, DOULAS

O PEOPLE YOU KNOW WHO CARE ABOUT BIRTH EQUITY



## HOW DOES IT WORK? OPTION 1:

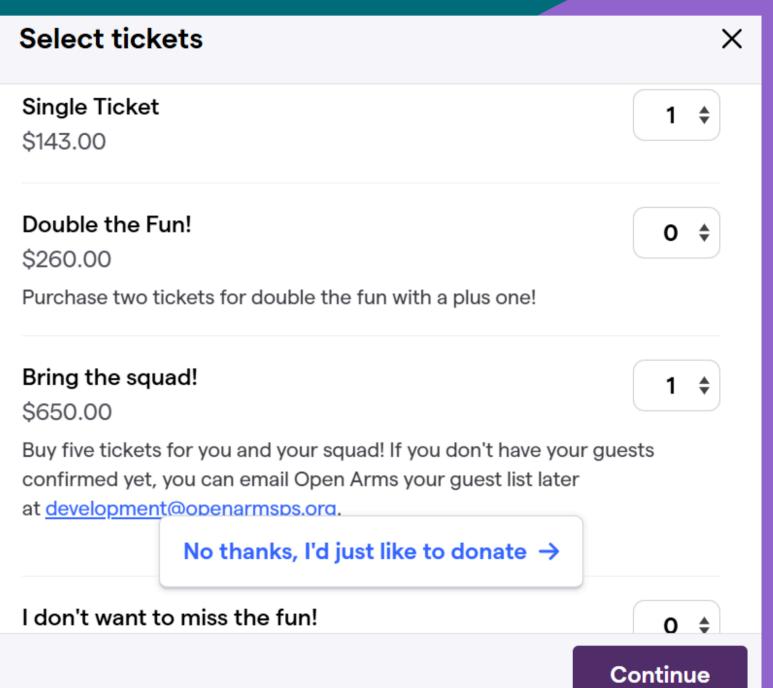


BUY YOUR TICKET(S) & INVITE OTHERS
TO PURCHASE TICKETS AT
GIVEBUTTER. COM/LABOROFLOVE 2025

YOUR GUESTS WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO ENTER YOUR NAME IN THE "I'M PARTYING WITH" FIELD

NEED HELP? EMAIL DEVELOPMENT@OPENARMSPS.ORG

# HOW DOES IT WORK? OPTION 2:

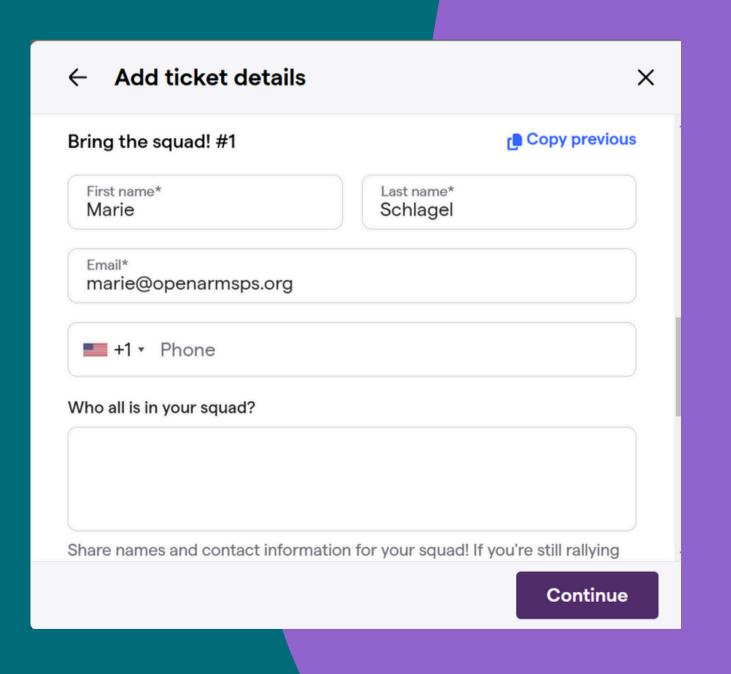


PURCHASE TICKETS FOR YOUR ENTIRE SQUAD AT GIVEBUTTER. COM/LABOROFLOVE 2025

TO PURCHASE A PARTY HOST PACK FOR 5 TICKETS, CLICK "DONATE & TICKETS" AND SELECT THE "BRING THE SQUAD OPTION!"



# IF YOU ALREADY KNOW THE NAMES OF YOUR GUESTS, INCLUDE THEIR CONTACT INFORMATION IN THE "WHO ALL IS IN YOUR SQUAD?" SECTION.



IF YOU ARE STILL INVITING PEOPLE, YOU CAN EMAIL YOUR GUEST LIST DIRECTLY TO US LATER AT DEVELOPMENT @ OPENARMSPS.ORG.

PLEASE MAKE SURE TO CONFIRM YOUR GUESTS'DIETARY RESTRICTIONS, ACCESSIBILITY NEEDS, AND IF THEY WOULD LIKE CHILD CARE.

YOU CAN ALSO HAVE YOUR GUESTS REGISTER INDEPENDENTLY. SEE OPTION 3!

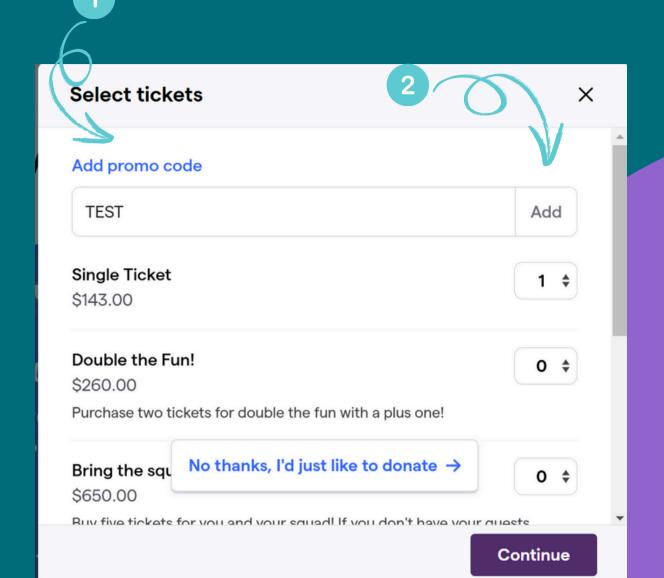


# HOW DOES IT WORK? OPTION 3:

PURCHASE A BLOCK OF TICKETS FOR YOUR SQUAD AT GIVEBUTTER. COM/LABOROFLOVE 2025

REACH OUT TO DEVELOPMENT @ OPENARMSPS.ORG AND WE'LL CREATE A CUSTOM PROMO CODE FOR YOUR PARTY. WE'LL ALSO INCLUDE INSTRUCTIONS FOR YOU TO SHARE WITH YOUR GUESTS.

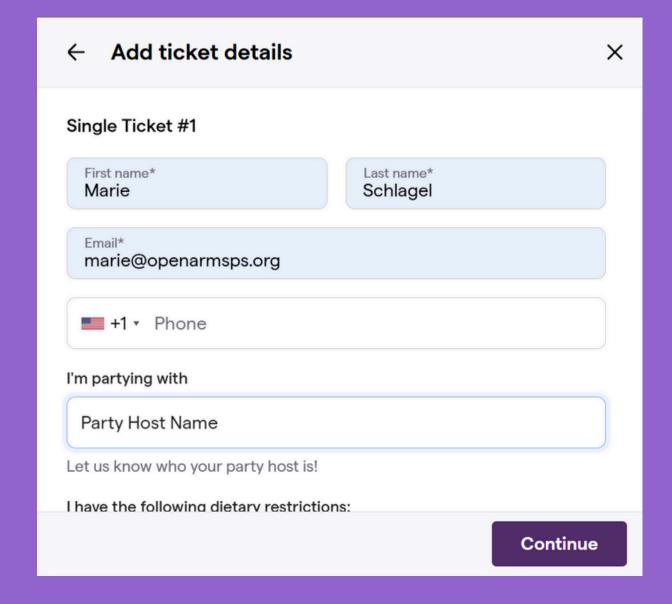




FROM THE SELECT TICKETS SCREEN, YOUR GUEST WILL CLICK "ADD PROMO CODE".

THEY WILL THEN ENTER THE UNIQUE PROMO CODE PROVIDED TO YOU BY OPEN ARMS.

THEN YOUR GUEST WILL ENTER THEIR NAME, CONTACT INFORMATION, AND YOUR NAME UNDER THE "I'M PARTYING WITH" FIELD.



# BECLEAR WITH EXPECTATIONS AND MAKE IT PERSONAL

TELL YOUR GUESTS WHY YOU SUPPORT OPEN ARMS.

LET YOUR PASSION SHINE AS YOU SHARE YOUR EXPERIENCE AS A BIRTH EQUITY AND JUSTICE ADVOCATE

INFORM YOUR GUESTS THAT THE EVENT IS A FUNDRAISER.

OPEN ARMS CAN PROVIDE YOU WITH SUGGESTED INVITATION LANGUAGE AND GRAPHICS TO SHARE WITH YOUR GUESTS.

## SUCCESS IS IN THE FULLOW-UP

- CHECK IN WITH YOUR GUESTS AS THE DATE APPROACHES
- IF FEASIBLE, ARRANGE TO CARPOOL AND GET DISCOUNTED VALET PARKING!
- UPDATE DEVELOPMENT@OPENARMSPS.ORG WITH CANCELLATIONS OR NEW GUESTS
- CREATE AN ONLINE FUNDRAISING PAGE TO SHARE WITH OUT OF TOWN FRIENDS AND FAMILY OR GUESTS WHO CANNOT ATTEND IN PERSON.

## LABOR OF LOVE FAQ

### What is the ticket price?

- Individual tickets cost \$143 per person. (143 means I love you)
- Group ticket rates and a sliding scale are available.
- Discounted valet parking for carpools

#### How does party hosting work?

- Buy your own ticket and invite your friends to purchase tickets. Make sure they
  mention you in "I'm partying with" field in the form!
- Buy admission for yourself and your guests
  - This is a great option for companies who want to encourage team members to attend. It also increases the likelihood of your guests making a meaningful gift.
  - You can send us your confirmed guests at development@openarmsps.org or have your guests register independently with your promo code.

## LABOR OF LOVE FAQ

### Some of my friends can't attend or live out of the area. Can they support?

- Absolutely! Join and share our online campaign <a href="https://givebutter.com/LaborOfLove2025">https://givebutter.com/LaborOfLove2025</a>.
- Share our event page <u>openarmsps.org/labor-of-love/</u>

#### Who should I invite?

Think of your networks and make a list!

- Friends, family, coworkers, clubs, religious groups, parents, doulas
- People you know who care about birth equity and justice

### How do I invite people?

- We will provide you with all that you need!
  - Email template and social media posts

## LABOR OF LOVE TIMELINE

January 18, 2025	Registration goes live! Build your guest lists and set up personal fundraising pages on Givebutter.
February 1, 2025	Invite guests! Follow up with them. If they can't make it, encourage them to make a gift to Open Arms
March 20, 2025	Guest RSVP and registration complete
April 2, 2025	Send event reminder to guests
Thursday, April 3, 2025	Labor of Love!