

THE HARVEST DANCE - A NIGHT LIKE NO OTHER!



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Harvest Dance 2026

Dear Neighbor,

The Charles Koiner Conservancy for Urban Farming (CKC) is excited to host its fourth annual Harvest Dinner & Dance at our beautiful Koiner Farm, in support of our programming that promotes nutritious food, social-emotional connections, and resilient communities. This signature event will feature our intimate urban farm setting with delicious food and beverages, under a canopy of twinkling lights nestled among vibrant Downtown Silver Spring.

An anticipated **100+ neighbors and community leaders** will gather for a farm-to-table meal followed by light-hearted community dances led by a professional. Prior to the dance, our sponsors are invited to join us for special reception, with small group tours of the farm and a signature cocktail.

OCTOBER 24, 2026



Koiner Farm

5:30-6:00PM

Sponsors' Reception

6:00-8:00PM

Dinner & Dance

Nonprofit urban farms, like Koiner Farm and Loiederman Farm, offer corporations some of the best opportunities for social responsibility, staff engagement, and visibility. If your corporation is seeking a nonprofit partner who is addressing some of the most pressing social issues of our time, please consider a Harvest Dance Sponsorship in support of the Charles Koiner Conservancy.

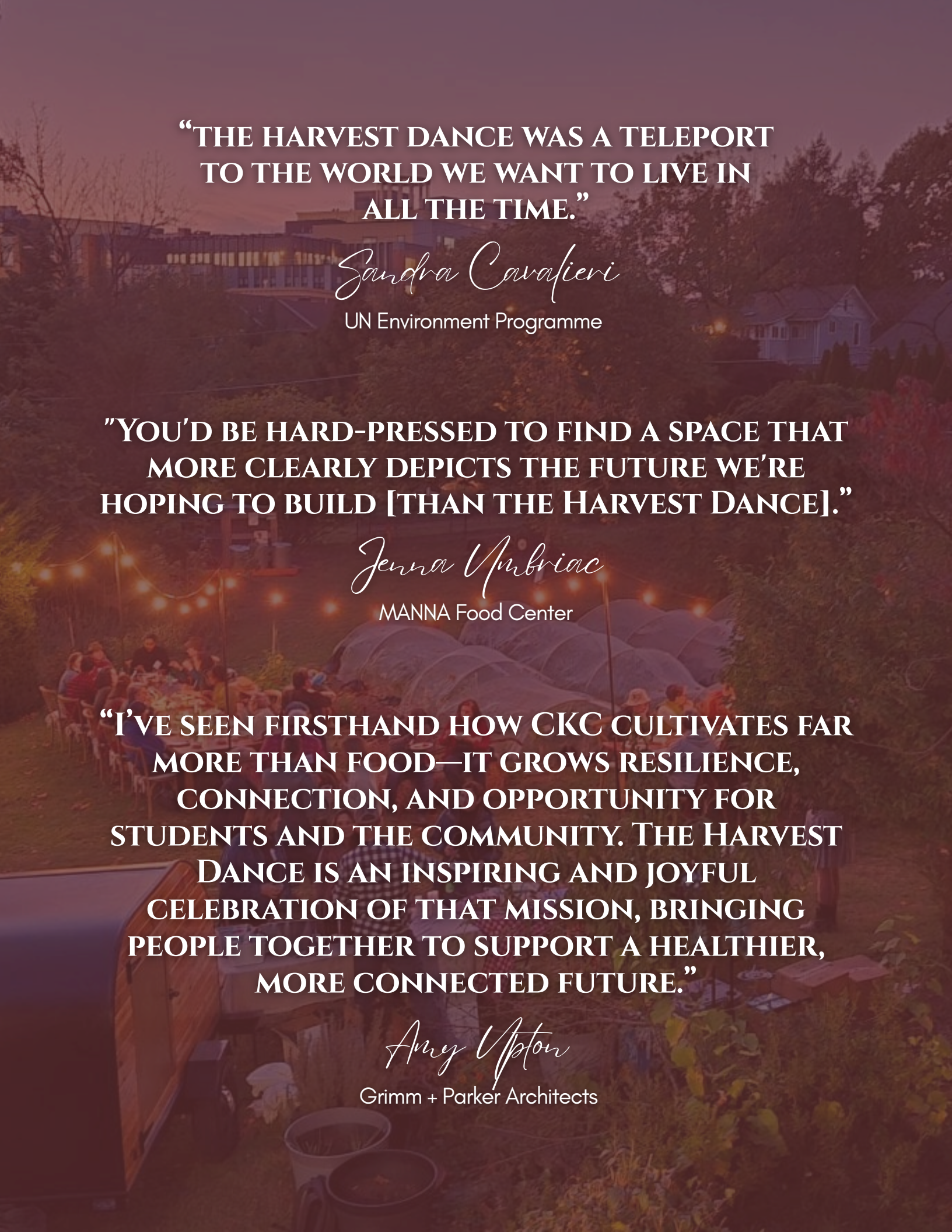
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**"THE HARVEST DANCE WAS A TELEPORT
TO THE WORLD WE WANT TO LIVE IN
ALL THE TIME."**

Sandra Cavaliere

UN Environment Programme

**"YOU'D BE HARD-PRESSED TO FIND A SPACE THAT
MORE CLEARLY DEPICTS THE FUTURE WE'RE
HOPING TO BUILD [THAN THE HARVEST DANCE]."**

Jenna Ambriac

MANNA Food Center

**"I'VE SEEN FIRSTHAND HOW CKC CULTIVATES FAR
MORE THAN FOOD—IT GROWS RESILIENCE,
CONNECTION, AND OPPORTUNITY FOR
STUDENTS AND THE COMMUNITY. THE HARVEST
DANCE IS AN INSPIRING AND JOYFUL
CELEBRATION OF THAT MISSION, BRINGING
PEOPLE TOGETHER TO SUPPORT A HEALTHIER,
MORE CONNECTED FUTURE."**

Amy Upton

Grimm + Parker Architects

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OUR MISSION

Our mission is to create and sustain a network of neighborhood farms that promote healthy living, inspire food system innovation and build community resilience. Founded in 2018 as a local land trust, we are creating and sustaining a network of community-led farms and gardens throughout Montgomery County, MD.



The United States has lost **4 million of its 6 million family farms** over the last half century (U.S. News and World Report), and obesity in children has **more than tripled** since 1970's (CDC). Our Montgomery County communities need access to agricultural education, homegrown produce, and opportunities to develop community resilience more than ever.

IMPACT & REACH



6,500

POUNDS OF HEALTHY
PRODUCE GROWN
AND DISTRIBUTED
ANNUALLY



5,000+

GUESTS VISITING OUR
FARMS AND GARDENS
EACH YEAR



100+

LOCAL STUDENTS
LEARNING AND
HAVING OUTDOOR
FUN YEAR ROUND



550

FREE ON-FARM
EVENTS HOSTED
ANNUALLY



72

FARM INTERNS AND
VOLUNTEERS WORKING
TOGETHER EACH WEEK

DONORS & SPONSORS

Farming is tough business, and the market price for fresh produce does not even come close to covering full cost of production. That is why donors and sponsors are critical to creating a more sustainable food system.

In partnership with our donors and sponsors, we provide opportunities for engagement & promotion.

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HARVEST LEVEL SPONSOR - \$2,500

Marketing Benefits:

- **"Presented by"** with logo/name in event marketing, website & social media, 1,000+ online reach
- Speaking opportunity at the event, if desired
- Logo on Koiner Farm Farmstand banner for 1 year
- Invitation to Sponsors Reception at the Harvest Dance
- Appreciation email to 1,000+ highly engaged Silver Spring neighbors and community leaders
- Recognition in the CKC Farming 2026-2027 Annual Report



Plus, four (4) tickets to Harvest Dance, including the Sponsors' Reception, Dinner & Dance

COMMUNITY LEVEL SPONSOR - \$1,000

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SPROUT LEVEL SPONSOR - \$500

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Plus, two (2) tickets to the Harvest Dance, including the Sponsors' Reception, Dinner & Dance



SUBMIT YOUR SPONSORSHIP BY 9/30/2026



**THANK YOU FOR
YOUR SUPPORT
THIS SEASON!**

PREFER CHECKS? SEE NEXT PAGE.

INQUIRIES? CONTACT EXECUTIVE
DIRECTOR KATE MEDINA 240-418-7170,
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SPONSOR LEVELS

- ☐ **HARVEST LEVEL- \$2,500**
- ☐ **COMMUNITY LEVEL - \$1,000**
- ☐ **SPROUT LEVEL - \$500**

PAYMENT BY CARD



Scan QR code to make payment by credit card. Click the “Donate as an Organization” checkbox for proper accounting. You can avoid the credit card processing fees by making payment with check.

PAYMENT BY CHECK

Name of Individual or Company _____

Point of Contact _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Check Amount: _____

Please mail or email this form to kate@ckcfarming.org

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IMPACT & REACH



4,500

POUNDS OF HEALTHY
PRODUCE GROWING
FOR DISTRIBUTION



200+

GUESTS VISITING OUR
FARMS AND GARDENS
PER WEEK (APR-OCT)



500+

LOCAL STUDENTS
LEARNING AND
HAVING FUN



100

ON-FARM EVENTS
OCCURRING
ANNUALLY



70

PROGRAM INTERNS
AND VOLUNTEERS
COLLABORATING

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PROMOTING HEALTHY LIVING, INSPIRING FOOD SYSTEM INNOVATION, AND BUILDING COMMUNITY RESILIENCE WITH UMD, LOIEDERMAN MIDDLE SCHOOL, AND OUR LOCAL BUSINESSES!





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Seeds of Support

□ **FARM & GARDEN SPONSOR - \$5,000**

Sponsor one of our Farms or Gardens for the entire year, and receive these exciting marketing benefits and engagement opportunities:

1. Naming rights on farm/garden spaces and/or infrastructure
2. Your logo on the homepage of our website for one year
3. Your logo on the Farm Market banners for one year
4. Recognition in CKC's e-newsletters (one highlight newsletter + linked logo for year)
5. Your logo on CKC's social media (one gratitude post + one static cover photo)
6. Recognition given during all CKC events for one year
7. Tabling and speaking opportunities provided for at select Farmers Markets

□ **PROGRAM SPONSOR - \$2,500**

Support community health, education, and resilience by sponsoring one of our programs (listed below) and receive your company logo on our homepage and market banner for one year, recognition in CKC's e-newsletters (one highlight newsletter + linked logo for one year), and recognition given during sponsored program events for one year.



INTERNSHIPS

Afterschool farm work for high school and college students



CARE FARMING

Work experience for young adults with disabilities



FARM CLUB

Afterschool outdoor education for middle school students



FARM BABIES

Outdoor sensory experience for parents and toddlers



VOLUNTEERSHIPS

Weekly volunteer commitment to maintaining the garden beds



COMMUNITY LIAISONS

Grassroots leadership program for inclusive land stewardship



FARMERS MARKETS

Weekly farmstand, monthly or bi-monthly farmers markets with community vendors



WORKSHOPS & TRAININGS

Weekly yoga and meditation classes, plus monthly garden classes

See our separate Harvest Dance Sponsorship Packet to learn more about our annual fundraiser!



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(\$5,000)
- ☐ **PROGRAM SPONSOR**
(\$2,500)

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Name of Individual or Company _____

Point of Contact _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Check Amount: _____

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