

Shabe-YALDA

(Winter Solstice)

Fundraiser Night

December 5, 2026

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

December 5, 2026 | 6-8 PM



A night of Afghan hospitality, cultural celebration, connection, and generosity.

Choose how you will help our community shine.

Your sponsorship supports Afghan Support Network's culturally specific work helping families access education, employment, health and housing navigation, legal support, and community connection.



ASN has been proudly recognized for:



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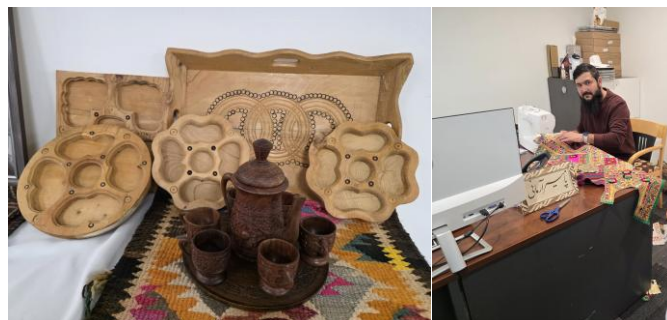
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A Night of Light, Belonging & Generosity

Shabe-Yalda turns the longest night into a celebration of togetherness - and an opportunity to invest in what comes next.

What Shabe-Yalda represents

Shabe-Yalda marks the winter solstice - the longest night of the year and the turning point toward longer days. Across Persianate cultures, including Afghanistan, families and friends gather around food, fruit, poetry, stories, and conversation. The spirit is simple and enduring: stay together through the darkness and welcome the return of light.



Cultural art and handcrafted items help make Yalda an evening rooted in heritage.

Why sponsorship matters

Mission impact: Help sustain culturally responsive programs and practical support for Afghan and newcomer families.

Community connection: Meet community leaders, partners, donors, families, and supporters in an intimate cultural setting.

Meaningful visibility: Receive recognition that feels connected to the event and mission - not simply an advertisement.



5 YEARS OF IMPACT & COMMUNITY SERVICES

The evening at a glance

DINNER	CULTURE	AUCTION	IMPACT
Afghan hospitality and shared table	Music, poetry, stories and tradition	Art, experiences and community gifts	A direct invitation to support ASN

Photo: ASN's 2025 Shabe-Yalda Fundraiser

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Sponsorship Tiers

Four culturally resonant sponsorship tiers/levels - each reflecting warmth, light, and hope through the longest night.



ANGAR انعار

Ember

Presenting Sponsor

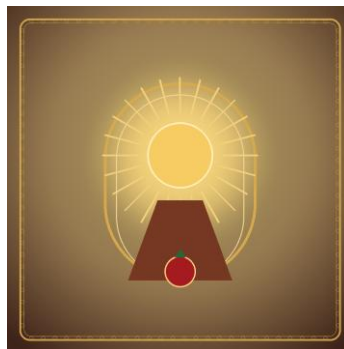
\$5,000

Lead the evening

An ember carries warmth through the longest night. It is the sustaining spark - a symbol of endurance, courage, and generosity that keeps the fire alive. Keep the ember of support alive - sustain ASN's trusted, culturally responsive services in the year ahead.

ANGAR Sponsors would receive the following:

- Full table (8 guest) invitations + priority reserved seating
- Exclusive "Presented by [Sponsor]" recognition
- Premier logo placement and 2 dedicated social features



NOOR نور

Light

Leadership Sponsor

\$2,500

Illuminate the path

Noor means light. Yalda looks toward the return of longer days; this tier honors sponsors whose support helps families see possibility, stability, and a path forward. Help ASN illuminate new pathways - connecting families to education, resources, opportunity, and a brighter future.

NOOR Sponsors would receive the following:

- 5 dinner invitations + reserved seating
- Featured logo placement across event materials
- Individual stage recognition + 1 dedicated social feature



SETARA ستاره

Star

Community Sponsor

\$1,000

Guide the way

A star is a point of light in darkness and a timeless symbol of guidance. Setara sponsors strengthen connections that help our community move toward opportunity and belonging. Be our guiding star - help ASN guide more families toward opportunity, stability, and belonging.

SETARA Sponsors would receive the following:

- 3 dinner invitations + reserved seating
- Logo recognition on event webpage, flyer, signage and slides



MAHTAAB مهتاب

Moonlight

Supporting Sponsor

\$500

Shine together

Mahtaab means moonlight - a gentle light that makes the way visible without overpowering the night. This tier represents steady, welcoming support that helps people feel accompanied. Let your support shine through ASN - helping families find stability, connection, and compassionate care when they need it most.

MAHTAAB Sponsors would receive the following:

- 2 dinner invitations
- Name recognition on event webpage, signage and slides

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Benefits at a Glance

A clear comparison designed for companies, families, and community partners.

Sponsorship level	ANGAR انځار Presenting Sponsor	NOOR نور Leadership Sponsor	SETARA ستاره Community Sponsor	MAHTAAB مهتاب Supporting Sponsor
Contribution	\$5,000	\$2,500	\$1,000	\$500
Dinner invitations	8 guests	5 guests	3 guests	2 guests
Seating	Priority reserved together	Reserved together	Reserved together	General seating
Event title recognition	Exclusive "Presented by [Name]"	—	—	—
Event webpage	Premier linked logo	Featured linked logo	Linked logo	Name listing
Digital event flyer	Premier sponsor logo	Featured sponsor logo	Community sponsor logo	—
Event signage + sponsor slides	Premier logo placement	Featured logo placement	Logo recognition	Name recognition
Recognition from stage	Individual opening + closing	Individual program recognition	Group recognition	Group recognition
Dedicated social media	2 individual sponsor features	1 individual sponsor feature	Collective sponsor feature	Collective sponsor feature
Post-event recognition	Thank-you + personal results summary	Thank-you + personal results summary	Thank-you email with results	Thank-you email with results

Dinner invitations are the total included at each level and are not cumulative.

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More Ways to Partner

Not every meaningful contribution fits inside a sponsorship tier. These opportunities can be tailored around the evening.

Catering Partner

Secured

Auction Partner

Donate a rug, artwork, meal experience, service, or other high-value item.

Recognition: Recognition in the auction listing and when the item is presented.

Hospitality Partner

Contribute refreshments, desserts, décor, printing, or event supplies.

Recognition: Recognition alongside the supported activity and in event thank-you communications.

Matching Gift Partner

Offer a matching commitment that encourages guests to give in the moment.

Recognition: Recognition during the matching appeal and a post-event update on results.



Community art, auction moments, and cultural storytelling create natural opportunities for sponsors to participate with purpose.

A partnership, not just placement

ASN will work with confirmed sponsors to make recognition feel authentic, and connected to the community experience.

ASN is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit and will provide a donation receipt acknowledging every monetary and in-kind donation received.

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Reserve Your Sponsorship

Join ASN for an evening that celebrates heritage & ancient culture, strengthens relationships, and invests in community well-being.

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Sponsorship commitment

Sponsor / organization	
Contact name	
Email / phone	
Recognition name	
Selected sponsorship	☐ Angar \$5,000 ☐ Noor \$2,500 ☐ Setara \$1,000 ☐ Mahtaab \$500
Other partnership	☐ Catering ☐ Auction ☐ Hospitality ☐ Matching Gift ☐ Other
Notes / recognition preferences	

Important details

- Recognition begins after sponsorship confirmation and receipt of approved logo/name materials. Inclusion in printed or published materials depends on production deadlines.
- Sponsors may decline guest invitations. Dedicated social features are individual pieces of content adapted across ASN-selected channels.
- Afghan Support Network is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. Contributions are tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law; the fair market value of goods or benefits received may affect deductibility.

Thank you for helping turn the longest night into a brighter path forward.

Afghan Support Network