Once Was Inc, a veteran community outreach nonprofit, whose mission is honoring disconnected veterans, was founded in 2018 and continues to grow. Within the past seven days 3.1k veterans accessed Once Was Inc social media avenues seeking resources and support. We are expecting our reach to grow, as Once Was Inc is the featured nonprofit on the CBS Cares Segment for the month of May in 2024.

Currently, Once Was Inc honors disconnected veterans in Calcasieu, East Baton Rouge, Lafayette, and surrounding parishes in Louisiana. In Texas veterans in Fort Bend and Harris County and surrounding areas are honored. A disconnected veteran is defined as one living 50+ miles away from a military resource facility.

Once Was Inc will host their second annual golf tournament, on **Friday, September 26, 2025** at Contraband Bayou Golf Club located at L’Auberge Lake Charles Casino Resorts in Lake Charles, LA. We are seeking your sponsorship to support our mission. Details of the sponsorship opportunities for the Second Annual Golf Tournament are listed below.

**With your support we can honor those who gave their yesterday for our today.**

**Title Sponsor $5,000**

\* Four Teams (16 Players)

\* Logo on all tournament advertisements

\* Logo on Once Was Inc social media and website

\* Logo on tournament signs (18 Holes)

**Co-Sponsor $2,500**

\* Two Teams (8 Players)

\* Logo on all tournament advertisements

\* Logo on Once Was Inc social media and website

\* Logo on tournament signs (9 Holes Odd or Even)

**Box Lunch Sponsor $1,500**

\* One Team (4 Players)

\* Logo on all tournament advertisements

\* Logo on Once Was Inc social media and website

\* Company signage at lunch station

**Golf Cart Sign Sponsor $1,500**

\* One Team (4 Players)

\* Logo on all tournament advertisements

\* Logo on Once Was Inc social media and website

\* Company Signage on all golf carts

**Da’ Boot Challenge $1000**

\* Two Teams of Four (8 Players)

\* Each team will receive a Custom Logo Boot Golf Ball that will be rotated between players at each hole. Player 1 uses it at the first hole and Player 2 at the second and so on.

\* Once the hole is completed take the aggregate score between the golfer who played Da’ Boot Ball and the lowest scorer from the rest of the team.

\* Rotate team member for the next hole. Continue this rotation until the round is complete. And each golfer has played the Da Boot Ball on at least four holes.

\* The team that has the lowest score after combining their Da’Boot Ball Score and their team’s low-ball score on all 18 holes is the winner of the challenge

\* Logo on all tournament advertisements

\* Logo on Once Was Inc social media and website

\* Da’ Boot Certificates and Four reserved spots on the DJ N.V. Navy Vet Honor Awareness Mardi Gras Float

**Hole in One Sponsor $750**

\*Logo on hole-in-one hole and contest signage

\* Logo on all tournament advertisements

\* Logo on Once Was Inc social media and website

**Tee/Hole Sponsor $500**

**Golfer Gift Bags and Auction Item Donations**

We appreciate your consideration and look forward to hearing from you. Should you have any questions, feel free to call Racquel Edmond, Once Was Inc Executive Director at 832-594-4321.