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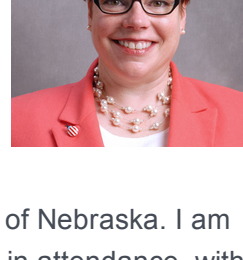
NAPSF News

March 2019

Hello Nebraska K-12 School Foundation Friends!

NAPSF Member Spotlight: Omaha Public Schools Foundation

Toba Cohen-Dunning



Happy Spring to All! This February, the National Schools Foundation Association (NSFA) held their annual conference in San Diego, California. While the weather was not so sunny, it was a bit warmer than the great State of Nebraska. I am pleased to share that membership continues to grow, there were 310 people in attendance, with 33 vendors and 32 different workshops. Remember, your NAPSF membership is a dual membership to both Nebraska and the NSFA. I highly encourage everyone to make a plan to attend the national conference in 2020 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

The greatest percentage of conference attendees were from smaller districts that have up to 15,000 students. The next largest percentage of attendees was from large urban districts of 30,000 students or more. There were 140 K-12 education foundations there, representing 2.8 million students, who collectively raised \$434,500,000 in 2018! Even more incredible was to learn that the net assets of these education foundations are \$605,780,000! What this proves is that our K-12 education foundation industry is a large part of the economic pie. When you consider that this was only representative of 14 foundations and there are 4,000 in the United States, the numbers add up quickly.

Take pride in your work and remember you are changing the path for thousands of students in Nebraska. I look forward to working with you as the new president of the board of the National Schools Foundation.

NSFA Live Learning Center

The NSFA Live Learning Center is a portal of on-line learning opportunities for education foundation leaders, boards, staff, school boards, and district personnel. This educational portal contains recordings of sessions that were originally held in-person at the 2019 National Conference such as workshops and keynote presentations. The full set of the 26 sessions recorded at the 2019 Conference is available for \$99 for Conference Attendees, \$199 for NSFA Members or \$299 for Non-Members. Follow the link to learn more: [NSFA Live Learning Center](#)

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Our numbers for this year are incomplete. We have created a form to collect numbers from our members and non-members and ask you to click on the link and fill out this form. It is an important part of our testimony to be able to share these numbers and collectively raise the bar and resources for both our Nebraska Association of Public School Foundations and for our own foundations on the local level. Please help us by filling out the form below.



Responding to Disasters

We attached this last month, little knowing that historic state wide flooding was on the horizon. We are sharing it again as that situation has become a reality for some of us.

[A Guide for Local Education Foundations](#)



NSFA New Resources

Don't forget, the NSFA has rolled out board member training modules. These modules are a reasonable way to access board training with several topics to choose from. Each module is a 30-60 minute micro-credential and can be taken at any time. Here is a link to the [board training](#).

NSFA Education Foundation Leader Training and Certification

Become a certified education foundation leader. NSFA is offering a leader training course beginning May 6, 2019. You can sign up for individual classes or take the whole course. Here is the link to learn more: [CEFL Classes](#)

NSFA Webinars

All Nebraska Association of Public School Foundation members are also members of the National School Foundation Association. This means that you have access to several free webinars each year. The NSFA is building the schedule for next year and would like to know what topics are of interest to you. Please reach out to me tskalberg@gips.org or Robin Callahan at robin@schoolfoundations.org.

NAPSF Membership Benefits

NAPSF Website

Do you have a school foundation story you want to share? You can submit those stories [here](#) and we will add them to the website.

NAPSF Members

We are currently 29 members strong at the Nebraska Association of Public School Foundations. A list of our membership is below.

- Ashland-Greenwood Public Schools Foundation
- Beatrice Educational Foundation
- Bellevue Public Schools Foundation
- Bennington Public Schools Foundation
- Cardinal Education Foundation (South Sioux City)
- Central High School Foundation (Omaha)
- Columbus Public Schools Foundation
- Cozad Public Schools Foundation
- Creek Valley School Educational Foundation
- Elkhorn Public Schools Foundation
- Foundation for Lincoln Public Schools
- Gering Public Schools Foundation
- Grand Island Public Schools Foundation
- Hastings Public Schools Foundation
- Kearney Public Schools Foundation
- Millard Schools Education Foundation, Inc.
- Norfolk Public Schools Foundation
- Northwest Educational Foundation, Inc.
- Oakland-Craig Public Schools Foundation
- Ogallala Public Schools Foundation
- Omaha Public Schools Foundation
- Papillion La Vista Schools Foundation
- Plainview Public Schools Foundation
- Ponca Community Educational Foundation
- Ralston Community Schools Foundation
- School District 145 Foundation for Education (Waverly/Eagle)
- Wausa Public Schools Foundation
- Wayne Community Schools Foundation
- Westside Community Schools Foundation, Inc.
- York Public Schools Foundation

Haven't Become a NAPSF Member Yet?

The Nebraska Association of Public School Foundations is a state affiliate of the National School Foundation Association. This means that as a member of the Nebraska Association of Public School Foundations, you will get the discounted conference rate and all other full benefits of membership to the national organization as well as Nebraska. You pay one rate to Nebraska and get two memberships Statewide and National! What a deal!

[Learn more about NAPSF membership benefits](#)

NAPSF Event Calendar

Upcoming Meetings

NAPSF Board Meeting
Thursday, April 11, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Elkhorn

NAPSF Board Meeting
Tuesday, June 4, 10:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Grand Island

Upcoming NSFA Webinars

All NAPSF Members are also members with full benefits of the National School Foundation Association, the oldest and largest K-12 foundation organization in the U.S. NSFA webinars are free for NAPSF members.

Here is what's coming up:

What Does it Take to be Compliant in Your State and Others?
Tuesday, April 9, 12:00 p.m.
[Register Here](#)

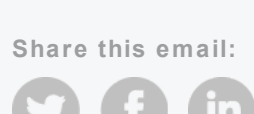
Donor Acquisition and Retention Strategies to Grow Your Mission
Tuesday, April 23, 12:00 p.m.
[Register Here](#)

Reaching Beyond the Get - Smart Stewardship that Builds Relationships
Tuesday, May 21, 12:00 p.m.
[Register Here](#)

NSFA Webinars will be listed on the [NAPSF Event Calendar](#).



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