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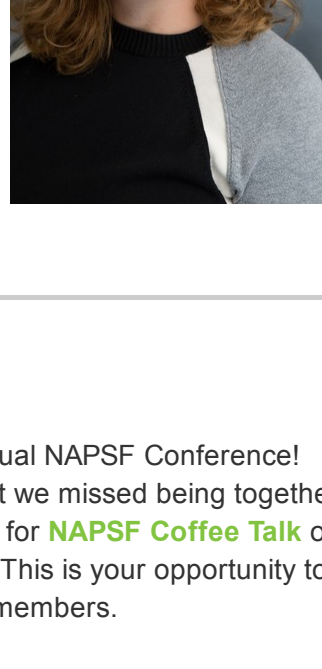
NAPSF News

November 2020

A Word From Our NAPSF President

Sara D. A. Martin, School District 145 Foundation for Education

It's my honor to serve public education as the Nebraska Association of Public School Foundations President. Nebraska leads public education philanthropy conversations nationally because state aid funding formulas produce massive perpetual gaps that our midwestern work ethic refuses to ignore. In the last 5 decades we've problem-solved our way to an outstanding professional fundraising network currently **supporting more than 208,727 students** working towards excellence in our great state. Even amid constantly shifting demands, I've watched you turn pandemic crisis into an opportunity to build better. I'm proud of our collective work and can't wait to see what unfolds next. Cheers as we look forward into 2021!



NAPSF Coffee Talk

Thank you to all those who attended the virtual NAPSF Conference! What we learned from the conference is that we missed being together so we'd like to invite you to join us via Zoom for **NAPSF Coffee Talk** on Thursday, December 3 from 9am - 9:30am. This is your opportunity to share and connect with your fellow NAPSF members.

[Join Coffee Talk](#)

NSFA Virtual Conference 2021

February 23 - 26



[Register for NSFA Conference](#)

NSFA Conference Scholarship Winners

During our virtual NAPSF conference on October 29, two NAPSF members were drawn at random to receive a scholarship registration to the virtual NSFA conference in February 2021.

Congratulations to **Bennington Public Schools Foundation & Foundation for Lincoln Public Schools** for attending the NAPSF virtual conference and winning these scholarships!

NSFA Education Foundation Guiding Principles

Watch Wendy Van DeLaCastro present best practices for education foundations across the nation.

- Transparency & Purpose**
 - Stakeholder Identification
 - Advocacy
 - Accountability
- Fund Development & Gift Stewardship**
 - Financial Responsibility
 - Roles & Responsibilities
 - Endowment Management
- Legal Governance & Organizational Development**
 - District Relationships
 - Foundation Grantmaking
 - Professional Staff & Resources
- Programs**
 - Purpose
 - Research-Based Allocations
 - Community Responsiveness

NAPSF Approved by Sherwood Foundation for Racial Equity Institute Training

We are excited to share with our members the opportunity to attend the Racial Equity Institute training at no cost thanks to the Sherwood Foundation. This two-day training will occur on Zoom and be limited to 35 participants.

The Phase 1 Workshop: Foundational Training in Historical and Institutional Racism by the Racial Equity Institute Workshop. Even those who are concerned about racial disparities in all American systems and institutions are challenged in their understanding of how racism remains alive and well, advantaging some, while harming others. REI's two-day Phase 1 training is designed to develop the capacity of participants to understand racism in its institutional and structural forms. Moving the focus from individual bigotry and bias, the Racial Equity Institute's Phase 1 workshop presents a historical, cultural, structural, and institutional analysis of racism. For more information on the Racial Equity Institute see this link: [Racial Equity Institute](#).

Dates and registration for this two-day workshop will be released soon. NAPSF is thrilled to be accepted as a grant recipient to offer this training to our members!



NAPSF Board Vacancy: Region 5

We need your help to fill this spot! If you would like to volunteer, or if you know a NAPSF member in Region 5 you feel would be a good fit, please send your nomination to info@napsf.org.



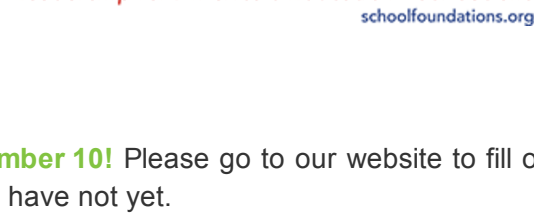
NAPSF Membership Benefits

NAPSF Website

Don't forget to log into the NAPSF website and submit your school foundation success story. You can submit stories [here](#).

NSFA Membership

All members of NAPSF receive a NSFA membership. This includes free NSFA Webinars and discounts for NSFA conferences.



NAPSF Members

2020- 2021 Membership Renewals are due by **December 10!** Please go to our website to fill out the membership application and pay your dues, if you have not yet.

[NAPSF Membership Form](#)

We are currently 31 members strong at the Nebraska Association of Public School Foundations. A list of our membership is below.

- Anselmo-Merna Public Schools Foundation
- Ashland-Greenwood Public Schools Foundation
- Aurora 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, Inc.
- Cozad Public Schools Foundation
- Creek Valley School Educational Foundation
- DC West Schools 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
- North Platte Public Schools Foundation
- Northwest Education Foundation
- Ogallala Public Schools Foundation
- Omaha Public Schools Foundation
- Papillion La Vista Schools Foundation
- Pioneer Fund Foundation
- Ralston Community Schools Foundation
- School District 145 Foundation for Education (Waverly/Eagle)
- Scottsbluff Schools Foundation
- Wayne Community Schools Foundation
- Westside Community Schools Foundation, Inc.

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 fee and get two memberships Statewide and National! What a deal!

[Learn more about NAPSF membership benefits](#)

NAPSF Event Calendar

Upcoming Meetings

NAPSF Coffee Talk

When: Wednesday, December 3, 2020, 9:00am - 10:00am CST

Location: Zoom Meeting - [Join Coffee Talk](#)

NAPSF Board Meeting

When: Tuesday, January 26, 2021, 10:00am - 12:00pm CST

Location: Zoom Meeting - [Join Board Meeting](#)



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