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## NEBRASKA ASSOCIATION OF PUBLIC SCHOOL FOUNDATIONS

### NAPSF News

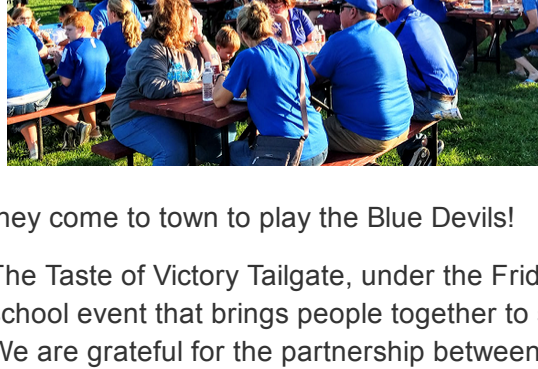
August 2021

#### Taste of Victory Tailgate

Dr. Mark Lenihan, Superintendent, Wayne Community Schools

Each Fall in Wayne, Wayne Area Economic Development and the Wayne Community Schools Foundation host a "Taste of Victory" Tailgate Party before a Wayne Blue Devils Football game. The event is coordinated by the Wayne Area Economic Development, which serves in part as the Chamber Office in Wayne. The purpose of the tailgate party is to raise funds which are then donated to the Wayne Community Schools Foundation. The money raised, in turn, helps provide funds for scholarships and programs coordinated through the school foundation.

At the tailgate party, community businesses provide specialty tailgate items for patrons to sample. Some of these tasty treats include chili, pulled pork, desert items, taco's, jambalaya, hamburgers, and brats. The community businesses prepare and serve sample size items to all who attend. There is no direct charge for our patrons, however patrons are asked to put their dollars in a jar at their favorite stand. The funds are then tabulated, and the business with the highest donation amount in their jar is announced as the winner!



Not only is this a great fundraiser, it is a fun event that brings our businesses and patrons together to support a great cause. Since the event began five years ago over \$7,500 has been raised to support the efforts of the Wayne Community Schools Foundation. The real winners however are the students at Wayne, and the community. This event is a very popular school and community event that brings together hundreds of people. The event has become so popular that even the opposing school fans that attend the game ask to make sure the Taste of Victory Tailgate is scheduled the next time they come to town to play the Blue Devils!

The Taste of Victory Tailgate, under the Friday night lights, is an outstanding community and school event that brings people together to support the students at Wayne Community Schools. We are grateful for the partnership between Wayne Area Economic Development and the Wayne Community Schools Foundation that makes this event a community-wide success!



#### NAPSF Coffee Talk

It's been a while, friends! With the cancellation of our August Coffee Talk, we know you are eager to share and collaborate with your fellow NAPSF members. We hope to see you on our screen when we pick back up September 2nd.

Join us for Coffee Talk on **September 2, 9am - 10am**

[Coffee Talk Zoom Link](#)

### NAPSF 21-22 Membership Application Now Open

Current members, please click the button below to fill out your NAPSF membership application by September 26, 2021.

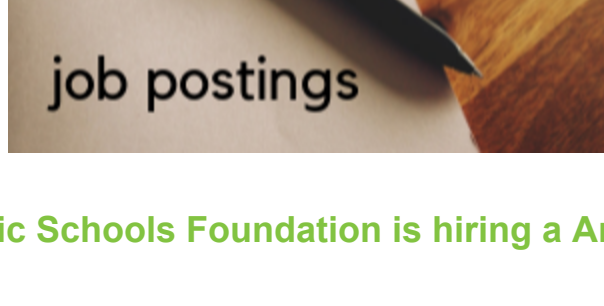
**This data is very important in helping us tell our story.** When you fill out the form, please have your 990 with you. It should take no more than 10 minutes to complete.

You will have the option to pay your membership dues when you fill out the form, or you can mail a check to:

**Nebraska Association of Public School Foundations  
c/o Grand Island Public Schools Foundation  
PO Box 4904  
Grand Island, NE 68802**

We want to thank all of the School Foundations who have joined us. We are now 32 members strong! We hope to keep adding to our ranks this year while we continue to add infrastructure and value for you!

[21-22 NAPSF Membership Application](#)



### Grand Island Public Schools Foundation is hiring a Annual Giving Coordinator

The GIPS Foundation seeks a highly committed and talented professional to join our staff as Annual Giving Coordinator. The Annual Giving Coordinator will be responsible for the leadership, management, and execution of the GIPS Foundation's annual giving program, special events, and grants. The successful candidate will be self-motivated, entrepreneurial, and willing to take complete ownership of critical duties. A minimum 5 years of development experience including demonstrated success in individual giving, corporate sponsorship, alumni giving, and special events fundraising and management, is preferred. The candidate will maintain an in-depth knowledge of the GIPS Foundation's strategic funding priorities to establish long-term partnerships and strengthen existing relationships with donors. The position is 12-month position at 32 hours per week. Salary range \$36,000 – \$45,000 + benefits after probationary period.

Position open until filled.

Send resume to Traci Skalberg, Executive Director at:  
Grand Island Public Schools Foundation  
123 South Webb Road  
PO Box 4904  
Grand Island, NE 68802-4904

To learn more, click [here](#).

### Update: NAPSF 2021 Annual Conference Will Be Virtual

**Monday, November 8, 2021  
Hosted by Grand Island Public Schools Foundation**

The planning committee met on Aug. 25 to discuss sponsors, themes, breakout sessions and keynote speakers. The next committee meeting will be Sept. 8. If you have any suggestions, we would love to hear from you! Email [info@napsf.org](mailto:info@napsf.org).

## NAPSF Membership Benefits

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### NAPSF Website - We Want to Hear From You

Does your foundation have an inspiring success story? Has your foundation been in the news? Do you have information or insight your peers would benefit from?

Submit your foundation stories, news, or articles [here](#) to be featured in upcoming NAPSF newsletters.

### NSFA Membership

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



### We are currently 32 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.
- Minden Schools Foundation
- 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 rate to Nebraska and get two memberships Statewide and National! What a deal!

[Learn more about NAPSF membership benefits](#)

## NAPSF Event Calendar

### NAPSF Coffee Talk

**When:** Thursday, Sept. 2, 2021, 9:00am - 10:00am CST

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

### NAPSF Conference Planning Committee Meeting

**When:** Wednesday, Sept. 8, 2021, 9:00am - 10:00am CST

**Location:** Zoom Meeting - [Zoom Link](#)

### NAPSF September Board Meeting

**When:** Tuesday, Sept. 28, 2021, 10:00am - 1:00pm CST

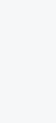
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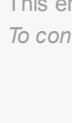
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