



Thursday Thoughts

Colorado Gives Day – A Full Success



77,232 donors used the occasion to donate \$54,409,297 to 3,063 Colorado Nonprofits to advance the causes they support. While every day is a great day to give, this particular event stands out as it breaks records every year showing how much Coloradans care.

Thank you!

Job Postings

**Children's Hospital Colorado Foundation - Sr. Coordinator,
Donor Relations**

**Children's Hospital Colorado Foundation - Sr. Manager,
Marketing Communications**

**Springs Recovery Connection - Resource Development
Coordinator**

[See all job postings >>](#)

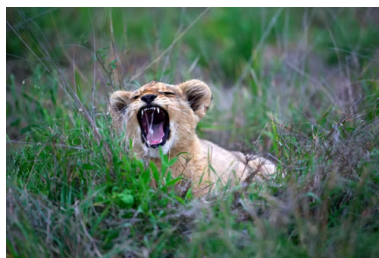
Inclusive Philanthropy

December 3rd was International Day of People with Disabilities. People who live with disabilities are among the most affected populations amid the COVID pandemic. Where marginalization, discrimination, vulnerability and exploitation are every day factors for many people, the increased risk of poor outcomes have been magnified with the reduced access to routine health care and rehabilitation services, more pronounced social isolation, poorly tailored public health messaging, inadequately constructed mental health services, and a lack of emergency preparedness for people with special needs.



If you want to do more to make your organization and fundraising practices more inclusive, Respectability offers [plenty of resources](#) to start.

2021 Fundraising Slightly Ahead of 2020 Figures, Buoyed By New Donor Retention



Fundraisers continue to feel very confident about charitable giving in the current environment, with a majority expecting to reach their goals in 2021 and raise more money than last year, according to the Fundraising Effectiveness Project's [2021](#)

[Second Quarter Fundraising Report](#).

Key Insights:

1. Fundraising in Q2 2021 keeps up with the impressive levels shown in Q2 2020
2. New donors from 2020 show high retention, but overall recapture rates have dropped towards pre-pandemic levels.
3. Results by size and cause suggest a return towards pre-COVID fundraising along those dimensions.

Thursday, January 13, 2022
8:00 am - 10:00 am

TBD



Check [here](#) to see what's in store for the first Coffee Chat of 2022!

Anyone with fundraising duties in their job description is welcome to attend. Coffee Chats are free to everyone and there is no need to register

Member Spotlight

KUDOS! Celebrating the accomplishments of our members.

Kudos to our President-Elect Amy Stewart. She completed her master's program in Nonprofit Leadership, concentration in Mission Drive Operations and Management at the University of Denver and she has been accepted into an honor society for nonprofit studies. Way to go Amy!



If you have some great news to share, like a promotion, a new job, or an award received, email us at AFPkudos@gmail.com. Please note this is specifically to celebrate our Members, so no need to send the results of your latest campaign or event

Upcoming AFP Events

January 13th

Coffee Chat - 1st of 2022!

[Learn More and Save the Date](#)

January 13th

2022 Economic Outlook For The U.S. and Colorado - joint event with CPGR

[Learn More and Register](#)



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