Thank You For Celebrating With Us!

A fantastic celebration took place on Friday at the Seawell Ballroom. The room was packed with 800 people representing all areas of philanthropy in Colorado -- nonprofit, foundation, community volunteers, and business sectors. The National Philanthropy Day in Colorado luncheon program started with a rousing song - "Brave" -- and then proceeded to bestow 12 awards. Tami Vinson with Mackintosh Academy chaired the event this year and Mitch Jelniker with Food Bank of the Rockies did the emcee work. Rose Community Foundation has been the Presenting Sponsor for six years. The 2020 NPD season will kick off with open nominations in spring 2020.

If you are interested in serving on the NPD Committee, please contact DeAnn@afpcc.org.

Job Postings

Archdiocese of Denver - Prospect Research and Donor Database Manager
Archdiocese of Denver - Major Gifts Officer
Friendship Bridge - Chief Development Officer
Jewish Family Service - Director of Annual Giving
Tennyson Center - Chief Marketing Development Officer
Tennyson Center - Director of Residential Services
Warren Village - VP of Development

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Involving Kids in Philanthropy

Many parents want to teach children the core values of gratitude and generosity. One way to do this is by involving them in philanthropy at a young age. Kids of all ages can get involved in giving, and this practice can have a lasting impression. Fidelity Charitable reports that donors who learned about giving from their parents are 65% more likely to teach their own children to give.

Does your organization allow children to give? Do you have easy ways for children, of any age, to get involved? Offering ways for kids to get involved can help engage parents more fully and help build the next generation of philanthropists. Fidelity Charitable suggests a few easy ways to do this:

- Encourage parents to talk about giving with children and be open about how they make decisions on where to give
- Invite children to collect change, hold bake sales or collect donations for your organization in lieu of holiday or birthday presents
- Engage teens in volunteer activities at your organization to see the impact of giving and helping first hand
- Encourage college-age and young adult children to consider serving on boards or participating in events for their favorite causes
- And of course... THANK donors in an age appropriate way to help them understand the impact and make them feel good about their choice in giving!

For more ideas and suggestions to provide your donors on engaging their children, check out the full article from Fidelity Charitable.

Giving is a Family Affair

Reggie and Faye Washington are community leaders, philanthropists and parents. Join them, along with son Quinn, on December 6th to hear more about their community work, why they support the organizations they do and how philanthropy became a family value.

Immediately prior to the luncheon, the AFP Colorado Chapter fall New Member Orientation will take place. Join us for a great day of meeting new colleagues and getting inspired by this generous family!

Sponsored by:
Thursday, December 12th
8:00 am - 10:00 am

Open Conversation about Fundraising Best Practices

Join us for an organic conversation about fundraising best practices. Development professionals can share what is on their mind and get input from the group on current roadblocks or struggles.

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.

Fluid Coffee Bar
501 East 19th Avenue, Denver

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KUDOS! Celebrating the accomplishments of our members.

Congratulations and thank you to the wonderful NPD Committee, led by chair, Tami Vinson. NPD was a wonderful success this year and the nonprofit community is grateful for your hard work on this event and dedication to our field!

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

December 6th, 10:30 am - 1:30 pm
AFP Chapter Education Luncheon and New Member Orientation
Register

December 10th
Colorado Gives Day
Donate Here!

December 12th, 8:00 am - 10:00 am
Coffee Chat - Open Conversation about Fundraising Best Practices
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