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Summer 2019

LOOKING TOWARD THE FUTURE...

More than 125 Give 10 Emerging Leaders and Partners joined us at the 2019 annual Give 10 reception. The event is a great reminder of the generosity within and commitment to our community. We value the engaging conversations and connecting with one another. One guest raised an important question: How do we fortify our community for the future and encourage more, and younger, people to give locally and participate in Give 10?

To be honest, this challenge worries me. Even with more than 400 inspiring middle and high school students participating in Give Next, our county-wide youth philanthropy program, I wonder if we are doing all we can to create a culture of giving across generations. Are we doing our best to find ways to connect with donors in their 30s and 40s, understand their values and interests, and provide relevant programming?

If you'd like to be part of a conversation focused on these questions, please join me for a discussion with Give 10 Emerging Leader co-hosts Brandee and Aaron Eide and Annah and Paul Schnaitter. Give 10 members are welcome to bring guests interested in the topic, too.

Planning for the Future: Finding, Engaging, and Supporting Next Generation Local Leaders and Donors.

Tuesday, July 23 5 – 7 p.m. Location TBD.
RSVP to hannah@bohemianfoundation.org by July 16.

I'm confident we'll identify creative ways to engage, support, and celebrate new donors and local leaders. Join us!

With gratitude,


Sara Maranowicz
Community Programs Director

SAVE THE DATE!

Focus on Giving discussions are designed as informal, educational, social events. Join us to learn from a panel of cross-sector, local experts.



Focus on Giving Discussion: The Opioid Crisis in Larimer County, Tuesday, Sept. 10, 5 – 7 p.m. RSVP to hannah@bohemianfoundation.org by Sept. 3.

Focus on Giving Discussion: Fires, Floods, and River Restoration, Thursday, Oct. 3, 5 – 7 p.m. RSVP to hannah@bohemianfoundation.org by Sept. 26.



GIVE NEXT

Looking for hope and encouragement?

At the end of each school year, we find both in abundance while we listen to students, teachers, principals, nonprofit leaders, donors, and parents talk about their Give Next experiences. We hear loud and clear that the one-year experience in giving is transformational. Students explain that they think differently about community issues, civic engagement, and their responsibility to get involved. While bold, confident students express how their awareness of others has grown, other students who don't typically identify themselves as "leaders" beam with pride as they step into a new roles. We're proud of these young people (and their teachers!)



Give Next students explore the nonprofit fair at Give Next Kickoff Day.

and grateful for the stakeholders involved in making this experience available to so many young people. Check out the North Forty News for a recent Give Next story: www.northfortynews.com/students-support-nonprofits-through-give-next. Please reach out to our team learn more and to get involved. We'd love to share this experience with you, too.

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GIVE 10 Annual Survey



We use this information gauge how we're doing and learn how we can do better.

This year we included a tear away and mail-in survey in the printed version of Give Where You Live. If you prefer, you can complete the survey online by accessing it [here](#). Please only

complete the survey once, either by mailing in your responses or completing online.

Inspiring!

Each year we gather Give 10's newest Emerging Leaders along with a few Give 10 giving mentors for a "Jeffersonian" dinner. We are always deeply moved by the conversations and connections. The group dives into personal reflections on giving and raises challenging questions. We push everyone to think of one way that they can influence and cultivate a culture of giving across Larimer County. All of us left the event with a renewed sense of focus and possibility. Below are some thoughts the group shared. We suspect they may resonate with each of you.

- *It's important to be brave and share your giving story, especially your "why" of giving. We can inspire one another through our stories.*
- *Creating personal connections is essential to the experience of giving.*
- *The responsibility to encourage giving sits with each of us. Through stories and connection, we can each play a role in cultivating a culture of giving across the community.*



IN CASE YOU MISSED IT - NONPROFIT FINANCIAL ANALYSIS TRAINING

As a donor or board member, nonprofit financial analysis skill building is a common interest. We hosted a training back in January that was so well received, we wanted to share the following resources. Check out www.fmaonline.net and www.strongnonprofits.org to find many tips and tools on these topics. We're happy to share the training materials and walk through the key points with you. Give 10 member Denise Juliana has offered up her organization's expertise in this area as well. Please email hannah@bohemianfoundation.org for contact details, training materials or to schedule a walkthrough of key points.

Generosity and Joy:
How You Give Matters

Check out [this new TedTalk](#) about the science behind giving and pleasure.

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