

Arlington Education Foundation

2019 Annual Update



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2019 was a wonderful year for the Arlington Education Foundation. We granted 26 classroom mini grants to Arlington teachers, and mailed 10,164 books to local preschoolers. We also hosted our third annual wine tasting event and our fourth annual Santa Breakfast!

Classroom Mini Grants



We have been funding AEF Classroom Mini Grants since 2011, and we were very pleased to fund \$7,575 last spring and \$9,989 this fall. This a total of 26 grants, amounting \$17,564 which went directly into the classrooms, enabling teachers to purchase classroom materials which they would not ordinarily be able to fund. We are excited to be able to help our classrooms in this way, and we congratulate those who received grants this year. We look forward to continuing this program in 2020.

Dolly Parton's Imagination Library

AEF and Rotary Club of Arlington have continued providing free books for registered preschoolers in Arlington and Darrington through Dolly Parton's Imagination Library. As of the end of 2019, 913 are children registered, with 516 graduates of the ages 0-5 program, and 10,164 books mailed. Since 2016, we've mailed 25,925 books to children in our community! If you would like to register a child, please visit www.imaginationlibrary.com.



Sip, Sip Hooray!

Our third annual wine tasting fundraiser was held at Dwayne Lane's Chevrolet in Arlington on September 27th, and brought in nearly \$20,000. There were ten local wineries and one brewery offering their selections. Sugar Momma's Bakery & Cafe catered savory appetizers, adorable mini-desserts, and Rondo Swing once again serenaded us with music while we admired the variety of exclusive silent auction items. There was something for everyone! Silent auction items included an estate planning package by Bailey, Duskin & Peiffle PS, a private flight by Dave and Kim Cort, a Mayflower Inn stay, a glass art piece from the collection of artist Kurt McVay, quarterly cheesecake by Kay Duskin, and a professionally-produced video by A Huge Production, among many others. Thank you, Dwayne Lane's, State Farm-Jim Minifie, Chippendale Accounting, DBR Gemstone, Coastal Bank, and Grocery Outlet for your sponsorship, and to all who joined us for this special evening!

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Fourth Annual Santa Breakfast

Pancakes, crafts, hot chocolate and a picture with Santa Claus all added up to a delightful morning for hundreds of children at our annual Santa Breakfast on December 7th. Special guests Mrs. Claus, Snow White, Elves and the Minions also posed for pictures and had a chance to visit with the kids. It was a magical morning for all of our 200 guests. We were able to bring in \$3,000 in ticket sales! A special thank you to our presenting sponsors, Kulits Orthodontics, Grocery Outlet, and S&S Roofing for helping make this festive morning possible.

New Board Members

The following new members were nominated and elected in 2019:

Vickie Campbell and Mel Simpson.

More information on the board members may be found here:

<https://www.arlingtonedfoundation.org/our-board>.

Thank you to our Annual Sponsors!

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