

Arlington Education Foundation

2020 Annual Update



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2020 was a memorable year for everyone. Arlington Education Foundation granted 23 classroom mini grants to Arlington teachers, and mailed 11,451 books to local preschoolers.

Classroom Mini Grants



We are proud and excited to have awarded over \$11,887 to Arlington teachers this fall through our Classroom Mini Grant Program. We presented at least one grant to each school in Arlington. We are proud to help advance the school district's goal of equity by providing teachers with culturally diverse books for their shelves, an inclusive preschool playground, and innovative ideas such as an outdoor classroom! These grants make teachers' great ideas a reality, and puts educational materials into our students' hands!

Dolly Parton's Imagination Library

We are looking forward to our five year anniversary of running the Imagination Library in Arlington and Darrington in February 2021. We currently have 982 children registered and receiving monthly books by mail.

Along with our partners, Rotary Club of Arlington, we have mailed over 35,000 books to children! Any child under 5 years old who lives in Arlington or Darrington is eligible to receive a free monthly book! Register at www.ImaginationLibrary.com



Virtual Sip, Sip Hooray!

January 21st, 2021

Our beloved annual wine night will be online this year. You will have a chance to bid on many exciting auction items from your favorite local wineries, artists, and businesses!

Online Auction

Opens: Monday, January 18th at 10 am PST, closing Saturday January 23rd at 10am

Virtual Live Auction Gala | January 21

Pre-Show: 6:00pm - 6:30pm

Main Event: 6:30pm - 7:30pm

Gala will include: Emcee Dr. Devin Brossard leading the evening, special guest speakers from grant recipients, Dolly Parton Imagination Library celebration, and a tour of our featured wineries. We will also highlight many of our great auction items - all from the comfort and relaxation of your home!

More information here: <https://www.arlingtonedfoundation.org/wine-night>

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Santa Photo Fundraiser



Bringing a back a little magic into the holidays:

Our annual Santa Photo event looked a little different this year; instead of an in-person visit with Santa Claus and special characters, this year AEF opted to offer Santa Photos virtually. Families and individuals sent photos of their children, family, and/or pets to us virtually, and received their photo back inside a frame held by Santa! In addition, children who mailed their letters to Santa's Elves received a written response by mail!

Total Santa Photos sold: 110

Total Letters mailed: 43

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