2019 SCRIP PROMOTION – HUGO REID

Hugo Reid Elementary School had a successful Spring Promotion. Thank you to all the Families that helped their student’s classroom meet the goal of $1,300.00 in Scrip sales to be able to participate in Kona Ice Truck day. Looks like everyone had a great time!

Remember… Scrip can be used for your daily shopping needs and makes a great gift too. To learn more about Scrip and how you can purchase the Scrip gift cards, please visit the Scrip Page on the AEF website.

Scrip is a program that lets you donate to your Arcadia school through your usual purchases – it costs you nothing extra. You purchase the gift cards for the face value shown on the card and your school or group (E.g. Music Club if you buy Scrip from them) earns money in the form of a rebate. Over 500 merchants participate in Scrip programs. See the list of cards we sell or access the Scrip form HERE! Thank you for your support of AUSD schools.

THINGS GET SOLVED IF YOU GET INVOLVED

- **BECOME** a donor, sponsor, or trustee
- **DONATE** online or by mail
- **SET-UP** a one-time or recurring gift
- **ENROLL** in your employer’s matching program
- **PURCHASE** Scrip
- **SHOP** at Amazon through the AEF affiliate link
- **JOIN** our board meetings on the third Tuesday of every month

Learn more about AEF’s mission and helping AUSD schools by visiting www.ArcadiaEdFoundation.org or (626) 447-2165.

AEF MINI-GRANT – LONGLEY WAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL: “We Are All Wonders”

You made this possible! Seen in the photo are Longley Way’s 5th grade students. 5th Grade teachers, Alicia Crouse, Stacey Wearp, and Andrea Fruitts received a mini-grant “We Are All Wonders” for purchasing a class set of the book “Wonder” by RJ Palacios for all 5th graders at Longley Way.

The AEF mini-grant helped students read, discuss, and do follow-up activities and projects story. Thank you for your generous support and contributions!
### AEF SUMMER SCHOOL

The AEF Summer School programs are over halfway through the 2019 summer school session with just two weeks remaining.

The third-grade students at the AEF elementary school kicked off the holiday weekend by presenting a patriotic sing-a-long for the other students and families. In addition, students are participating in a wide variety of STEAM activities at all grade levels. Our Building Better Bots and Stop Motion Animation students are learning techniques to develop their coding skills and their storytelling abilities for film making. The high school students are actively participating in science labs, solving math problems, painting, dancing, and studying economics and US history. The 2nd semester is well underway and they will be preparing for final exams on July 19th. Our middle school students have been busy with science experiments, robotics, 3D designs, creative writing, math challenges, many variations of their artistic expression, music, theatre, sports, and also busy in the kitchen with food preparation and competitions.

We look forward to seeing everyone as we celebrate the students’ work in our annual showcases. **Call for details on times:**

AEF Middle School - Tuesday, July 16th - First Ave Middle School
AEF Elementary School - Wednesday, July 17th - Highland Oaks Elementary

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<th>SUMMER PROMOTION: You don’t have to stop eating, buying gas or getting your morning cup of coffee just because it’s summer! Come by the AEF Office to say hello and buy some Scrip or sign up and use the new AEF Mobile Scrip program. Stock up on your summer Scrip and you will be entered into a raffle to win a $25 gift card of your choice. Receive one raffle entry for each $100 purchase made June 6 – July 19. We will select four lucky winners. Contest is not open to AEF Trustees or employees. AEF Office: 360 W Magna Vista, Arcadia 91007 Call or email: 626-821-6606 or <a href="mailto:Scrip@arcadiaedfoundation.org">Scrip@arcadiaedfoundation.org</a></th>
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### AEF MEMBER PROFILE – NORM OFFSTEIN, TRUSTEE AND FORMER AEF PRESIDENT

I was invited to my first AEF meeting by Pat Gibson in November 2007. Shortly after that, the board invited me to become a trustee. Joining the board appealed to me as a way to become directly involved in my children’s education. The board always impressed me with professionalism and collaboration with the district. My drive to continue volunteering with AEF is fueled by a desire to more significantly enhance the learning experience for all AUSD students. I am confident that we can achieve much more. Since joining the foundation, I served on the executive committee as secretary, vice president, and president for three years. I was also involved in the creation of the AEF endowment, and currently serve on the endowment committee. I helped lead the hiring committee that created the Director of Administration position, and for several years I acted as school site liaison for Hugo Reid Elementary and Foothills Middle School.

I graduated from USC in 1991 with B.A. degrees in Economics and Spanish. In 2001 I received my Ph.D. in Agricultural and Resource Economics from the University of California, Berkeley. In addition to being a long-term student, I taught at the University of the Andes in Bogota, Colombia for six years. Currently I work in my family’s locksmith business, started in Covina over 60 years ago. Outside of work I enjoy going to car shows and pretty much most things car related. I am the fortunate owner of a very original 1971 Porsche 914-6.

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**AEF BOARD MEETINGS**

AEF board meetings are open to all. They take place on the third Tuesday of every month at the AEC Staff Development Room, 150 S Third Ave, Arcadia, at 7:30 pm. If you are looking for a meaningful way to get involved in your child’s education, come join us and learn how you can make a measurable difference in AUSD schools and students.

Upcoming meeting dates: Aug 20, 2019; Sep 17, 2019; Oct 15, 2019; Nov 19, 2019; Dec 17, 2019; Jan 21, 2020; Feb 18, 2020; Mar 17, 2020; Apr 21, 2020; May 19, 2020; Jun 16, 2020

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**BECOME AN AEF TRUSTEE**

**Trustee expectations:**

- Attend majority of the monthly meetings
- Donate at a personally meaningful level
- Serve on two committees or chair one
- Attend Chamber meetings
- Provide a biography for publication on the AEF website

**Trustee Benefits:**

- Gain nonprofit board experience
- Learn how AUSD administration works with funding
- Involvement in new funding opportunities
- Stay informed of school and district news
- Help the foundation grow

**Visit the AEF website**

**Choose an amount you would like to give**

**Select a frequency for your recurring gift - monthly, quarterly, semi-annually, or annually**

**Annual donation summary receipt will be provided at the end of each calendar year**

For questions please contact us at info@ArcadiaEdFoundation.org