



West Linn-Wilsonville

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We have open positions on our Board of Directors. If you are interested in serving on the Board or would like more information, please contact our president, Elaine Cozart at info@wlwvfoundation.org



COUNT Campaign a Success

The WLWV Education Foundation thanks our community for your support and generosity. Because of you, the 2015-16 Honor Our Teachers and the COUNT Me In campaigns were our most successful fundraising efforts to date in terms of overall participation and money raised.

On August 15th we presented a check for \$137,000 to the WLWV School District. The district is using these funds to hire 2.5 additional teaching positions for 2016-2017. These teachers joined other new teachers to bring excellent teaching and some better class sizes to our district schools.

We look forward to your continued support this school year. Our 2016-17 HOT campaign kicks off on Nov. 9, and dates for the COUNT Campaign, Night at the Blazers and Tonkin Fun Run events will be announced soon.

Your donations have directly added more than 14 new teachers across the district since 2008. Your gift is key to maintaining the excellence of our schools. Thank you for making the WLWV School District one of the very best in Oregon.



Our Purpose

The West Linn-Wilsonville Education Foundation supports the mission of the district by raising funds to hire new teachers and maintain effective class sizes.

Our Story

The foundation began in the 1992-93 school year when Oregon school districts lost the ability to set their own budgets. The WL-WV School District then became limited by the amount allocated by the state.

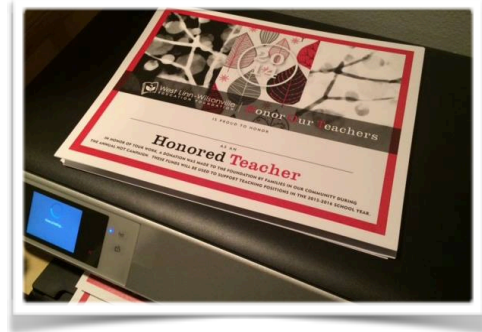
Our goal is to bridge the gap between state and local option funding to help provide what is needed to advance the school district's mission: *creating learning communities for the greatest thinkers and most thoughtful people... for the world.*

In 2008, our focus became raising funds to hire new teachers. Since then, with your generous donations, we have added more than 14 new teaching positions to our district. Thank you!

"One child, one teacher, one book, one pen can change the world."
—Malala Yousafzai

Honor Our Teachers Ready to Kick-off

As students settle into their classroom routines this fall, we are busy getting ready to kick-off the Honor Our Teachers campaign.



The **HOT** campaign begins Wednesday, November 9 and will run through

December 14. It's an

exciting celebration of the season and our gratitude for the excellence of our schools.

With a donation to the foundation, your family can honor a teacher or staff member with a special certificate and notice that you made a donation on their behalf. With a donation of \$250 or more, they will also receive a gift card. It's a special way to show your appreciation for our dedicated educators.

TEACHER SPOTLIGHT



Congratulations to Athey Creek Art Teacher, Amber Sprague (left) and Inza R. Wood

Art Teacher,

Jennifer

Cerasin

(right). Both

received

prestigious

awards from

The Oregon

Art Education



Association. Sprague was named

the Oregon Rookie Art Educator of

the Year, and Cerasin was named

Oregon Middle Level Art Educator of

the Year. We are so proud of our excellent teachers.

Welcome to our New Educators for 2016-17



The West Linn-Wilsonville Education Foundation welcomes all the new teachers and staff to the district! You are the reason we do what we do — help bring more talented teachers and educators to our classrooms. Thank you!