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Hello BOOST Network members!

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" EVERY GREAT DREAM BEGINS WITH A DREAMER. ALWAYS REMEMBER, YOU HAVE WITHIN YOU THE STRENGTH, THE PATIENCE, AND THE PASSION TO REACH FOR THE STARS TO CHANGE THE WORLD."

-HARRIET TUBMAN

Upcoming BOOST Network Events



Next BOOST Quarterly Meeting: Tuesday, March 5, 2019

Time: 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM Location: Stanton Tower Auditorium

RSVP to boost@unitedwayelpaso.org by Friday, March 1st.

2019 Quarterly Meetings. Save These Dates!

Tuesday, June 4, 2019 Tuesday, September 3, 2019 Tuesday, December 3, 2019

Professional Development Opportunities!



Storytelling Training: As part of the IGNITE Initiative, The Paso del Norte Health Foundation is pleased to invite BOOST Network members to a four hour training focusing on the components of good storytelling on **February 21, 2019**. The training is focused on understanding the components of good storytelling and technical skills needed to produce and edit a video for your OST program or organization. Space is limited so please RSVP!

Register Here



Improve Health & Nutrition: Childhood obesity continues to be a global epidemic and OST programs have great potential to make a positive impact on children's health behaviors. Register for the **March 13th** webinar that examines research about how OST programs can impact health and nutrition behaviors to understand what is working, and what maybe possible.

NMSU Prep Academy: The NMSU College of Engineering will be hosting a two week residential summer camp for middle school and high school students in June. Applications are open to all New Mexico students and are due March 15.

Member Announcements and Events

Have an upcoming event? Let us know below!



Youth Events:

- Youth Poetry & Cover Art Contest: The El Paso Public Library will be hosting their 29th annual Youth Poetry and Cover Art contest for grades 1-12. Spanish and English poems are welcomed, and 3 winners from each grade level will be selected to be published in official poetry booklets. Two winners will be selected for the cover art designs contest and a runner up for each grade level will be selected to be published in the official poetry booklets. All entries are due February 16th.
- Anti-Valentine Party: The <u>Richard Burges Library</u> Teen Hangout invites teens ages 10-17 to their annual Anti-Valentines party lock-in. On Friday, **February** 15th at the Rae Gilmore Rec come enjoy good food, games, prizes and crafts.



<u>Celebrating 25 Years:</u> The BOOST Network would like to congratulate our member <u>CASA Promoción y Juvenil</u> on celebrating their 25th anniversary. CASA's mission is to promote the development of young people and modify the context in which they are immersed in by promoting co-responsibility. CASA has impacted the lives of thousands of Cd. Juarez' youth through a variety of programs and services improving the social fabric of the region.



<u>Career Opportunity:</u> <u>Big Brothers Big Sisters Mountain Region(BBBSM)</u> is looking to fill the position of Regional Director. Responsibilities include implementing local fund development, partnerships and marketing efforts, recruitment of Board members and attending Regional Board meetings, assisting in the recruitment of volunteers, and working closely with Program Staff.

Job Description Here



<u>Healthy Paso del Norte</u> provides a range of demographic and population data for counties in the Paso del Norte Region. The site is a tool for community assessment, strategic planning, identifying best practices for improvement, collaboration, and advocacy.

short description to <u>boost@unitedwayelpaso.org</u> to be featured in the newsletter and social media!







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