

CEDARBURG EDUCATION FOUNDATION, INC.

BOARD MEMBER INFORMATION

Our Mission

The Cedarburg Education Foundation provides a means for schools, individuals and businesses to work together to help students achieve their potential by providing financial support through private funding.

Goals & Objectives

Stimulate outstanding academic achievement and provide enhanced learning opportunities to students. Increase local business, civic and community involvement within the school district. Support outstanding achievement by students, teachers, administrators and support staff. Stimulate the introduction of innovative educational opportunities that will enrich the quality of education. Provide a continuous funding source for programs that inspire all students to succeed.

Purpose

The Cedarburg Education Foundation is a 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation that was created in January of 2006. The CEF is a self-sustaining partner with schools and community, sharing the pride, passion and excitement of creating educational excellence for our students. The Foundation prudently receives, manages and invests contributions to achieve the optimum benefit for the children of the community. The CEF provides grants and additional funding for special projects geared toward enhancing academic achievement. Grants support curriculum innovation and the equipment and materials to implement that curriculum, and fund special programs or projects for School District students, teachers, administrators and staff members.

Board Structure

The Cedarburg Education can have up to 18 board members as set in our by-laws. Each member is elected to a three year term unless elected to replace a board member mid-term. We are a “working” board. The Executive Board consists of a President, Vice President, Treasurer, and Secretary. Each of these positions is elected annually. Board members may serve multiple years on the Executive Board.

Activities

Fund Raising efforts are directed towards the Fall Gala and the Spring SMART 5K Run/walk. All board members are expected to participate in some way during each event. Other fund raising efforts are held throughout the year.

Commitment

Meetings are held on the first Monday of the month and last 1-2 hours. There are also subcommittee meetings that are held outside of board meeting times. The bulk of the work of CEF is accomplished outside of the regular monthly meetings. Board member participation is required to allow us to accomplish our goals and meet the commitments that we have made to the Cedarburg School District, its teachers, students, and parents.

Benefits

The benefits to Board Membership are numerous. You will develop a sense of investment in your schools and your child’s education that will allow you to realize how great our schools actually are. It will give you a chance to give back to the teachers and schools that make your child’s learning process one of the best in the State of Wisconsin. Our schools and educators are exceptional and you will take great pride in helping us to accelerate the opportunities for our students.

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BOARD MEMBER APPLICATION

NAME _____ DATE _____

ADDRESS _____ HOME PHONE _____

_____ OTHER PHONE _____

EMAIL _____

EXPERIENCE

EDUCATION _____

PRESENT EMPLOYER/POSITION _____

RELEVANT WORK OR EXPERIENCE _____

PAST OR PRESENT VOLUNTEERING _____

SKILLS OR QUALIFICATIONS

___ FUNDRAISING ___ MARKETING ___ ACCOUNTING

___ EVENT PROMOTION ___ EVENT COORDINATION ___ SCHOOL LIASON

___ WRITING ___ NETWORKING ___ WEB SITE

IN YOUR OWN WORDS; WHY DO YOU FEEL YOU WOULD MAKE A GOOD BOARD MEMBER FOR THE CEDARBURG EDUCATION FOUNDATION? (feel free to attach more if necessary)

Please return to: Cedarburg Education Foundation, Inc PO Box 502 Cedarburg, WI 53012

OR email to: cef4kids@hotmail.com