



Monthly News Notice

The New Mexico Chapter of the Association of Fundraising Professionals
Invites you to

EVENTS ROUNDTABLES:

Knocking Their Socks Off! Secrets of Some of New Mexico's Best Fundraising Events!

*Why do some fundraising events attract hundreds of patrons every year?
What makes the event attractive to patrons?
Is there a special formula for success?
How do you keep events fresh and appealing?
What keeps the event successful?*

Come visit (up close and personally) with representatives from nonprofits from New Mexico communities that have found exciting "win-win" events to attract and retain patrons each and every year.

Don't miss this golden opportunity to learn the secrets of a variety of highly popular and profitable fundraisers, including big ticket glitzy gatherings, offbeat yet appealing events, and family friendly fundraisers.

Learn the inside story about cultivating, marshalling, and organizing a successful, effective fundraising event for your organization!

Seating will be limited for this event, so get your luncheon reservation in early!!

Thursday, August 10, 2006 ~ 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
(registration and networking 11:00-11:30, Luncheon: 11:30 a.m.)
Embassy Suites, 1000 Woodward PI NE, Albuquerque, NM (505) 245-7100

For: Development staff, Fundraisers, Executive Directors and Board members.

Cost: Luncheon Cost for this meeting will be \$20 for AFP members and \$25 for non-members.

Advance reservations required by 10a.m. the Monday prior to the luncheon. If you have not RSVP'd by that time, we cannot guarantee you a seat. If you RSVP'd but cannot attend, please cancel your reservation by 10a.m. the Monday prior to the luncheon, or you will be billed. (AFP members are individuals, not organizations, who have paid their annual dues.)

New Mexico Chapter

2006 Meeting Schedule

February 9

March 9

April 21

Combined Meeting with
New Mexico Planned
Giving Council
"Legacy Day" Luncheon

May 11

June 1
(meeting at O'Keeffe
Museum in Santa Fe)

No Meeting in July

August 10

September 14

October 12

November 14
Philanthropy Day

December 14

Jan 11, 2007

AFP NM Website
www.afp-nm.org

Mail your check (payable to AFP) to: AFP, c/o Albuquerque Community Foundation,

PO Box 36960, Albuquerque, NM 87176, or contact Tina Flynn at 883-6240 or tflynn@albuquerquefoundation.org.

When you RSVP, please indicate if you are an AFP member and if you would like to order a vegetarian dish.

AFP and NM Planned Giving Council Audio-Conferences

Join us for the next teleconference sessions for an opportunity to learn from and interact with experts in fundraising. The AFP sessions qualify for 1.5 points toward CFRE education requirements. There is no charge for AFP and NMPGC members. Non-members pay a small fee per session at the meeting. Advance registration is required and appreciated. Seminars are 11:00am - 12:30pm.

Free to AFP & NMPGC Members \$25 all others

Association of Fundraising Professionals Virtual Seminars, meeting at United Way, 2340 Alamo SE.

RSVP to ladonna@uwcnm.org.

AUGUST 9, 2006, WEDNESDAY, *Corporate Friends, Corporate Partners, Corporate Funders: Getting Corporate Support Right!*, Gene Scanlan, Ph.D., CFRE

DECEMBER 5, 2006, TUESDAY, *What Fundraisers Need to Know about Budgets & Financial Statements* **WEBCONFERENCE (AUDIO + WEB), R. Barkley Calkins**

“Fundraising is the gentle art of teaching the job of giving.”
— Hank Rosso

Come celebrate National Philanthropy Day with the Association of Fundraising Professionals New Mexico Chapter on **November 14, 2006** at the Embassy Suites Hotel. This is AFP-New Mexico's 20th year of bringing professional and ethical fundraising to New Mexico.

National Philanthropy Day features educational seminars, vendor tables, luncheon, and awards ceremony including special recognition for Youth in Philanthropy.

The day begins at 7:30am with registration and a continental breakfast. At 8:15 a.m. enjoy welcome and opening remarks by Deanne McElroy of Wells Fargo, sponsor of this year's National Philanthropy Day celebration.

Concurrent seminars and workshops begin at 8:45 a.m. and continue throughout the morning. CFRE credits and limited scholarships are available. The topics at each seminar or workshop are presented in response to the AFP survey conducted in January of this year. Thanks to all who provided feedback and helped establish this year's curriculum.

Breaks throughout the morning provide you with opportunities to view the vendor booths available throughout the day. Rental of vendor booths are available at non-profit rates of \$35.00 and corporate rates of \$75.00. Interested parties should contact Susan Simons at 277-3217.

Philanthropy Day culminates with the awards ceremony and luncheon beginning at 11:30 a.m.

At this year's luncheon, Youth in Philanthropy awards will honor young philanthropists all across New Mexico in 3 categories: elementary, middle and high school. Nominations are being accepted. Do you know a child/young adult who is making a difference like these youth?

- ◆ 7 year-old Stacey raises money for bulletproof vests for police dogs
- ◆ 11 year-old Emily sends thousands of books to children in South Africa
- ◆ 15 year old Brandon collects suitcases for foster children
- ◆ 16 year old Ryan rode 19,000 miles on a lawnmower, mowing all 50 state capitols in order to promote awareness of organ and tissue donations

If so, make a commitment today to the future of human welfare in our community by encouraging the next generation of leaders in philanthropy. Educators, business leaders, and community members are asked to nominate their favorite young philanthropist to be honored at the Philanthropy Day luncheon. One nominee from each of the three categories will be recognized at the event, and will receive a \$250 grant to award to their favorite charitable organization.

Please go to the AFP website, www.afp-nm.org, download the Youth in Philanthropy Nomination Form, and submit it no later than September 18, 2006 (postmarked). Award recipients will be notified by mid-October in writing to give them enough time to plan to attend the luncheon.

A cost of \$100 buys you a morning of fundraising training seminars and workshops, access to the vendor booths, and a seat at the awards luncheon. \$65 buys you the seminars, workshops, and vendor access only. For more information, visit www.afp-nm.org/philanthropy.htm.

All of these activities are sponsored in part or in whole by Wells Fargo.

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Job searching? Be sure to check out our expanded job listings on the AFP-NM website (afp-nm.org). If you are seeking a great new Fundraiser, email me your job listing for placement on our website or in this monthly "News Notice" at mjbarber@casaesperanzanm.org.

Paying for Luncheon Meetings - We accept Visa and MasterCard as a form of payment for the luncheons. You may register and pay online at www.afp-nm.org.

Membership - Interested in becoming a member of AFP? Please contact Susan Simons at 277-3217 or sesimons@nmhum.org and learn the wonderful benefits of joining.

Community Table - Do you want to advertise an event you are planning or a service you offer? Bring information to the monthly luncheons to leave on our community table for others to pick up.

Have We Got A Deal For You....

There are professional development scholarships available to all members for both membership dues and for application for the CFRE exam.

The next CFRE exam can be taken August 28 to September 16 at a site near you. Applications must be postmarked by May 26. For further information about a scholarship or about becoming a CFRE, call Susan Simons, CFRE at 277-3217.

Contributions to the AFP Foundation for Philanthropy's Every Member Campaign support philanthropic diversity, educational initiatives, research, public awareness and AFP strategic initiatives that advance ethical and effective fundraising. Make your pledge today at www.afpnet.org and help the NM Chapter meet its goal.
LaDonna Hopkins, AFP-NM Foundation Development Chair.

SAVE THE DATE! September 14th AFP-NM

Luncheon Topic: Quality of Life Initiative

Fundraisers in Bernalillo County could see a huge influx of funding if the *Quality of Life Initiative* gets a YES vote on November 7th. This is a rare opportunity for ALL of us to work together for approximately \$40 million in funding for cultural programming –which can free up other dollars for area non-profits. Come hear Quality of Life Initiative Co-Chair, Pamela Chavez, talk about the Initiative and present a call to action for ALL area nonprofits to urge their constituents to support our friends and neighbors in the cultural nonprofits.

All AFP-NM members are invited to apply for the \$500 Chamberlain Scholarship to attend the AFP 44th International Conference will be held in Dallas, TX, March 25–28, 2007. To be eligible you must be a member of AFP-NM, can not have received any national conference scholarship in the last three years, must report to the Board and the general membership on the conference (this may be by a written report in the newsletter) and offer to serve on the Board of Directors. This scholarship can only be received by a particular AFP-NM member once. If you are interested in attending the AFP International Conference and would like more information and an application for the Chamberlain Scholarship, please contact Susan Simons, sesimons@nmhum.org. All applications for the Chamberlain Scholarship must be received by the Board by Sept. 29, 2006.

Job Postings - (see additional information at afp-nm.org)

Albuquerque Health Care for the Homeless is seeking a **Development Coordinator** to raise cash and in-kind contributions in conjunction with the Co-Executive Director and Board. Also responsible for marketing and communications. Requirements: Bachelor's degree with proven resource development experience. Excellent writing and facilitation skills are essential. Donor software experience a plus. Send cover letter and resume to AHCH, Attention: Human Resources, P.O. Box 25445, Abq., NM 87125 or email to humanresources@abqhch.org.

NM Coalition to End Homelessness is looking for a **Communications and Development Director** for the Santa Fe office. This would be a great job for someone who has worked at a homeless service agency and wants to work on homelessness on the Coalition side.

The position will be in Santa Fe with some travel to Albuquerque required. The main responsibilities will be: Coordinating the Balance of State Continuum of Care Process by convening committees by phone and in person, conducting an every other year point in time count of the homeless, assembling the Continuum of Care grant application in April and May; Coordinating technical assistance workshops for service providers; Office administration for the Santa Fe office; Grant writing and grant management; Production of quarterly newsletter and annual report; Writing press releases; Work with office

volunteers and interns. To apply please email a letter of interest, a resume, and names and phone numbers of three references to Hank-H@nmceh.org.

NARAL Pro-Choice New Mexico: Executive Director
NARAL Pro-Choice New Mexico seeks an Executive Director. Required skills/experience include: Lobbying and/or political and campaign experience; Fundraising experience, particularly major donor cultivation and grant writing; Management.

People from diverse backgrounds are encouraged to apply. Please send resume and references to Kathy Love via email (preferred method) Kathy@McGinnLaw.com, via fax 505/242-8227 or via mail 420 Central Ave., SW, Ste 200, Albuquerque, NM 87102. Please visit www.prochoicenm.org

American Civil Liberties Union of New Mexico; Development Director; The American Civil Liberties Union of New Mexico (ACLU-NM) is a state-wide nonprofit membership organization devoted to promoting and defending civil rights and liberties. We are an affiliate of the nation's oldest and largest civil liberties organization, the ACLU. To apply send letter of interest, resume, writing sample, and salary requirements to: Development Director Search, ACLU-NM, PO Box 566, Albuquerque, NM 87103

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