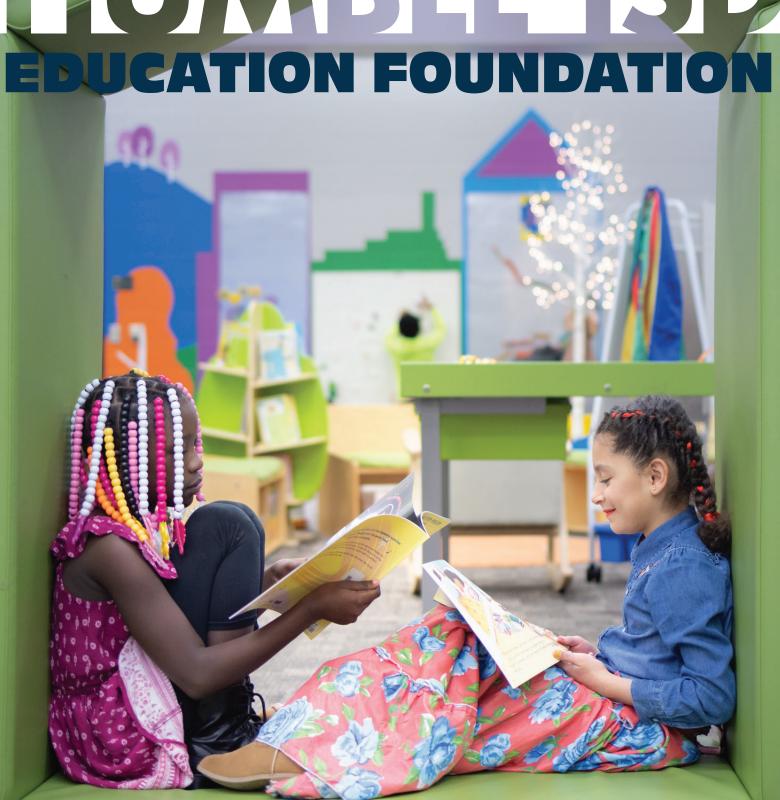
# EDUCATION FOUNDATION











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Scholarships awarded to pave the road to success for the leaders of tomorrow. \$17.3 M

Grants awarded to ignite learning and spark innovation in Humble ISD classrooms.

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Funds awarded to Humble ISD since 2000 from a community that is committed to educational excellence.



Supporting education foundations is not new to me. I had the privilege to help start the Magnolia ISD Education Foundation in 2001. I know first hand the impact this type of organization can have on teacher recruitment and retention and student achievement. So when my family moved to the Lake Houston area in 2016, one of the first calls I made was to the Humble ISD Education Foundation and asked how I could serve. Fast forward 6 years, it was truly my honor to chair this organization this past year. I get to work with 30 other board of directors who are just as passionate and dedicated to educational excellence as I am. And because of this dedication, here are some milestones achieved in the 2022-2023 school year:

- We implemented a mini-grant program for the first time and awarded over \$49,000 to teachers. What a great way for teachers to start the school year with financial assistance to get their classroom ready and a strong message of support from our community.
- We partnered with Humble ISD to strengthen alumni relations. Many of our Humble ISD alumni return to the Lake Houston area to raise their families and we look forward to planning fun events for them to reengage with old friends and Humble ISD. Have you seen the impressive list of Humble ISD Distinguished Alumni recognized this year? Be sure and check it out on our website.
- In the 24-year history of awarding Innovative Education grants to Humble ISD educators, we awarded the highest amount ever in May 2023 \$324,478!

These achievements are not possible with only our Board of Directors. It is only achieved when a community of supporters ask the same question I did 6 years ago "How can I serve?". I am proud to call Lake Houston home and to see my fellow citizens support our heroes on the front line, our Humble ISD educators. Together, we are creating a bright future for the leaders of tomorrow.



Deborah Rose Miller Foundation Chair

# **FINANCIALS**

### SUPPORT TO HUMBLE ISD **REVENUES** \$710.960 \$833,335 \$33**2,212** \$8.847 \$25,919 \$2,343,608 \$1,327,490 \$160.830 \$316.081 \$324,478 \$958,436 ■ Events ■ Employee Campaign ■ Restricted Projects ■ Employee Campaign Rebates Other Restricted Funds Annual Fund Campaigns Unrestricted Wishlist ■ I.E. Grants



This year has marked a historic milestone for our Innovative Education Grant Program. In May 2023, we proudly awarded the highest amount of funds since the program's inception, an **impressive \$324,478**! These grants were a catalyst for 79 innovative projects, enriching the educational journey of students and empowering educators to implement new strategies both within and beyond the classroom setting. Here are two projects awarded, and you can watch videos on more projects like these on our website.

The Girls Above Pressure (GAP) Social Club provides a safe space for girls in 3rd through 5th grade to discover their girl power! Club members engage in group discussions on diverse topics, including building friendships, resolving conflicts, and fostering self-love. These discussions serve as a foundation for hands-on projects during meetings that align with the explored themes. These projects range from self-discovery and affirmations to developing interpersonal skills and emotional maturity.

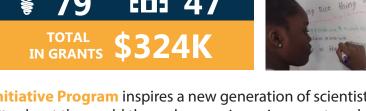
In addition to these activities, the club establishes a strong connection with our community and inspirational women in leadership. The club hosts guest speakers who are local business owners, community visionaries, and campus trailblazers. These speakers exemplify the very skills that the girls are diligently cultivating on their journey of growth.











The Future Scientist Initiative Program inspires a new generation of scientists by fostering a deep curiosity about the world through engaging science outreach initiatives. High school students assume the role of mentors and lead an electrifying series of outreach adventures at elementary and middle schools in Humble ISD. These high school scientists cover a range of captivating subjects, including Chemistry, Biology, Physics, Aerospace, and Ecology.

By engaging elementary, middle, and high school students in interactive and captivating science activities, the initiative lays the foundation for a lifelong passion for science and meaningful contributions to society. Terra Farmer, Kingwood High School Science Instructor, said, "Our high school students are even more passionate about science as a result and we saw the 'spark' in the eyes of our future science students."

### **MINI GRANTS BIG WIN**

The "Mini Grants Big Win" initiative awarded 108 mini grants, totaling \$49,170, to teachers within Humble ISD as they prepared for the start of the school year. These educators used the grant funds to acquire materials that would amplify their teaching methods, including flexible seating options, essential school supplies, and classroom books, all aimed at enriching their students' learning environment.



The Humble ISD Education Foundation partnered with local organizations and donors to award **228 scholarships** to graduating seniors totaling **\$244,900**.

These scholarship recipients are destined for great achievements. Megan Tarkington, a past recipient, is already leaving a significant impact on the upcoming generation of educators and leaders. Megan Tarkington graduated from Kingwood High School in 2019 and received the Humble Area Retired Teacher Association Scholarship. Megan graduated from Sam Houston State University with a Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Business and a minor in Secondary Education. She pursued this degree not only because of her love for the agriculture industry, but also because of the impact her teachers had on her. "Many teachers throughout the years have instilled in me a passion for education." This fall, Megan began her career as an agricultural science teacher in Humble ISD. "The scholarship I received from the Humble ISD Education Foundation and HARTA allowed me to pursue my passion for education and I hope to share that passion with my students."



Interested in supporting students like Megan as they pursue their dreams? Reach out to us now to discuss establishing a scholarship.

# #PROUD2BEHUMBLEISDALUMNI

This year, we recognized eight Humble ISD Distinguished Alumni Award recipients. To read each recipient's story, please scan the QR code.

### Congratulations to the 2023 honorees:

Bryce Burch, Humble High School, Class of 1998 Charles Curry, Humble High School, Class of 1964 Colleen Kelly, Kingwood High School, Class of 1988 Raymond Mansfield, Kingwood High School, Class of 1996 Miranda Meador, Humble High School, Class of 1998 Stan Moore, Humble High School, Class of 1974 Marc Shepard, Kingwood High School, Class of 1993 James Taylor, Kingwood High School, Class of 1986





# **ALUMNI**

If you are a Humble ISD graduate and have not connected yet with us, please visit Humbleisd.net/alumni to register your contact information and stay up to date on upcoming events.









# **FUNDRAISING FUN**

Get ready to amp up the fun meter to the max! We're bringing you a lineup of four mega-events that pack a punch for the Innovative Education grant program. Starting with purse bingo in August, swinging through the golf tournament in November, sizzling up the Humble BBQ Cook-off and Rodeo in February, and ending with a blast at our Boots & Bling Gala in April. These events are packed with their own brand of fun, powered by the incredible support from our sponsors and attendees. It's time to mark your calendars, gather your crew, and dive into a year of unforgettable adventures that make education shine!

### **PURSE BINGO**

Why settle for an ordinary bingo night when you can play for a cause? Kudos to our incredible participants who made our inaugural Bad Moms Back to School Bash a huge hit. We don't know the date for next year's event, but we do know we are definitely doing it again. Stay tuned for the date!



## **GOLF TOURNAMENT**

What beats a day on the golf course? Swinging those clubs for a meaningful cause! Big thank you to our awesome golfers and sponsors for making the 2023 tournament the highest profitable in our Foundation's history. Circle November 6th on your calendar – that's when the fun continues at the Golf Club of Houston. Tee up for a fantastic time!



# **HUMBLE RODEO & BBQ COOK-OFF**

Yeehaw! Our 2023 Humble Rodeo & BBQ Cook-Off was a success, all thanks to our incredible supporters! We had a blast with action-packed rodeo thrills, finger-licking BBQ, toe-tapping music, and family fun galore. But guess what? The party's far from over! Mark your calendars for January 26-27 and February 2-4, 2024 - the Humble Rodeo & BBQ Cook-Off is coming back with even more rodeo magic and BBQ goodness. We're looking forward to seeing y'all there!



### **BOOTS & BLING**

Celebrating Humble ISD educators was a blast at our Boots & Bling Gala! Boots were kicking on the dance floor, hats were flying on the mechanical bull – all while our incredible donors showed big love for Humble ISD educators and students. But the highlight? Drumroll, please... The top 10 finalists for Humble ISD Teacher of the Year hit the stage, and the winners took the spotlight. Hats off to Susan Mitchell at Groves Elementary, who was



announced as the 23-24 Humble ISD Teacher of the Year. See you on the dance floor next year!



Business partners are key to the Foundation being able to reach as many educators and students as possible. Below is a list of our local businesses and organizations who sponsored Foundation events or supported special projects in the 2022-2023 school year. We are deeply grateful for these partners.

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