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News from the Foundation- End of the School Year Edition!

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As the school year ends, we at the Methacton Education Foundation take a moment to look back on an incredible 2023-2024 school year. We're thrilled to report that we were able to donate over \$225,000 to the Methacton School District, directly impacting the education of our students!

This wouldn't have been possible without your continued support. Thank you for your dedication to enriching the lives of Methacton learners.

Looking ahead, we're excited to share upcoming news and events that will fuel our mission of fostering innovation and excellence in the district. Stay tuned for more information by following us on social media!

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Join us for the **RACE BACK TO SCHOOL! Methacton 5k Walk/Run** on **Sunday, September 15th!**

Lace up your sneakers and support a great cause! All proceeds benefit the Methacton Backpack Program.

**Don't miss out on the fun!
Stay tuned for registration details**



NOMINATE AN APEX HONOREE

Do you know a significant Methacton educator, staff, alumnus, or community member who deserves recognition for their accomplishments?



Nominate a Significant Contributor to the Methacton Community

Do you know an exceptional Methacton educator, staff member, alumnus, or community member who deserves recognition for their accomplishments?

The Methacton Education Foundation is seeking nominations for the 2024 Apex Award Inductees. This prestigious award honors outstanding teachers, alumni, and community members who have made an extraordinary impacts on our school district community.

We are now accepting public nominations for the 2024 inductees. Help us recognize those whose lifetime contributions or achievements make them worthy of the Apex Award.

The recognition event is planned for early fall. Nominate someone today and help us celebrate our community's best!

NOMINATE AN HONOREE



Thank You, Alumni & Friends!

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to all the Alumni & Friends who joined us on Saturday, June 1st. It was a wonderful evening filled with great friends and fantastic memories. Your presence made the night truly special.



Congratulations to the Class of 2024!

We are thrilled to welcome the Class of 2024 as official members of the Methacton Alumni Community. We hope they will join our Methacton Alumni & Friends network and stay connected with us.

METHACTON ALUMNI & FRIENDS

MEF SUPPORTING THE SCHOOL DISTRICT



The Methacton Education Foundation has granted over \$225,000 to the Methacton School District this year! [Here are some highlights:](#)

- STEM FAB LAB \$89,000.00
- Health Career Fair \$3,500.00
- Backpack Programs \$ 10,000.00
- Arcola Chamber Theater \$4,500.00
- ELS Translator Earbuds \$1,200.00
- Kindergarten Balance Bikes \$27,000.00
- Support for Science Fair Students \$500.00
- Arcola Rocks! Modern Band Instrument \$2,498.90
- Sonor SMART Xylophones \$40,000.00
- Expanding Accessibility to Wheel Thrown Ceramics \$15,000.00
- Opening the Door to Orchestra \$2,100.00
- Big Blue Blocks at Arrowhead \$6,500.00
- T. E.A.M.S. \$2,500.00

LEARN MORE



Are you looking for ways to help us make the Methacton School District stronger? We could always use your help! Here are ways to support the Methacton Education Foundation:

- [DONATE](#)- MEF is a 501C3 and all donations are tax deductible
- [TAX CREDITS](#) -Did you know your tax dollars can support the students at Methacton? Learn more about [EITC](#).
- [VOLUNTEER](#)- We have tons of volunteer opportunities!
- [JOIN US!](#) - Sign up for our events!

HOW TO HELP



Pennsylvania's Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC) programs allow individuals and businesses to redirect tax dollars to the Methacton Education Foundation to support our school district. When an approved individual or business contributes, they receive tax credits up to 90% of their total contribution.

www.methactonfoundation.org/eitc



What does this mean for Methacton families and supporters?

Methacton families, supporters, and benefactors can designate their contributions to the Methacton Education Foundation to help fund innovative programs and pre-kindergarten programs for economically disadvantaged families in the Methacton School District and receive credit against their PA income tax.



WHO QUALIFIES?

An individual or couple filing jointly must have a PA taxable income of at least \$102,606 and a PA income tax liability of \$3,500 or more to participate. To see if you qualify, you can find your PA tax liability on Form PA-40 Line 12 of your most recent PA income tax return.



EITC FUNDS HAVE HELPED MEF FUND INNOVATIVE PROGRAMS LIKE:

- STEM Innovation Lab: Hydroponic Farm
- Fish Tank Ecosystem at Woodland
- Uncharted Learning Entrepreneurship Business Program
- Pre-K Scholarship Program for Students-in-Need
- STEM Renovation of Elementary School Libraries
- STEM Innovation Lab: Forensics Biochemistry Lab
- Horizon Project for Planetarium Upgrade
- Engineering Laptops for Computer-Aided Design Software

How do I sign up?

STEP BY STEP INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1 REVIEW**
Read our materials, ask us questions, and discuss with your tax professional.
- 2 AMOUNT**
Determine the amount you want to contribute. Email: Donna@methactonfoundation.org
- 3 JOINDER**
Fill out the SPE Joinder to secure your spot in the program. Limited availability. Credits go fast!
- 4 CHECK**
During the 4th quarter, you will receive a letter explaining where to mail your check to the SPE.
- 5 K-1**
In February, you will receive your K-1 from the SPE for your taxes.
- 6 FILE**
File your taxes, including your K-1, claim your PA Tax credit and possible federal benefits
- 7 ENJOY**
Enjoy your tax benefit and the knowledge that your allocation supports innovative education in Methacton

Interested in learning more about EITC? Contact Donna Piergallini
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MARK YOUR CALENDARS

- **9/1/2024- [Nominate Apex Honorees](#)**
- **9/15/2024- [Race Back to School 5K and Fun Run!](#)**

The Methacton Education Foundation is a charitable organization proudly supporting innovative educational programs for Methacton students.



STEM
(Science, Technology, Engineering & Math)



Student Wellness



Career Development



Economically Disadvantaged Student Programming

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