



# RIVERSIDE COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION FOUNDATION

# NEWS

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### STUDENT SUCCESS FUND UPDATE

High School students from Beaumont, Coachella Valley, Desert Sands, Palm Springs and Palo Verde Unified School Districts were invited to apply for funding. Most of the students utilized their scholarship award for purchasing laptops or iPads to assist them with their high school work assignments. A total of 67 students were awarded \$24,300 of the approved budget of \$25,000.

### STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM UPDATE

High School students from Alvord, Banning, Corona-Norco, Hemet, Palo Verde and Val Verde Unified School Districts were invited to apply for scholarships this year. Invitations went out in March 2023 with a deadline of June 30, 2023. The approved 2023 budget for this program is \$125,000. The average scholarship is \$1,500 to \$2,500 per student depending on the total number of qualified applications received.

### GRANT PROGRAM UPDATE

We are delighted to announce that Stater Bros charities has joined our grant program with a \$5,000 grant to be applied to our Student Scholarship Program Fund. Stater Bros joins Verizon, San Manuel Band of Mission Indians, Edison International, Cahuilla Band of Indians, Riverside County Board of Supervisors, and the 3M Company in providing grants to support this important Foundation scholarship program.

### 9TH ANNUAL "INLAND CLASSIC" GOLF TOURNAMENT UPDATE

The annual golf tournament will again be held at Morongo Golf Club at Tukwet Canyon on Monday, October 2, 2023. The fundraising goal for the tournament is \$90,000. We are off to a good start with a grant from the Morongo Band of Mission Indians of \$8,140. This grant covers all the expenses for 144 golfers (which is a full tournament). The tournament continues to attract participation from many of the major companies in Riverside County. Last year's champion of the tournament was the team from Keenan & Associates.

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Shelomith Mariane Hoy, a student at Palm Springs High School, proudly displays her MacBook Pro purchased with the assistance of the Student Success Fund Grant.

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