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AFP Suncoast May Newsletter

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Planet Philanthropy is coming to Tampa in June - hooray! Our state fundraising conference moves around the state each year and for the first time in many years, we are hosting it right here in downtown Tampa. I think this is fabulous but I realize not everyone agrees with me. So for those who aren't sure, here are 7 reasons not to attend (and why I think they are wrong).

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Welcome New Members

- Martin Adams Florida College
- Sue Bliss The Florida Aquarium
- Justine Burke Metropolitan Ministries, Inc.
- Denise Ellison Hillsborough Community College Foundation
- Debra Faulk Wells Fargo
- Anne Ford Canterbury School of Florida
- Maria Gumina Amikids, Inc.
- Nate Jessup Imagine Museum
- Janine Kiray Beat Nb Cancer Foundation
- Molly Longmire Children's Dream Fund
- · Joycelyn Mahone University of Tampa
- Kyle Matthews Beat Nb Cancer Foundation
- Nancy Olds Metropolitan Ministries
- Laurie Pinover University of South Florida
- Sally Schule Sarasota Memorial Heathcare Foundation
- Sherri Stitt The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society
- Breanne Strepina Fish and Wildlife Foundation of Florida
- Judith Tilton Gulf Coast Jewish Family & Community Services

Please see the attached membership coupon for Professional and Associate New Member discounts! 2017 Coupon.pdf

Join AFP Today!

The Association of Fundraising Professionals (AFP) represents more than 30,000 members around the world working to advance philanthropy.

Join today - benefit today!

Click HERE for more info.

Job Bank

Whether you are seeking a job or have one to offer, the AFP Suncoast Job Bank is a perfect place to find opportunities. Currently we have postings for the following:

Director

April 23, 2017 New College Child Center, Sarasota, FL

Development Coordinator

May 04, 2017 Lion's Eye Institute for Transplant and Research, Ybor City - Tampa, FL

Community Engagement Manager

May 04, 2017 South Florida Museum, Bradenton, FL

Donor Data and Development Coordinator

May 04, 2017 YMCA of the Suncoast - Clearwater, FL

Major Gift Officer

May 04, 2017 Stetson College of Law

Executive Director

May 09, 2017 Onbikes, Inc., Tampa, FL

Grant Writer

May 09, 2017 Peace River Center - Lakeland, FL

Director of Admissions

May 13, 2017 Canterbury School of Florida St. Petersburg FL

Chapter members may post job listings at no cost; non-members may post listings for \$50/month. Visit the Job Bank for more details.



PLANET PHILANTHROPY

Planet Philanthropy 2017 is almost here! June 25-27 in Tampa at the downtown Hilton. Don't miss this great chance to come and learn with your counterparts from across the state in a fun atmosphere that is sure to bring great learning and fun! We will have fun, fundraising training and friends. Come and meet new people, re-connect with old friends and learn a ton in a fun setting. Tampa has not hosted in a long time so let's show the state why we love it here!!!!

Make Your RESERVATIONS TODAY!

Visit http://www.planetphilanthropy.org- Reservations are open!

PLEASE BE ADVISED THERE WILL BE NO AFP SUNCOAST CHAPTER
JUNE 2017 MEETING DUE TO PLANET PHILANTHROPY TAKING
PLACE!



Presented by the Suncoast Chapter of the Association of Fundraising Professionals and proudly Sponsored by:



National Philanthropy Day 2017

Click here to submit nominations (deadline is August 15, 2017)

Click here to Register

Come and Celebrate with us on November 15, 2017!

BE THE CAUSE

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YOU can Be the Cause!

Thank you for being a member of the Association of Fundraising Professionals Suncoast Chapter and thank you for all you do to empower, strengthen and transform our community!

The 2017 AFP Be the Cause Campaign is now in full swing and with 100% Board participation!

Please consider a gift that is meaningful to you. Charitable contributions to AFP:

- · Develop and implement new programs nationally and locally
- · Provide education and research to our profession
- Deliver professional advancement opportunities
- · Offer scholarships to deserving members

So far this year, charitable contributions provided scholarships for fellow AFP members to advance their knowledge of the profession through attendance at conferences and assisted with costs associated with bringing in experts in the fund raising industry to provide CFRE-level training experiences based on member needs and requests.

Giving is easy —simply log on to www.AFPnet.org and click on the in the upper right hand corner that says MAKE A GIFT. You can make a one-time gift, a pledge or join the Alpha Society with your monthly recurring donation!

Everyone who makes a **gift of \$50 or more will receive a Donor pin** recognizing them for being a member of Be the Cause! Our goal this year is\$5290 and to date we have already raised \$2210!

If you have any questions at all, don't hesitate to reach out to Kathy Rabon, 2017 Be the Cause Chair at KathyRabon@EmpathHealth.org or 727-523-3406.

Thank you for all you do!

Pop-Up Networking at our Coffee Chat

Join us for an AFP Suncoast Pop-Up Networking Event!

This informal meet-up offers a great opportunity to have coffee and meet fellow fundraising professionals. Our host for this event will be our AFP Chapter's immediate past president, Judy Anderson. Don't miss out on this fun way to network with your fellow AFP Members and learn more about AFP form our past president.

The event is free and open to AFP and non-AFP members.

No registration is required!

Note: refreshments are not included.

May 31, 2017 at 3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Panera Bread

2285 Ulmerton Road, Clearwater FL 33762

Hosted by: Judy Anderson, Immediate Past President - AFP Suncoast Chapter

Young Professionals Networking





Planet Philanthropy scholarships available.

Application deadline extended!

Planet Philanthropy is the annual statewide conference presented by the Association of Fundraising Professionals Florida Caucus. The 2017 Planet Philanthropy Conference will feature not only education sessions and tracks but also networking opportunities to meet your current and future career needs. Visit https://www.planetphilanthropy.org/ for detailed information.

This year, Planet Philanthropy is being held in our own backyard from June 25-27 at the Hilton Downtown in beautiful Tampa. With the June 17th registration deadline fast approaching, make it a priority to advantage of this amazing opportunity to have your conference fees paid for with an AFP Scholarship (up to \$500)!

To find out more about how you can qualify and apply for the Planet Philanthropy Scholarship and all of our other exciting opportunities, visit http://afpsuncoast.org/Scholarship.

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