April 2019 Round Up

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Grants, Programs & Perspectives:

Leadership Fellows:

- Leadership Fellow Spotlight: Magnolia Landa-Posas
- The application period for our next class of Leadership Fellows will open Monday, May 6. Please check here on the 6th for details about how to apply.

Thought Leader Spotlight: On Mentorship: Becky Chavez and Mark Harben

Grantee Spotlights:

- Adelante! celebrates 25 years
- Pro Musica Colorado Chamber Orchestra
- Longmont Chorale, Inc.
- League of Women Voters of Boulder County
- Sustainable Resilient Longmont

Endorsements:
In keeping with our 10+ years of commitment to closing the education achievement gap, your Community Foundation’s board of trustees voted on March 22 in support of the foundation joining the Full-Day Kindergarten Now Coalition. The coalition is campaigning for the passage of the Full-Day Kindergarten Bill currently being taken up by the Colorado Legislature. More information about the proposed legislation is here.

Pledge 1% Colorado's Nonprofit Pitch Contest:
In its third year, this contest will be an interactive event recognizing and supporting entrepreneurial and innovative nonprofit ideas. Learn more about the finalists here, and join this fun evening from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 14 at Boulder Startup Week.

Donors:

- Thank You! Community Foundation and Out Boulder County hosted “The Gayla” on April 20 raising $150K for Out Boulder County and your Community Foundation’s Open Door Fund
  - Colorado’s First Gentleman Marlon Reis received Changemaker Award
  - Seagate Technology received Corporate Changemaker Award
  - Photo album

Radio Show:
Your Community Foundation hosts “A Public Affair” on KGNU every fourth Monday of the month at 8:35 a.m. Join us or catch up on our radio show page or via podcast.

- Earth Day: Healthy Soils, Healthy Communities: Supporting Local Agriculture

Job Opening:

- Senior Program Officer

Opportunities & Events:

- Your Community Foundation will be at the Bolder Boulder on May 27 highlighting our Veterans Fund. How can you help?
  - If you're running, please wear one of our signs pinned to your shirt. Email Cindy Lindsay, Development Committee Chair, for a sign.
  - Stop by our booth at the EXPO and introduce us to a friend!

- Time for a little baseball! Come out to support the Veterans Fund on May 31 by attending the Boulder Collegians opening day at Scott Carpenter Park. Tickets start at $3. Buy here Many thanks to the Boulder Collegians for supporting this important fund.

- Looking for new board members? Need volunteers? Currently hiring? Have upcoming events to share? Join the Boulder Chamber for the first annual Boulder Startup Week Nonprofit Involvement Fair: Connect with your Community, Change your World on Tuesday, May 14. At this event, local nonprofits and members of the startup community will connect and share expertise. As part of BSW, it’s free for nonprofits and attendees! Table space will be provided, as well as the chance for nonprofits to present a two-minute talk, performance, or demonstration to inform the community about your work from the eTown stage.

  Tuesday, May 14, 3:00 - 4:30 p.m.
  eTown Hall, 1535 Spruce Street, Boulder
  Space is limited so register by May 1
  Register here

- Smile on your Community Foundation Boulder County! Amazon makes it easy to support us. Go to AmazonSmile and log in using your regular Amazon credentials. Under charitable organization selections, choose “The Community Foundation.” Every time you make an eligible purchase, we’ll automatically benefit. Thank you!
Donating to your Community Foundation makes a difference you can see. Please donate today by clicking here!

News & Perspectives From The Field

The Power Of Purpose: How Salesforce And The Pledge 1% Model Is Inspiring Silicon Valley To Do Good (April 18, Forbes)

Give To Charity Without Giving Up Your Tax Deduction (April 9, Forbes)

Census 2020: Inside Efforts to Make Sure Rural Communities Count (April 8, Inside Philanthropy)

Full-day kindergarten across the nation: How does Colorado compare? (April 4, Chalkbeat)

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