



Mission: To inspire and foster philanthropy through the youth of our community

LIFE is a youth philanthropy group supported by the LaGrange County Community Foundation. LIFE provides an opportunity for young people to gain experience in community service and charitable giving. The students engage in a variety of community projects and provide oversight of the LIFE funds held at the community foundation.

LIFE members represent Lakeland School Corporation, Westview School Corporation and Prairie Heights School Corporation. There is one student representative from each grade level from 9th grade through 12th grade.

Eighth-grade students attending Westview, Prairie Heights and Lakeland have the opportunity to become LIFE members in the spring through an application process. One student from each school is accepted and remains in the program through 12th grade.

LEAP is a one-day event we host for the 3 high schools. At LEAP students learn about philanthropy, leadership, and how students can get involved in local nonprofits. We have a nonprofit community fair, where students will learn from organizations such as Agape Missions, Elijah Haven, Habitat for Humanity, LCYC, Reason 4 Hope, Community Foundation, and Crossroads United Way.

The event will take place on **Wednesday, November 15, National Philanthropy Day**. It will be held at Lakeland High School for Lakeland, Westview and Prairie Heights students. Approximately 140 students will attend (grades 9-12). We hope to give each student a goodie bag (filled with donated items like candy, pens, stickers), lunch and provide them with invaluable information on leadership and philanthropy and to really encourage them how to give back to our community.





LEAP | November 15, 2023

Donation Options

1. Donate items for the goodie bags. Items such as your company’s logo’d items, bagged candy, pens, notepads, stickers, magnets, etc.
2. Sponsor us monetarily:
 - a. T-shirts (company logo on back & provide info during lunch) - **\$2,380.**
 - b. Lunches for 140 students (logo present on food table with option to provide business info during lunch)- (140x12/box) **\$1,680**
 - c. Snack Table (logo present on snack table)- **\$575.**
 - d. Sponsor string backpacks- **\$135.**
 - e. Additional items needed (posters, printed materials, lanyards, photo booth items, etc. (any dollar amount **\$50, \$100, \$500, \$1000,** etc)

Organization Name

Contact Person _____

Contact number _____

Contact email _____

Donation | *Kindly Submit donated item by **Nov. 1, 2023**, to the Community Foundation*

All checks can be made payable to: LaGrange County Community Foundation with LEAP on memo line.

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