

Raytown Educational Foundation

Report to the Board of Education for April 9, 2018

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Raytown Educational Foundation Board of Trustees' Meeting Highlights for March 28, 2018

The Raytown Educational Foundation held its March meeting on March 28, 2018. Highlights from the meeting are as follows:

- **Fundraising** – The Foundation continues its efforts to raise funds to support and enhance our schools.
 - **Major Saver Discount Card Campaign** – This year's campaign raised \$8,688.75 for participating schools and \$8,696.25 for the Foundation.
 - **Raytown Night at the Mavericks** – In partnership with the Raytown Area Chamber, the foundation earned \$ 462.84 from the Chuck-A-Puck contest.
 - **Grant Prix Races** – Mark your calendars for Thursday, April 26th for the Foundation's second Grand Prix Races at Extreme Grand Prix in Raytown. This adults-only event is a fun evening. Come watch our heat of our district bus drivers demonstrate their driving prowess. We're hoping for a return of, "Mayhem Markley" and his team.

- **Grant Showcase** – The Foundation hosted its Grant Showcase, Wednesday, April 4th. Each of the 2017-2018 Teaching and Learning Grant recipients presented a PowerPoint or video regarding their grant and its impact.

- **Scholarships** – The Foundation's scholarship season is in progress.
 - The Foundation received scholarship applications from 64 students.
 - Students are eligible to apply for multiple scholarships through the Foundation's Common Application, thus the 64 students created 364 applications for 29 selection committees to review by 126 readers.
 - Recipients will be announced on Awards Night at the high schools, Tuesday, May 1, 2018.
 - The Foundation will host its annual Scholarship Reception for recipients and donors on Tuesday, May 15, 2018 at the RSECC.

- **Birthday Party** – You are all invited to REF's 25th birthday party on May 10, 2018 at the RSECC. Invitations are enclosed with your packet.

- **REF e-Newsletter** – If you would like to be included on the list to receive REF's e-newsletter, please email Martha at REF@raytownschools.org.