

Duneland Education Foundation

Shaping Educational Experiences

DEF Newsletter

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DEF Grants

Grants Awarded in the Fourth Quarter of 2016

Brummitt Elementary – Sqord Video Game Technology, \$1,000

Brummitt was awarded funds to be applied toward the purchase of additional activity monitors, a smaller number of which had already been employed using video game like technology to motivate students to move. The students were able to view their progress as well as that of their peers, their teachers and their principal, then encourage and challenge one another.

Jackson Elementary – One School One Book Author Visit, \$600

Jackson Elementary Students read the book The Pet War for a shared experience with students, families and teachers. While reading The Pet War, both at home and at school, students participate in a number of writing activities and projects. During a school visit with the author, students gain insight into the creative process as he reads from his book and shares the struggles he encountered during the writing and editing process.

DEF Gala 2017

New Location for the 2017 gala

The DEF Gala will be held at The Spa Special Events Center.

We invite you to the 6th Annual DEF Gala. The gala will be held at the Spa Special Events Center on Friday, April 21. We are working on securing beer vendors for beer tasting as well as entertainment by the CHS Band. In addition to hors d'oeuvres and the auction to benefit the foundation, the gala will feature the drawing of the annual DEF Gift of Education \$10,000 Scholarship Raffle.

If you would like additional information, please contact the Duneland Education Foundation via email

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