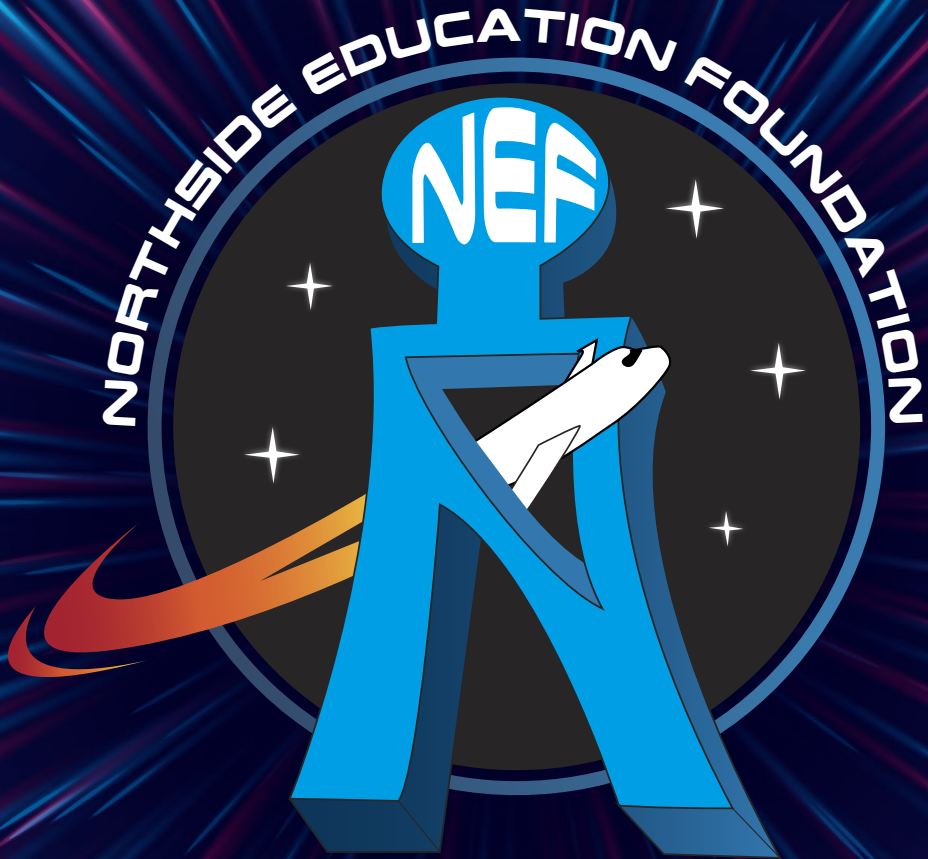


# 2020 ANNUAL REPORT



**PASSPORT TO THE FUTURE  
25TH ANNIVERSARY**

**\*FISCAL YEAR JUNE 2019 TO AUGUST 2020**





Photos taken before COVID-19





**Priscilla Marie Jordan**  
 Faculty Member - Art 1

Missed the chance to attend NCF in person! Better late than never. Thank you NCF for making this happen. -Gracie Carriere Student Thank you for creating our Campus 2020 Grant ES

**Stephanie Wells**  
 March 22

We completed the NCF virtual 360 the week before to get out and learned Team Spirit & Team Player Appreciation. Most importantly we were able to see the NCF logo and the NCF logo.

**Glenn Spirit Week**

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Glenn Spirit Week is a time to celebrate our school spirit and support our athletes. We have a variety of activities for everyone to enjoy. Join us for a week of fun and excitement.

360 Virtual Walk

Virtual 360 Walk



**Jerry Lammers**  
President  
NEF Board of Directors

## Letter from the President

Despite the pandemic our community has faced the majority of this year and starting just months after my term began, I'm extremely proud of the work the Northside Education Foundation (NEF) Board of Directors has been able to accomplish. This year marked NEF's 25th anniversary and we no doubt pushed past uncertainty to continue our mission.

NEF's founders and past presidents should be proud of the many ways the Foundation has successfully served as a passport to the future in education and innovation in NISD for 25 years. From small steps, to giant leaps of faith, this year, NEF has been resilient and I'm pleased to share these highlights:

- Awarded almost \$405,000 in grants to Northside faculty and staff
- Creatively soft launched the 25th anniversary celebration by revealing the anniversary logo in 3D at the 2019 gala
- Completed a digitalization transformation by making all event registration online and by developing a convertible online giving website
- Proactively and responsibly acted by making Spring 2019 fundraisers virtual or postponing them
- Awarding grant winners' at their homes in the summer, using COVID-19 safety protocols, to give them the same special recognition as past winners
- Supported meal and school supply distributions as part of NISD's critical COVID-19 relief operations
- Aligned the NEF fiscal year calendar with Northside's for improved business operations

Leading this organization in a year intended for celebration, that has been filled with unimaginable challenges, has also unexpectedly created opportunities for reinvention and the courage to accept change. Our Board and support staff have fully embraced this. I hope all of our donors, partners, volunteers, and other friends will join us in supporting our District as ever-changing resources will continue to be needed in this new era of education. Let's come together, and better, for our future generation.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jerry Lammers', located below the main text.

Jerry Lammers,  
Alamo Architects



# FAIRNESS

courteous, intuitive, unbiased



**John Picacio**

Class of '87

Illustrator

## **2020-2021 Executive Committee**

Jerry Lammers, President  
Scott Parker, President-Elect  
Tomas Larralde, Past-President  
Cathy Naiser, Secretary  
Vaughn Bomberger, Treasurer  
Carl McClenan, VP-Administration  
Emily Persyn, VP-Development  
Monty Howard, VP-Programs  
Amanda Emery, VP-Communications

## **Directors Emeritus**

John M. Folks, Ed.D.  
Dave Gannon  
Merry Raba  
Ed Rawlinson  
Art Reyna

## **2020-21 Education Advisory Committee**

Brian T. Woods, Ed.D., Superintendent  
Katie Reed, NISD Trustee\*  
Principals \*\* TBD

*\*Elected by NISD Board of Trustees*

*\*\*Appointed by Superintendent*

## **Director Terms**

### **Renews (end of) Dec. 2021**

Vaughn Bomberger, Garza Bomberger & Associates (Retired)

Monty Howard, Marmon Mok (Retired)

Carl McClenan, Joeris General Contractors

Scott Parker, Bartlett Cocke General Contractors

### **Renews (end of) Dec. 2022**

Cassy Brandenburgh, Jefferson Bank

Wade Cleary, Cleary Zimmermann Engineers

Lilia Gibson, Linebarger Attorneys at Law

Jerry Lammers, Alamo Architects

Tomas Larralde, Office of Senator Jose Menendez

Emily Persyn CFP®, Equitable Advisors

Ramiro Rabadan, Garza Bomberger & Associates

### **How to become an NEF Board member:**

- a. Contribute to Board diversity (ethnicity, gender, race, profession, high school, and college attended).
- b. Develop contacts with an extensive network of people interested in preserving quality public education in NISD.
- c. Donate time, energy, expertise, and sometimes funds. No fees required to join.
- d. Volunteer on committees prior to serving on the Board.
- e. Board members are not required to live in NISD or have children in NISD.

### **What is expected of NEF Board members:**

- a. Don't miss more than three meetings.
- b. Serve a three-year term.
- c. Serve on a minimum of one committee at all times during service.
- d. Grow operating budget and endowment annually.

# TRUSTWORTHINESS

honest, loyal, credible



**Jasmin A. Dean**

Class of '96

Co-founder & Executive Director, Celebrate Dyslexia

## **NEF Grants and Designated Funds**

Reminding employees they do not have to be teachers to apply for grants, NEF seeks funds from all NISD faculty and staff during its Annual Giving Campaign and, in turn, competes and awards grants throughout the school year.

Grants are read and scored by a committee of NEF Board members, NISD staff, and community and business volunteers. Training for how to apply for and win a NEF grant is provided by the NISD Grants & Recognitions Department under the leadership of director Sharon Sanchez.

In addition, NISD is able to use NEF's tax-exempt status to apply for other grants that are not open to public school districts without NEF's 501 c-3 authority. Designated or restricted donations to NEF are designed to be exclusively donor-driven. In each, IRS rules limit the use of funds to the specific goals of the donor.

The Foundation has 37 designated funds. NEF applies interest earned to funds of \$10,000 or more commensurate with NEF's endowment performance.



**CITIZENSHIP**  
law abiding, judicious, responsive



**Julia Barton Murphy**  
Class of '82  
Deputy Chief Sustainability Officer, City of San Antonio

**Designated Funds to Beneficial Programs in 2019-2020\***

*\*Fiscal Year June 2019 to August 2020 (37 Designated Funds)*

Buck's Jay Opportunity Grants	\$1,555
Business Careers HS Scholarship Program (NSITE)	\$105,512
Catherine Young Memorial Scholarship	\$7,555
Covington's Promise	\$7,000
Dr. John Folks Education Excellence Fund	\$2,066
Emily Persyn, Equitable Advisors	\$925
Fred Dyas Memorial Fund for Thornton ES	\$2,383
Gordan Bade Memorial Scholarship Fund	\$2,170
GT iGnite Fund – Gifted & Talented Parents Assoc.	\$5,010
Jack C. Jordan PTA Penny Drive	\$54,171
Jay Science & Engineering Academy Fund	\$600
Jayci's Wreath for Heroes/Charlie Moore Memorial Fund	\$1,659
Jennifer Ford Friedrich Memorial Scholarship	\$1,560
Jimmy Wayne Davenport Memorial Scholarship	\$115
Joe & Bettie Ward Fund	\$2,563
Joe Becker Memorial Scholarship	\$40
Julie Jumamil Memorial Scholarship	\$8,500

**RESPECT**  
courteous, intuitive, reasonable



**Dr. Alicia Wooten**  
Class of '07  
Assistant Professor, Gallaudet University

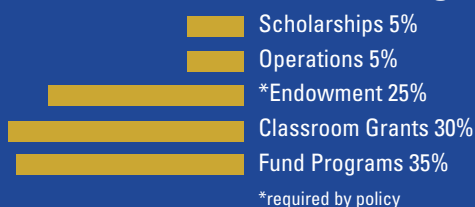
Lauren Molina Memorial Scholarship	\$50
Learning Tree Fund	\$1,160
Dr. Sara McAndrew/Powell Scholarship	\$1,191
Dr. Sara McAndrew/Shields Scholarship	\$1,191
Mae Ella Moore Fund – Bennie Cole ES Fund	\$500
Mark Fluit Memorial Scholarship	\$3,550
Melva Matkin Esparza ES PTA	\$750
Cathy Naiser Grant Program	\$4,750
NISD Museum Association Fund	\$19,030
Philip Reed Memorial Fund	\$1,050
Picciuti Award	\$4,000
PREP – Rawlinson MS	\$500
Raba Family Fund	\$787
Solar Car Races & Middle School Science Bowl Fund	\$45,717
SPC Dane R. Balcon Memorial Scholarship	\$100
Tim Traynor Memorial for Science	\$395
Dr. Winn Murnin Scholarship for Murnin ES	\$25,830
William Fiedler Memorial Fund	\$765
Xavier Michael Cardenas Memorial Fund	\$500
<b>Total 37 Designated Funds</b>	<b>\$318,716</b>

In 2020, the NEF assets, managed by Michael Clark, Aspect Wealth Management, increased from \$4.6M to \$4.9M

## Where donations come from:



## What NEF donations go to:



## NEF at a Glance:

	2018-19	2019-2020
Raised	\$1.3M	\$1.1M
Assets	\$5.1M	\$5.7M
Awarded	\$1M	\$1M

NEF Fundraisers	2018-19	2019-2020
Annual Giving Campaign*	\$183,286	\$198,000
Pillar Recognition Gala	\$196,013	\$197,000
5K Run/Walk**	\$64,555	\$43,014
Golf Tournament**	\$26,128	\$0
Sporting Clay Shooting Tournament**	\$52,767	\$39,162
Theme Park Discounted Tickets Program	\$38,845	\$16,331
Plaza of Influence Pavers	\$10,504	\$10,869
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$572,098</b>	<b>\$504,376</b>

\*4,112 donors

\*\*Due to COVID-19, fundraisers in 2020 were made virtual or postponed.



compassionate, empathetic, unselfish

# CARING



**Lorenzo Gomez, III**

Class of '99

Co-founder & CEO, Geekdom Media

## Memorials, Honoraria, Bequests, and Grants

Each year, parents and grandparents, business and community partners, individual supporters, and many others choose public school excellence to be the focus of their charitable contributions. NEF often receives gifts and other legacy-giving to acknowledge a loved one, colleague, or significant event.

**2019-2020 Memorials include:** In memory of Jennifer Ford Friedrich from Elaine H. Harrison; In memory of George Berg from Karen Freeman and NISD Team of 8 (Trustees); In memory of Terry Lee Kuenning, father of Tod Kuenning and in memory of Juanita Curiel Perez, mother of JJ Perez from Jill Holmes; In memory of Cathy Young from James Young; In memory of Phyllis K. Beck, mother of Jeannine Kearns from Jennifer C. Saenz; In memory of Diana Hockey from Rachel Baker and Raul and Sylvia Fernandez; In memory of Jacob F. Elizondo from Rita Valdez; In memory of Linda Page's mother, Betty Wise from Nancy Kreth; In memory of Rose Johnson, former NISD teacher from E.O. Tricksey; In memory of Donna Cooper's mother, Eretta Pettit from Wendy Brake and Elementary ALPHA Family; In memory Jimmy Davenport from Pat Davenport; In memory of Vinicia I. Martinez, sister of Robin Martinez, and Edward L. Sanchez, grandfather of Jessica Sanchez from Vanessa Rodriguez and Elementary ALPHA Family; In memory of Carlta Rusty Cody from Jim and Katie Reed and Winn Murnin; In memory Pat Gray, Ken Dugas and Jana Alexander Boyle from Winn Murnin; In memory of Ray Tierney from Lynda Noonan; In memory of Janie Madla from Winn Murnin and Calvin Buchholtz; In memory of Carol Swiercinsky from Mary P. Thompson, Martha M. Cadena, Jesse Z. Martinez, Hubert & Emmie Lou Schwarzer, Timothy C. Antolovic, Claire Friedrichs, and Elvira & Carlos Ortiz; In memory of Jim Burket from Sherri Murrah, Marcia Hare and Dick and Christie Montgomery

**2019-2020 Honorariums include:** In honor of London and Kingston Jimenez from Esther Jimenez; In honor of Sophia and Bianca De Leon from Diana Infante-De Leon; In honor of Diana Ely from Stacy Pattenau with others; In honor of nieces and nephews Bruce and Polly, Tracy and Steve, Brian and Johanna, Clay and Kenda, Holly and Justin, Bethany and James, Hilary and Jacob, Courtney and Justin, Chance and Stephanie, and Zachary from Patricia Davenport

# LEARNING



**Diana Ely**  
Class of '79

NISD Teaching & Learning Executive Director



**Join us for these events! Visit [nisd.net/nef](https://nisd.net/nef) for more info.**

March 16, 2021 Sporting Clay Shooting Tournament  
SA National Shooting Complex

Spring 2021 5K Run/Walk

# RESPONSIBILITY

diligent, conscientious, stalwart



**Dr. Erika Gonzalez**

Class of '94

CEO & President, South Texas Allergy & Asthma Medical Professionals

## **Technical Expertise & Service Personnel of Record for NEF**

Attorney – Glen Yale, Glen Yale Law Firm

Auditor & Tax Preparer – Joe Hernandez, Akin Doherty Klein & Feuge

Financial Advisor – Michael Clark, Aspect Wealth Management

Bankers – Cassy Brandenburgh Jefferson Bank; Julie N. Varnedoe, Randolph Brooks Federal Credit Union, Bandera Pointe

NISD Partnerships Staff – Cassandra Miranda, Norma Rabago, Sherry Doucet, Linda Guerra, Maxine Bratton

NISD Budget & Finance Office

NISD Communications & Marketing Office

NISD Grants & Recognition Office

NISD Fine Arts Department



## Thank You 2019-2020 Generous Donors!

The Northside Education Foundation's Board of Directors and the students of Northside ISD extend their gratitude for NEF gifts from the following donors\*

*\*Does not include 4,112 participants in the 2019-2020 NEF Annual Giving Campaign who gave \$197,000, and 2,896 participants in the United Way Combined School District Charitable Campaign who gave \$151,058.*

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