



LEADERSHIP COUNCIL
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NEWSLETTER

March 2019

Executive Director's Message - Jenny Berg

BOLD Transition and a BOLD Future

Leadership Council is pleased to announce that effective this month, we will lead the execution of the **BOLD — Board Orientation & Leadership Development** program. Our Mission & Vision align perfectly with the BOLD program and the intention of training a diverse group of volunteers to become qualified nonprofit board members so that they may serve organizations that need their services.



To help take BOLD to the next level, United Way has joined forces with the Leadership Council for Nonprofits in a strategic partnership to ensure the continuity, growth and continuous improvement of the program. United Way has been a strong advocate in connecting solid leaders to opportunities to serve on boards of directors of our local non-profit organizations. For many years, United Way offered this opportunity through BOLD, and will continue to offer, through the Leadership Council, the BOLD program to its corporate partners as an engagement opportunity for their employees.

This new partnership will ensure that the entire Greater Cincinnati community, continues to benefit from the experiences of the BOLD graduates and BoardBank participants.

We are delighted to enter into this partnership, and we are excited to expand the classes to include more nonprofit leaders. Stay tuned for more details and registration will open this summer.

Securing the Future Conference - Recap and Save the Date!

It was wonderful to see so many of you at our Securing the Future Conference on March 6th. We certainly were entertained by our keynote, **Alton Fitzgerald White**, and learned from our breakout leaders as well. Thank you for responding to our survey and rest assured we will be incorporating your suggestions into our 2020 STF planning, with our keynote speaker Barry Posner co-author of The Leadership Challenge. Save the date for **March 5, 2020!**

I think these quotes from the survey feedback sum up this conference nicely:

- *Networking with other NP leaders and getting to hear a national and local perspective on relevant topics. I like that we can access top national speakers at a reasonable rate without travel.*
- *I personally love the networking at this event. I feel that it is the largest gathering of my peers that I can attend. Additionally, I love the break out sessions as its an opportunity for me to be engaged in conversations about topics that are most applicable to my job and work/ life balance as a nonprofit professional.*
- *My favorite part is the opportunity to catch-up with so many friends, peers, new friends, acquaintances, etc. Even in the breakouts you get a little feel for what other organizations are doing or challenges they are facing. I always feel like I learn something - either from a speaker or from another attendee.*



Events Calendar

March 22

IT Professionals First Quarterly Kickoff Meeting

Join us on March 22nd to review and discuss current trends in Information Technology, specifically pertaining to nonprofits in Greater Cincinnati! The NextStep Networking Team will present on Security, Data, and Business Intelligence.

[Click Here](#) for More Information & to Register

April 22-24

The Leadership Challenge (*just 5 spots left!*)

The Leadership Challenge® is an intense and interactive three-day program held at Camp Joy that helps you tap into your personal leadership skills through a variety of activities. Facilitator, Steve Coats will lead this workshop is based on the worldwide best-selling book, The Leadership Challenge, recognized as one of the top business books of all times. Deadline to register is April 1st.

[Click Here](#) for More Information & to Register

April 30

Leadership Council Annual Meeting

Leadership Council Annual Meeting. Save the date from 8:00am-9:30am to join us for breakfast at American Red Cross. More information coming soon!

May 7

Deliver Great Business Presentations (*back by popular demand!*)

Every leader needs to be able to stand up and deliver a clear and inspiring message. Join us to learn how to craft a presentation that moves individuals, teams, and organizations. Through this session you will strengthen your delivery skills that communicate confidence. Space is Limited.

[Click Here](#) for More Information & to Register

June 5

18th Annual Not-for-Profit Leadership Summit *Seven Practices of Great Leaders to Gain Traction*

In part one of his keynote, Justin Maust will outline the "7 Practices of Great Leaders." In Part two of the seminar, he will break down the **Entrepreneurial Operating System®. The EOS Model®** providing a visual illustration of the **Six Key Components®** of any

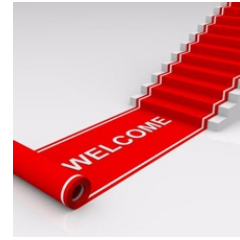
organization that must be managed and strengthened. The morning will be interactive and leave board leaders, development professionals and non-profit executives armed with ideas to immediately implement personally and organizationally.

[Click Here](#) for More Information & to Register

Welcome to New Members

Association of Camps Farthest Out, Inc.
Charlie Grass, Executive Director

The Dented Fender Ministry
Barb Lownsbury, Executive Director



Local Opportunity for Nonprofits

It's **March Monitor Madness 2019** at the Cincinnati Computer Cooperative nonprofit, where

- All systems always start at \$150, including free software
- During March, with the purchase of a system, your monitor will cost just \$5.



The Cooperative refurbishes high quality donated computers, installs free, licensed Microsoft Office software, then sells the computers at a very low cost. Who's eligible to buy from the Cooperative? All students K – postgraduate; people over 55 or on any form of public assistance; schools; and nonprofits. During March Monitor Madness, nonprofits get monitors for free! [Click Here](#) for More Information

Member Benefits

We continue to offer a wide variety of cost savings programs for our nonprofit members. These are just a few and you can find more [HERE](#).

NEW member benefit - ZOO discount tickets-

Leadership Council has partnered with the Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Garden to offer our members a convenient way for their employee's and their families to enjoy the zoo anytime! Half off zoo tickets are available during Penguin Days through 3/8/19, and a discounted rate is also available throughout the year. [Click Here](#) for more information and use PROMO CODE **LC** on the [group discount page](#).



FREE job postings - Did you know that Leadership Council offers its members the opportunity to post any job vacancies on our job board for FREE? For more information [Click Here](#).

FREE Retirement Plan benefits - Interested in starting a retirement plan for your employees? Consider working with our partner, Mutual of America, who has waived plan related administrative fees for our members! Formore information [Click Here](#).

Group Purchasing Discount program - Want to realize savings on office supplies & furniture, express shipping, rental cars, copiers & MORE? Our members have saved tens of thousands of dollars each year by participating in this program. For more information [Click Here](#).

Job Opportunities

Check out all the job postings on our FREE job board. [HERE](#)

This is a free service to all our LC members.



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