EAST TEXAS GIVING DAY





What is ETCF?

- Texas Non-profit Corporation
- 501(c)(3) Public Charity (tax deductible)
- Serving Individuals & Non-profits
- Serving 32 counties of East Texas
- Charitable Fund Administration

Charitable Fund Options				
•Donor-Advised	•Donor-Designated			
•Endowment	•Project			
•Field of Interest	•Unrestricted			
•Scholarship				



Foundation Quick Summary

- ETCF was founded in 1989
- In 28 years...
 - \$123 million in contributions
 - \$68 million in grants
 - \$85 million assets
 - 306 charitable funds
 - ~ \$42 million endowed (125 funds)



How can ETCF affect philanthropy in East Texas?



Philanthropy builds community and changes lives. East Texas Communities Foundation supports philanthropy by offering simple ways for donors to achieve their charitable goals.

- Motivate people/ organizations to increase their philanthropy
- Communicate relevant messages about philanthropy
- Provide an easy, online platform to promote giving in East Texas. <u>www.EastTexasGivingDay.org</u>

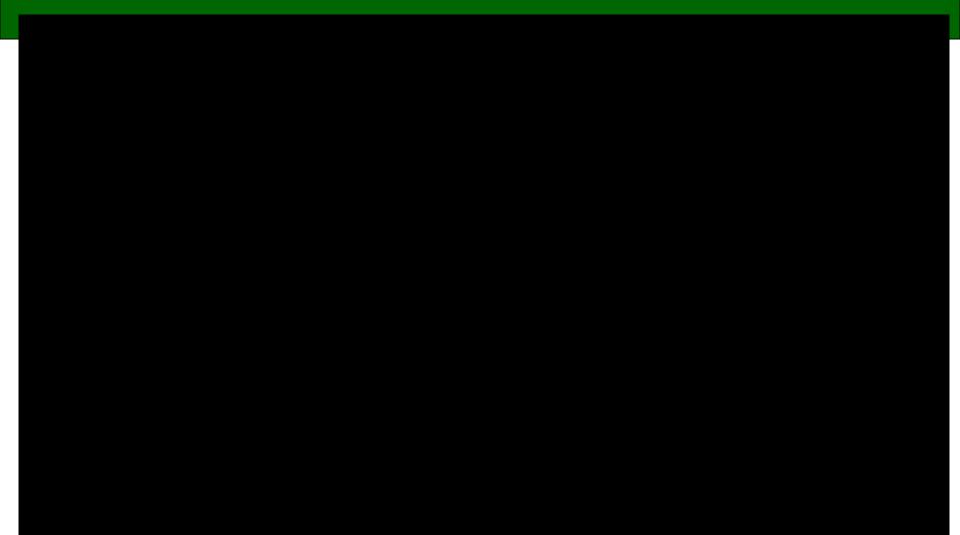
What does ETCF do to help Donors?



We help **donors** by making philanthropy easier

- Offer seven types of funds
- Low cost, convenient and flexible
- Philanthropy education how and to whom

East Texas Giving Day is....



What is East Texas Giving Day



- Regional online giving event
- Tuesday, April 24th: 6:00 AM to Midnight
- Allows Anyone to be a philanthropist!
- Builds community

Why Participate in East Texas Giving Day



- Engages donors, volunteers & board members
- Combines power of story telling and technology to promote your mission
- Celebrates donors & area nonprofits as our entire region comes together to GIVE!
- Low cost way to attract new donors

What to Expect:



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- Exciting , unifying community event
- Opportunity to engage
 your base & attract new
 donors
- Way to convert existing donors to use online donation forms

lt is not...

- A quick fundraising fix- not a magic bullet
- Something that requires little or no marketing attention
- Not a social media strategy in and of itself

East Texas Giving Day 2017 Stats



- \$498,664 Total Raised
- 29% of donors indicated they were first-time donors
- **177** Nonprofits participated
- 32 Counties involved
- Gifts from 26 States and 2 Countries
- \$172 average gift size
- 48% Donors Covered the Fees
- \$118,584 Matching Funds Raised by NPOs
- 45 charities with matching funds

Who Raised What on East Texas Giving Day?



- \$182k raised by 61 Human Services charities
- \$111k raised by 39 Education charities
- \$56k raised by 20 Health charities
- \$49k raised by 14 Youth Development charities
- \$38k raised by 15 Arts & Culture charities
- \$28k raised by 11 Animal charities
- \$21k raised by 15 Community Improvement charities
- **\$200** raised by **1 Environmental** charity

The Big Winners on East Texas Giving Day 2017



Most Money Raised

1. Promise Academy

\$31,485, \$15,742 of that was matching funds, average gift size \$449

2. Mentoring Alliance

\$26,653, \$10,000 of that was matching funds met, average gift size \$925

3. Salvation Army, Tyler \$23,825, no match, average gift size \$1,253

The Big Winners on East Texas Giving Day 2017



Most First Time Donors

East Texas Youth Orchestra, Inc

22

Most Unique Donors

Humane Society's Pets Fur People

77

What is New For East Texas Giving Day 2018?



Who can participate in East Texas Giving Day?

- Nonprofit 501(c)3 in good standing (public charity)
- Pay registration fee. The registration fee will be used to promote the event regionally. Fee can be paid by credit card at time of registration.

*Before Feb. 1st 5 pm, the registration fee is \$100

*After Feb. 1st the registration fee increases to \$125

 Nonprofit must be located in or primarily serve one of the 32 counties in ETCF service area





Returning Nonprofits from ETGD 2017 :

Nonprofits have until March 7th to pay registration fee.

You will receive email invitation to update profile.



Profiles can not be edited after March 29th at 5pm

On the home page click on the LOGIN button, Nonprofit, to sign in



All other Nonprofits:

If you did not participate in ETGD 2017 you are considered a new nonprofit & must initiate registration online before February 7th at <u>www.EastTexasGivingDay.org</u>



- Once approved to participate, you have until March 7th to pay registration fee.
- You will receive an email that you have been approved to participate.

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New nonprofits and those that did not participate in 2017 Should **select the inquiry** button.

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Registration opens today for all nonprofits

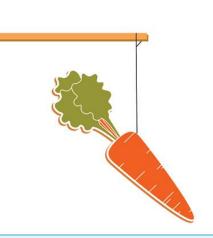
Video on "How To Complete Your ETGD Profile" is available at https://www.easttexasgivingday.org/resources





Early Bird Perks Club

Sign Up before February 1, 2018 To take advantage of these perks:



- Eligible for extra ETGD yard signs
- (1) East Texas Giving Day T-Shirt (While supplies Last!)
- Registration fee of \$100**
- Chance to win \$250 Prize



**Remember: Registration Increases to \$125 after 5 pm, February 1st !!

What In Store For East Texas Giving Day 2018?

- Continued partnership with Civicore
- Tuesday, April 24, 2018 Hours- 6:00 a.m. to Midnight
- Prescheduled Giving opens April 9, 2018
- Donors can search by: Name, City, Zip & Category
- Nonprofit Profile Pages- 3 tabs of NPO data including:
 - Events, Programs and Basic info such as mission, website and more
- Ability to upload video & photos to your profile page



Customizing Your East Texas Giving Day Profile



Nonprofit can set gift amount :

-Set gift amount specific to your organizations fundraising goals (shows on Giving Day on donation page, starting at Prescheduled Giving)



What is the **Donation Process?**

- GIVING DAY
- All donations must be given through <u>www.EastTexasGivingDay.org</u>
- Leaderboard provides real time tracking of gifts by organization,
 # of gifts and dollars raised
- Event web site provides PCI Level 1 secure transactions
- Charities receive ~94% of each dollar raised (event vendor fee of ~3.0% and credit card fees ~2.0 to 2.5%)
- Smallest donation size is \$20, there is no max
- Gift acknowledgement (tax receipts) are sent via email to donors within minutes of gift
- Charities can view and acknowledge donors during and after the event
- Organizations will receive net donations within 6-8 weeks

Will there be incentive prizes on Giving Day?



- Prize challenges are a way to generate more dollars and create excitement!
- Examples:
 - **Early, Early Bird**: NPO who receives the <u>1st</u> donation of the day
 - **Power Hours**: The most dollars raised in specific time frame
 - Night Owl: The most unique donors
 - Minute to Win It: NPO who raises the most dollars in a specific 30 minute time frame
- Prize amounts will range from \$100-\$1,000

Prescheduled Gifts



- Starting April 9, 2018 donors can log on & make gifts prior to Giving Day!!
- Great opportunity to get Board support and donor buy-in.
- Can be promoted as "Give two ways, Now & Later"

NPO with **MOST MONEY RAISED** in prescheduled donations will receive a \$1,000 Bonus Prize

Matching Funds-



- Organizations are encouraged to raise their own matching funds.
- Select a donor that typically makes significant donations & ask if you can leverage that gift for Giving Day.
- Spread the word! If you have a matching gift, share that with your other donors via emails/ newsletters & social media

NPO's that raise minimum of \$3,000 in Matching Funds will go into a drawing for a \$1,000 Bonus Prize. Must have <u>commitment</u> from <u>donor(s)</u> & be entered into the system by March 29, 2018.

Matching Funds-



Matching funds will be shown on the NPO profile page and will reduce dollar-for-dollar as gifts come in.



Matching Funds-



Matches also show on the Leaderboards and will reduce dollar-for-dollar as gifts come in

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Benefits of participating in East Texas Giving Day:



- Capitalize on a moment in time: one day 18 hours and bring energy and momentum to a particular cause or organization
- Reach younger donors: They are more likely to give during a Giving Day to be part of a larger movement and bigger gift
- Level the playing field: No matter an organization's size or budget, an online Giving Day gives organizations of all shapes and sizes the ability to compete
- Acquire new donors: Each nonprofit will know who gave to them, so they can continue to build a relationship

So Now What?

- Decide: Is this a fit with my nonprofit?
- Get your board and leadership to commit.
- If you are a First Time Giving Day Nonprofit
 Register by February 7th: <u>www.EastTexasGivingDay.org</u>
- Final day to complete registration is March 7th
- Create your strategy: What? When? How? Who?
- **Events:** Notify ETCF so we can coordinate and promote
- Promote: Promote your participation through all available channels, Facebook, Twitter, newsletter, email, mail, event, PSA, yard signs, shoe polish, etc.
- Like ETCF on Facebook for up to date information: facebook.com/SimplifiedGiving/



Upcoming Webinars & Seminars

Registration Onboarding https://www.easttexasgivingday.org/resources	Available Now
Giving Day: Board Training ноПуtree C.C. Tuesday, February 13th	7:30 – 9:00 a.m.
Matching Funds Seminar- Genecov Room, Tyler Chamber Building Thursday, February 15 th	10:00 – 11:00 a.m.
Social Media 101 Genecov Room, Tyler Chamber Building Tuesday, February 27th	3:00 – 4:00 p.m.
The Art of Storytelling Genecov Room, Tyler Chamber Building Tuesday, March 6 th	10:00 – 11:00 a.m.
Donation Basics Video will be available online	Tuesday. April 3. 2018

Register Online For Any of These Seminars <u>http://etcf.org/giving-day/giving-day-events/</u>





Important Dates:

Registration Opens to all NPOs EastTexasGivingDay.orgDecember 7, 2017
Early Bird Perks Club Ends Register Early to take advantage of \$100 registration feeFebruary 1, 2018, 5 p.m.
New Nonprofit Inquiry Phase EndsFebruary 7, 2018, 5 p.m.
Nonprofit Registration Ends March 7, 2018, 5 p.m.
Profiles Are LockedMarch 29, 2018
Prescheduled Giving Starts
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Questions?

