

PRESS RELEASE

For Immediate Release August 2018

Contact: Carrie Logue, Executive Director - (562) 234-9823

LAEF Donates \$30,000 to LAUSD Middle & High Schools!

(Los Alamitos, CA) – The Los Alamitos Education Foundation (LAEF) was proud to donate \$30,000

to the Los Alamitos Unified School District's two middle schools and the high school this school

year. Each school received \$10,000 to help support STEAM instruction and activities on their

campuses. By providing these funds LAEF continues to help extend the STEAM Initiative (science,

technology, engineering, the arts and math) across the district. These funds will be used to

enhance and support STEAM programs on all three campuses, which includes Science Olympiad

and Robotics Teams, STEAM and Project Lead the Way classes at the middle schools and

Computer Science classes at LAHS.

On August 22, LAEF Executive Director Carrie Logue presented a check to McAuliffe

Middle School Principal Dr. Ryan Weiss-Wright, Oak Middle School Principal Erin Kominsky, and

Los Alamitos High School Principal Dr. Gregg Stone. All three principals see this as a great

opportunity to continue to develop and expand the STEAM programs for the students at their

schools.

LAEF's King & Queen of Hearts campaign directly supports the STEAM Initiative. This

year's campaign will commence on December 6th and a new King and Queen will be crowned at

the Royal Ball and Coronation on Friday, February 8, 2019. The current King and Queen are Geoffrey King of King Financial Group – Wells Fargo Advisors, Rossmoor resident and Los Alamitos High School parent, along with Wendee Close, Mortgage Specialist at CLS Financial, district alumna and district parent. LAEF looks forward to continuing to support district needs and the STEAM initiative though community participation in this campaign.

LAEF is the non-profit partner of Los Alamitos Unified School District. LAEF enhances educational excellence by providing after-school and summer enrichment programs to children in grades Pre-K to 12. LAEF impacts all students by providing significant funding for STEAM teachers and instruction, as well as igniting new programs and providing valuable resources. For more information, visit www.LAEF4kids.org or call (562) 799-4700 Extension 80424 today!



From left to right: Carrie Logue of LAEF presents a check to LAHS Principal Dr. Gregg Stone, Superintendent Dr. Sherry Kropp, Oak Middle School Principal Erin Kominsky, and McAuliffe Middle School Principal Dr. Ryan Weiss-Wright.