

Our Promise:

Our Guiding Principles reveal the way we operate. They are values we uphold and serve as a promise to all donors. These are:

Sound Stewardship: We realize that donors will be entrusting us with resources in support of the cause they believe in. We commit ourselves to ensure that we will be good stewards of those resources.

Commitment to Supporting Research-Based Programs: We will work to bring resources to programs that are founded on sound research principles and offered by the University of Illinois Extension. We believe these programs will enrich the members of the Lake County community.

Education is Knowledge and Knowledge is Power: Our efforts will focus on supporting programs that embody excellence, meet the needs of urban and rural communities, incorporate learning standards and inspire life-long learning.

Innovative Approaches to Raising Diverse Resources: We will work to ensure that the Extension receives maximum support by pursuing creative ways of raising resources such as program support and in-kind contributions.

Maximizing Resources: The foundation will aggressively seek to grow the resources it has. These efforts may include pursuing matching grants, investments and creating endowments.

Accountability and Responsibility: We will abide by the laws governing charitable organizations and ensure responsibility to our stakeholders.



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How has the University of Illinois Extension in Lake County touched your life?



As the flagship outreach effort of the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, the Extension Office at Lake County has been offering non-biased, research-based educational programs to its residents that are aimed at making life better, healthier, safer and more profitable for everyone!

University of Illinois Extension Lake County—Making a difference in the Lake County Community for over 75 years

This is our appeal for your support. . . . Your Generosity is sincerely appreciated!



LAKE COUNTY
EXTENSION
FOUNDATION

Who We Are:

We are the arms that work to build resources to support our community through programs offered by University of Illinois Extension. Dollars invested today empower the diverse urban and rural communities that dot the landscape of Lake County.



Our Mission:

The mission of the Lake County Extension Foundation is to build resources to enhance research-based educational programs of the University of Illinois Extension while serving the interest of all donors.

Our Case:

The Foundation works to raise money locally and utilize the resources for support of on-going efforts and/or special programs in Home Economics, 4H and Youth, Horticulture and other related subjects in Lake County.

Like every nonprofit the County Extension office is experiencing greater pressure for funding. Despite declining state funding we must find a way to continue our tradition of excellence.

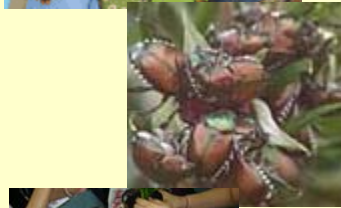
Private support is necessary to sustain successful programs. Private support (such as funds raised from this appeal) allows us to meet Lake County Extension needs.

*That's why we are reaching out to YOU
Your Gift ensures our continued success!*

The Lake County Extension Foundation, Inc is a nonprofit, 501 (c)3 Organization.

All donations to the Foundation are tax deductible to the extent provided by law.

Visit us online at www.lcextf.org to learn more!



Every dollar counts! If every one receiving this appeal responded with just a \$5 donation we have the potential to raise over \$10,000—*Please give what you can to make a difference!*

Double Your Donation

Some employers match donations made by their employees!

Check with your employer to see if they will match your donation or call us to submit the match request



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Please make check payable to "Lake County Extension Foundation, Inc."

Partnership/Sponsorship Opportunity:

Would you like to work in Partnership with us by being a sponsor at our Inaugural Educator's Conference? Yes No

If you mark "Yes," we will contact you or you may email us at info@lcextf.org