



The Foundation for Central Schools and Central Unified School District are delighted to announce the 2023 State of the District. This year we invite you to attend our in-person celebration at The Dante Club of Fresno, on September 20th at 5 in the evening.

Join me, as I lead the evening's events highlighting some of the District's incredible achievements and how this school year continues to be elevated to the NEXT Level. The Foundation for Central Schools will announce the recipients of the highly anticipated 2023 Classroom Project Grants, School Club Grants and Champion Honorees.

All funds raised at the State of the District will go towards supporting vital district programs, grants, and scholarships distributed by the Foundation for Central Schools. This includes: The Foundation Scholarship Program, Clothing Closets, Food Distribution, Teague Community Food Pantry, Teacher Grants, Textbook Grants, and Core Pillar Grants for: Academics, Arts, Agriculture and Athletics. Annually, the Foundation protects thousands of students from the cold winter months by providing them with free jackets and sweaters through the Warm for Winter event. Donor contributions go beyond the classroom, making a positive impact on our students' and their families well-being, inside and outside the classroom.

We hope you can support us in our mission of building a strong foundation for our students' future, through becoming a sponsor or purchasing a dinner ticket and joining us for what is sure to be a great evening.



Superintendent, Ketti Davis



Dear Central Unified Families and Friends,

### **Foundation Champions**



Established in 2022, the Foundation Champions is an opportunity to honor educators and community members, who have devoted their time and energy to Central Unified.

Honorees for the 2023 year will be announced at the State of the District September 20th.

> **2022 Foundation Champions** Arts Champion - Janeen Worland Athletics Champion - Gary Davis Agriculture Champion - Bobby Aparicio

Academics Champion – Krista Dose & Brian Gumm Community Champion - Assemblywoman Esmeralda Soria

Past Recipients

## WARM FOR WINTER

"The 2021-2022 Warm for Winter event was a special moment for both the students and the community of Biola! After the disconnection to school created by Covid-19, seeing all of our students wearing purple Biola sweatshirts reenergized our community. There was also great satisfaction in knowing that a single student would not needlessly suffer during the cold months of winter. We are very grateful to The Foundation for Central Schools for the support."

Chelan Shepherd Principal Biola-Pershing Elementary



### CLOTHING CLOSETS

"He looked me in the eye, gave me a big smile, and said thank you"



Today a teacher noticed a student was wearing shoes that looked too small and had holes in them. The teacher has a great relationship with this student and knows he has some struggles with his home life. We brought him in to our clothing closet and figured out what kind of shoes he likes and his size. He was truly appreciative of his new shoes that actually fit him. He then mentioned that he also needed some socks, so we were also able to provide him with a few pairs of socks to go with his new shoes. He looked me in the eye, gave me a big smile, and said thank you. These are the moments that drive our clothing closet. – Danielle Uribe, Steinbeck Elementary

# 2023 Sponsorships

### PRESENTING SPONSOR \$5,000

- Host a Table of 8 for you and your guests
- VIP Parking For All Guests
- Complimentary Drink Tickets For All Guests
- Spirit Swag Bag for donor
- Sponsor recognition
  - logo on State of the District marketing materials including: Program, social media channels and website's
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SEPTEMBER 20th

### School Spirit Sponsor \$2,500

- Host a Table of 8 for you and your guests
- 2 VIP Parking Pass
- 2 Complimentary Drink Tickets
- Sponsor recognition
  - logo on State of the District marketing materials including: Program, social media
    channels and website's



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#### **Community Sponsor** \$1,500

Host a Table of 8 for you and your guests

- I VIP Parking Pass
- Sponsor logo recognition in program
- Sponsor recognition during the State of the District
- Highlighted on State of the District Social Media

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Host a Table of 8 for you and your guests • Sponsor recognition in program

### **Table Sponsor** \$600



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#### \$1,500

#### ] Ticket \$60

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