

The Latest in OST with BOOST

THANK YOU

for 6 years of support! Here's to many more.



The BOOST Network would like to thank everyone for your continued support, enthusiasm, dedication, and passion to the OST community and the youth in our region. May the success we achieved last year bring even more opportunities to grow and enrich our programs in 2022. We look forward to continuing to expand our network for the sake of the communities that we serve and the youth that rely on our programs, especially during the ongoing pandemic. Thank you for the services you provide to your communities and for allowing BOOST to continue to support you.

Member Highlights & Activities

Spring After School Programs

[Kids Can](#) Youth Entrepreneur Program will be starting their Spring After School programs on January 24th. Under the umbrella of CAASNМ, Kids Can reaches hundreds of kids ages 6-17 throughout Southern New Mexico with fun programming and workshops that include hands-on mentoring by area business professionals. The program offers after school programs, summer camps, business fairs, workshops and labs. Instructor and mentors are actively sought to help grow Kids Can to serve more youth. Click [here](#)



to find out more about how you can become involved in Kids Can's innovative entrepreneur program.

Anime Club for Teens



Join the [El Paso Libraries](#) (EPPL) for their Anime Club for Teens on January 25th at 4:30 p.m. at the Esperanza Acosta Moreno Regional Branch. Participants will have a chance to create a craft from the anime series Sailor Moon. Find more details about EPPL's upcoming events on their [Facebook page](#).

Nerd Night: Digital Currencies



Join [Insights](#) for this month's Nerd Night to gain better insight on the science and technology behind digital currency mining, learn all about the different types of digital currency, and ask our experts on ways you too can mine and/or invest. Find further details [here](#).

West Texas Regional Data Tour



The [Paso del Norte Health Foundation](#) invites you to attend the West Texas Data Tour on Monday, January 24th at 4:00 p.m. via Zoom and hosted by [Children at Risk](#). The free workshop is part of the organization's virtual Regional Data Tours that they are conducting throughout Texas to collect stakeholder input related to statewide research and evaluation work for children's education and health. Click [here](#) to register for the virtual data tour.

Professional Development & Funding Opportunities

Summer Learning Awards



**national summer
learning association**

Each year, the [National Summer Learning Association](#) recognizes programs that provide high quality summer learning opportunities to young people in communities across the nation. Program candidates for the Summer Learning Awards demonstrate excellence in accelerating academic achievement and promoting healthy development for low income children and youth between pre-kindergarten and twelfth grade. Applications for the 2022 awards are now open. Click [here](#) to apply today!

Aim High Grant Applications for Middle School OST



The [New York Life Foundation](#) is seeking applications from afterschool, summer, or expanded learning programs that serve middle-school youth. A total of 40 grant awards will be made nationwide. Take a look to see which opportunity is a good fit for your program and apply today! For more information, [watch the recording of the Aim High grant webinar here](#). Applications are due February 1, 2022 and can be submitted on the [Afterschool Alliance website](#).

GSK Science in the Summer



Be an engineer this summer during the GSK Science in the Summer program hosted by [The Franklin Institute](#)! Tackle challenges, conduct experiments, and learn from experts at The Franklin Institute and GSK during their free and fun at-home science program for youth ages 7-13. Registration is open now through May 21. Click [here](#) for more details.

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