

LEADERSHIP **BEATRICE**

Alumni Network

MISSION

To provide continued opportunities to Connect, Engage, and Inform Leadership Beatrice (LB) alumni with other Leadership Beatrice Alumni Network (LBAN) members, with community leaders, and with area organizations. LBAN exists to facilitate communication between its members and the community, to provide a forum for continued educational and social networking opportunities, to connect members with leadership opportunities on boards and committees, and to recognize members for continued commitment.

OBJECTIVE

- To promote and initiate programs that provide with continued education and information focusing on economics, cultural, social and political issues and topics related to Beatrice and surrounding area.
- To provide a social, professional, and informational network.
- To encourage membership support of the *LB Alumni Network* including but not limited to financial support, recruitment, curriculum, and program development.
- To promote and encourage alumni members to continue expanding as community leaders.
- To connect and engage members with volunteer and leadership opportunities on local, regional and state boards and committees.
- To collaborate and partner with other organizations and institutions which further the mission of *LB Alumni Network* and its members.

MEMBERSHIP QUALIFICATIONS

- Membership is limited to anyone who graduated from the Leadership Beatrice Program or any such leadership program from another community/area.
- City and county officials, LB program founders, advisors, and the program coordinator are eligible as distinguished members.

BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

- Reduced registration to quarterly scheduled educational seminars or workshops.
- Reduced registration to community presentations featuring renowned key note speakers sponsored by LB.

SOCIAL NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES with other leaders and alumni members

- Winter Social & Get Acquainted Summer BBQ.
- LB will connect graduated and participants to volunteer and board opportunities for community organizations based on identified areas of interest, background and talents.
- Invitation to Graduation Ceremonies.
- Future statewide meetings and collaborations.

RECOGNITION

- Listed in the Alumni Directory (online at www.LeadershipBeatriceAlumni.com)

DUES

- Dues for LB Alumni Network may be paid annually or as a one-time fee. Annual membership fees are \$25. Or, for your convenience, you may pay a one-time amount of \$250 for a lifetime membership.
- LB committee may increase the program cost to include a free 1st year member to LBAN.

WEBSITE SUSTAINABILITY

The LB Alumni Network will be the primary sponsor of www.LeadershipBeatriceAlumni.com where all alumni members are listed. The website was designed to encourage interaction and consistency among the members and graduates of the LB program and with the community. The financial support of the Alumni Network will ensure the continuance of the site for LB participants, Alumni Network members and the community.

*The website is not to be used for mass marketing of products, services, or events not related to LB, the LB Alumni Network or for the betterment of the community.

eCOMMUNICATIONS

- Receive the quarterly "LB Connection" eNewsletter.
 - The LB Alumni Network Secretary will e-distribute and share information of interest to leaders including news articles & newsletters, activities and events, programs, political issues & concerns, and opportunities.
 - Minutes from regularly scheduled Quarterly Meetings will be posted to the website following each meeting
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