Final Steps to Success

Tuesday, August 13, 2024

New! The website will be open from Midnight to Midnight!

Phone support from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. on August 13th



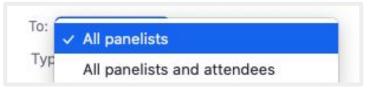
Submit Your Questions!

This is being recorded. The recording will be available on the /trainings page by **Friday, July 19**

If you have questions or comments throughout our training, please write in using your Zoom webinar attendee panel.

Introduce yourself! Name, location, organization.







A&Q

Please input your question

Send Anonymously

Send

Agenda

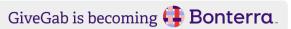


- Erie Gives Updates & Reminders
 - Your Checklist for Success
 - After Erie Gives
 - Next Steps
 - Q&A

Erie Gives Updates and Reminders



- https://www.eriegives.org/
- August 13, 2024
- 12 am 11:59 pm
- Prizes
- Social Media Feed



Your Success Checklist

- **▼** The Perfect Profile
- Engage Ambassadors
- Prepare Communications



Is Your Profile Complete?

Have you:

- Added your logo and a cover photo?
- Shared an authentic story?
- Set goals?
- Included clear calls to action?
- Featured visual content?
- Highlighted donation levels?
- Invited your fundraisers?



Do You Have Fundraisers?

- Expand your organization's reach by asking individuals to share your page
- Go one step further: Ask them host their very own fundraising page (Peer-to-Peer)
- Anyone can be a fundraiser
- Pro Tip: Watch the Peer-to-Peer Fundraiser training video





Setting Up Your Fundraisers For Success

- Set up a quick info session for Ambassadors and Peer-to-Peer Fundraisers
- Walk them through the Erie Gives Fundraiser Guide
- Communicate your organization's goals
- Create a simple, suggested timeline for communications
- Provide them with the links they need to share out
- Walk P2P Fundraisers through creating their profile

Do You Have a Communications Plan?

- Plan your online communications ahead of the day
 - o How many posts and when?
 - What will your content look like? Examples below:
 - Announcement/Save the Date
 - Campaign Countdown
- No need to start from scratch! Customize the templates available in your Erie Gives Nonprofit Toolkit

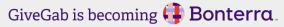


How Will You Communicate?

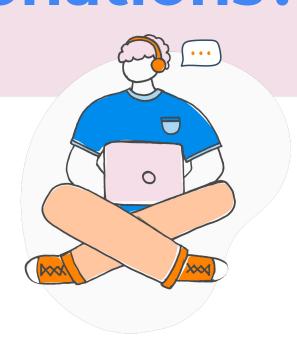


- Utilize multiple online channels
 - Social Media
 - Email and direct mail
 communications
- C.O.P.E. Create Once, Post Everywhere!
- Curate authentic visual content
- Pro Tip: Create QR codes for your profile

Post-Erie Gives Success

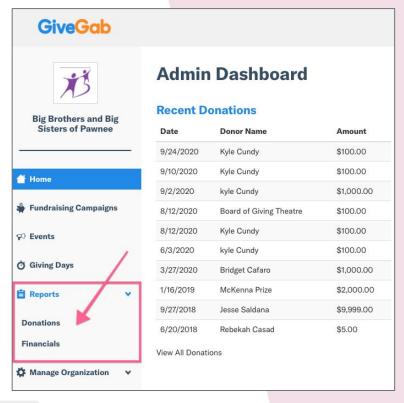


How Will You Get Your Donations?

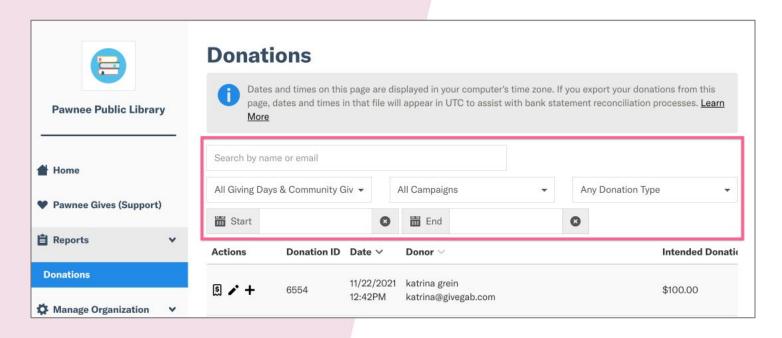


- Our goal is to have checks out three weeks after Erie Gives.
- We will host a press conference
- Reference your Financials report to reconcile deposits!

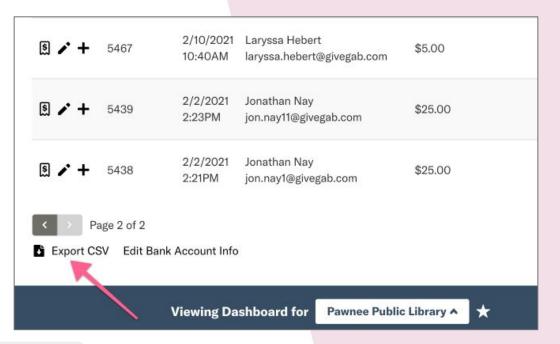
Finding Your Donor Data



Filtering Your Data



Exporting Your Donor Data





How Will You Thank Your Donors?

- Start during and right after the day!
- Treat your donors like your heroes
- Talk about how their gift had a tangible impact, and what you were able to achieve as a result
- Review your donor data, compare it to previous years
- Watch the **available training** on Donor Stewardship!





How Will You Thank Your Donors?

- Pre-schedule general messaging to all supporters
 - Social media posts and overall success update
 - o Thank You email to your organization's email list
- Follow up with individual donors
 - Access their contact information in your Giving Day
 Dashboard, keep an eye out for anonymity!
- Highlight impact of donor-funded projects with updates
 - What did these donors do for your organization as a result?
 - This outreach can happen a few weeks after



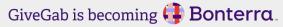


'Thank You' Resources

- Customizable Email Templates and Guides for stewardship
- Sample Social Media Posts and Best Practices
- Erie Gives Downloadable Graphics
- Resources for Board Members and P2P
 Fundraisers
- How-To Videos on the Erie Gives Trainings page



Next Steps



Key Takeaways

- Make sure your profile reflects your story and your organization's voice
- Use authentic, visual content
- Work with your top supporters to be ambassadors or fundraisers
- Develop a stewardship plan for your donors

Final Checklist

- Complete your profile by August 6, 2024
- Keep an eye out for important emails!
- Follow Erie Gives on Social Media and use
 #ErieGives2024 Hashtag
- Watch on-demand training course videos
- Check out the Nonprofit Toolkit

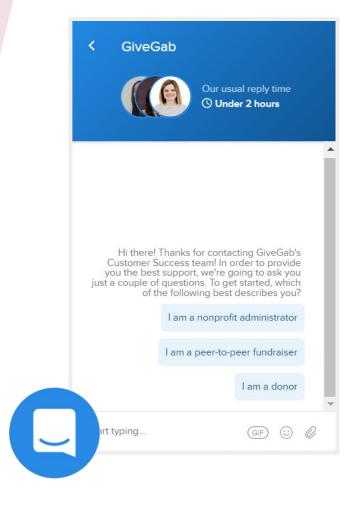


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Questions?

