

# GROWING THE GRASSROOTS!

**2023 SPRING FUND DRIVE** 







## INTRODUCTIONS

#### SHARE

- 1. Name / Pronouns
- 2. WSLR Program / Length of time on air
- 3. Your connection to the 'music', 'politics', etc.
- 4. Your WSLR Origin Story

**LETS GET STARTED** 

#### **PURPOSE FOR THIS TRAINING**

- UNDERSTAND THE TARGET GOALS
- INTRODUCE EVERGREEN MEMBERSHIP
- REVIEW NEW PROGRAMMER
  - **UNDERWRITING PACKET**
- PLAN OUT YOUR TIMELINE
- BUILD YOUR TARGET LIST
- REVIEW ADVOCACY KIT





## WHAT ARE OUR

# OURGOALS...



## OUR MISSION

## WSLR & FOGARTYVILLE

is a center for creative expression and community engagement which amplifies the voices of our diverse community and promotes peace, sustainability, democracy, and social and economic justice





# OUR VISION

## STATEMENT

Ensuring a just, inclusive community through media and arts.



## OVERALL MEMBERSHIP DRIVE FINANCIAL GOAL:

\$50,000

# MINIMUM SHOW GOAL: \$500

# 61 Live Shows -\$30,500



We can do it together!



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WILL NOW BE KNOWN AS

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We would like to

INCREASE OUR

# EV/ERGREEN

MEMBERSHIPS

BY 50 PEOPLE





# WE COULD DO THAT IF EVERY SHOW BRINGS IN ONE NEW EVERGREEN MEMBER.



# HOW DO WE GET THERE?



**MEMBERSHIPS** 



**UNDERWRITING** 



DAY SPONSORSHISPS



**BRICKS & BENCHES** 



SPECIAL "THANK YOU" GIFTS

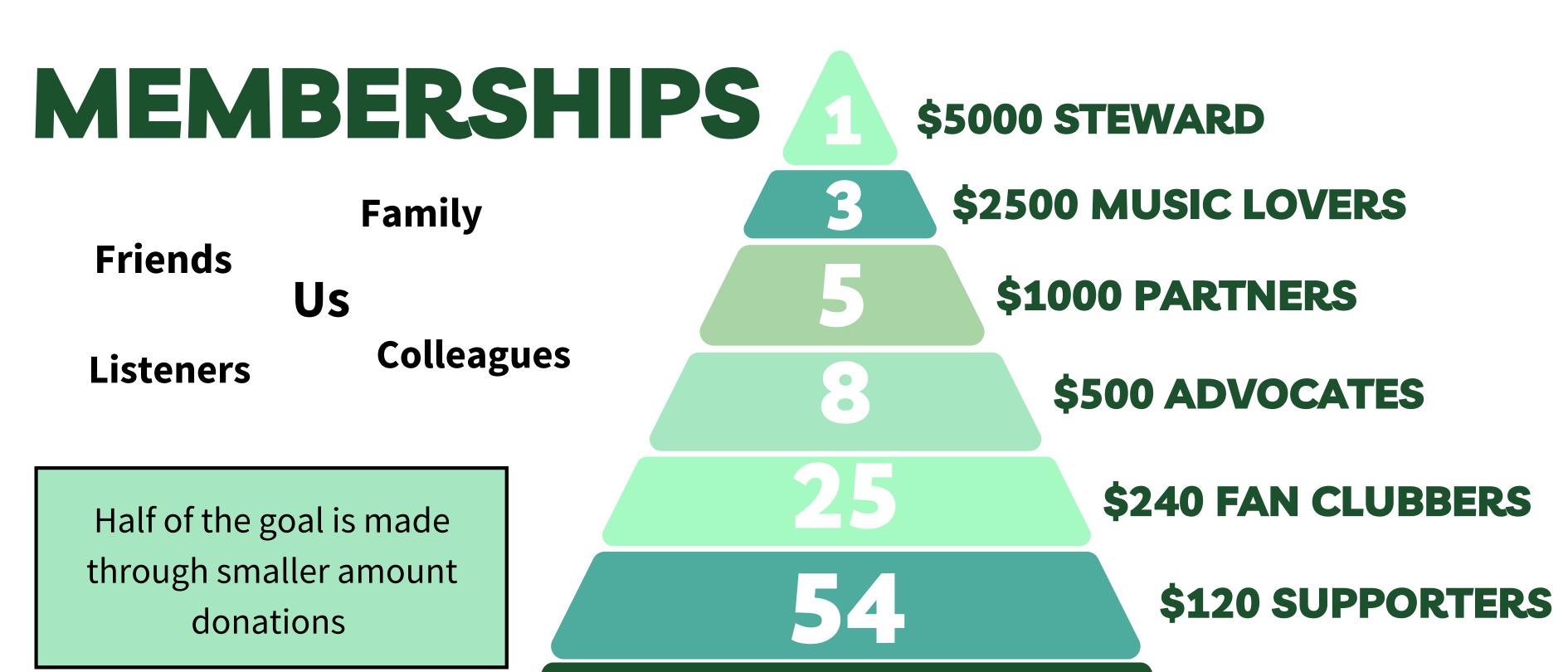


**LEGACY GIFTS** 



Sarasota's Own Community Radio Our radio programming, **All Members Receive:** live concerts, art and educational Member Pricing on WSLR+Fogartyville events events inspire creativity, fellowship E-newsletter notification of upcoming events and engagement - all made possible Eligibility to become a WSLR progammer through your membership support. Fogartyville
up to 100 people with live
music and coffee, tea and
soft drinks Member Pricing on WSLR+Fogartyville Event Tickets (# per event) WSLR+Fogartyville Events (valued up to \$25/ticket, 2 tickets/show max.) WSLR+Fogartyville Support Sticker Personalized Brick in the WSLR People's Patio Free Admission to Contribution Amount € Student \$15 € \$40 Listener € \$60 Friend 2 € **Radio Activist** \$96.50 2 € \$120 2 4 Supporter Ę **Fan Club** \$240 6 4 € \$500 12 **Advocate** 8 \$1,000 **Partner** AII24 **Music Lover** 4"x8" \$2,500 ΑII ΑII **4**€ 8"x8" \$5,000 All Αll Steward

## WHAT WILL IT TAKE TO MEET THE GOAL?



\$40 LISTENERS



UNDERWRITING

NEW PROGRAM UNDERWRITING PACKET TO TAKE TO POTENTIAL LOCAL BUSINESS SUPPORTERS

Business and Non-Profits can support WSLR and underwrite your show and receive on-air acknowledgements!

What local haunts do you frequent that would like to support your show??

ONE UNDERWRITER COULD GET YOU TO YOUR GOAL!



## B DAY SPONSORSHIPS

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\$75

Personalized message that's aired

6 times on ONE DAY

CELEBRATES OR HONORS FRIENDS, FAMILY OR COLLEAGUES

**EXAMPLES INCLUDE BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARY, YEARS OF** 

### **EXAMPLES**

# PROGRAMMING ON WSLR IS MADE POSSIBLE BY...

John Smith, wishing his wife, Mary, a very happy birthday

Chris Black, wishing listeners a Happy Fall and thanking WSLR for their diverse music programming

Sarasota Animal Rescue
League, honoring founder
John Doe as he celebrates his
100th birthday and 36,500
revolutions around the sun



CAILY SOURCES

# GET A BRICK IN THE PEOPLE'S PATIO

4" X 8"
BRICK - \$125

3 lines of engraved text

8" X 8"
BRICK - \$250

6 lines of engraved text

## BUYABENCH

## ENGRAVED PATIO BENCH



\$2500

A new way to support further enhancements to our outdoor space and to have your name enshrined for all to see!

## SPECIAL "THANK YOU" GIFTS

Gifts for this fund drive will be an incentive for first-time donors who become EVERGREEN MEMBERS or those who increase their monthly EVERGREEN pledge.

#### T-SHIRTS FOR YOUR SHOW

Print t-shirts for your show as gifts for your donors! You will build awareness and your fans will love them.

#### THEATRE OR SHOW TICKETS

Reach out your favorite performing arts establishments and see if they would like to contribute some passes!

#### LOCAL RESTAURANT GIFT

Ask your favorite restauranteurs to donate a gift certificate to support your show



## LEGACY GIFTS

#### DO YOU HAVE WSLR+FOGARTYVILLE IN YOUR WILL?

This community has a huge impact on your life. Help keep community radio going as your legacy!











## TO GROW THE GRASSROOTS ...

# LET'S BUILD MOMENTUM

## PROMOTION FROM THE STATION



Postcard mailer will go out to all donors/event attendees



E-newsletters, social media and website



## OUTREACH TRAINING OVER ZOOM

HIGHLY ENCOURAGED for new programmers and those who did not meet their Fall Goal.

## Tuesday Apr. 11th - 6pm

Cultivating your audience

Communicating effectively on Social Media



Bring friends and introduce them to the station!

## PARTY ON THE PATIO

**FUND DRIVE KICK OFF** 

## APRIL 22ND

STUDIO TOURS! MUSIC! GIVEAWAYS FOR NEW MEMBERS

## PARTY ON THE PATIO

**FUND DRIVE KICK OFF** 

#### April 22nd

Earth Day Festival ft. The Garbage Men 4-7 pm

BIG NIGHT OUT - Free show for members 8-10 pm

Vendors, workshops, food, games, & more





BOTH Shows need to be represented for the Drive Show



**HOW WILL YOU PLAY YOUR PART?** 

- **DO YOUR SHOW LIVE!**
- EXTRA SHIFT
- CALL AND TEXTYOUR SUPPORTERS
- BRING A FRIEND TO HELP

## YOUR DRIVE SHOW TIMELINE

**APR 12-18** 

**APR 19-25** 

**FUND DRIVE WEEK** 

Put 1 announcement per

**hou**r into your show about the upcoming Drive!

Plan any **Special Content** or **Thank You Gifts** for your show

**Identify** your Target Folks

**Find** and **underwriter** for your show

Plan **4 announcements** per hour for your Drive Show!

**Ask** friends and family to tune in and support.

Invite friends to **LIKE** our Facebook page

**Prepare** your appeals!

Finalize Your Appeals!!

Send email to target folks

**Promote on Social Media** 

Present your Membership Drive Show, live or prerecorded.

### STARTING IN APRIL...

- Insert one announcement per hour into your show to let people know about the Spring Membership Drive
- Identify 10 or more individuals to **ask for** support.
- Ask one local business about underwriting.
- Plan any Special Content or Thank You Gifts for your show
- Ask someone for a Day Sponsorship



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#### **HOW TO GET TO YOUR GOAL...**

## APRIL 5TH - 11TH

 Get a local business to underwrite your show

Ask around for Thank-You Gifts

Identify your targets

Join the Zoom Outreach Training on
 4/11 at 6pm

 Invite friends to the Party on the Patio 4/22

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## HOW TO GET TO YOUR GOAL... APRIL 12TH - 18TH

- Find special guests to join you for your fund drive show
- Prepare your Appeals. Make them
   Personal
- Ask a friend if they would do a day sponsorship
- Remind Friends and Family about the Party on the Patio 4/22!

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#### **HOW TO GET TO YOUR GOAL...**

## **APRIL 19TH - 25TH**

- Plan or Send an email a few days before your show!
- Bring your friends and family to join us
   for the party on the Patio 4/22!!!
- Prepare your Show and finalize your
   Appeals. Make them Personal!
- Promote the Membership Drive on your show & social media.



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#### **FUND DRIVE WEEK!**

### **APRIL 26TH - MAY 2ND**

- Send out an email reminder to your list
- Record a short Facebook Live video to promote your Membership Drive Show.
- Talk about your commitment to community radio - Why do you give your time AND why do you financially support?
- Call and text your contacts during your show
- Message your Facebook friends

Connect with Listeners! 2023 SPRING FUND DRIVE

## LET'S BUILD OUR COMMUNITY, HAVE FUN, AND GROW THE GRASSROOTS!

