

Spring for Teachers 2026

a **Foundation for PPS** event

The Foundation for Portland Public Schools' **Annual Spring for Teachers** event celebrates the students and teachers of the Portland Public Schools and raises funds to make the Portland Public Schools even *better*.

Join us as a sponsor of Spring for Teachers held at **Bunker Brewing from 5:00 - 7:00 pm on Wednesday, May 6, 2026**. Please see the attached flyers for details of event sponsorship packages.

Put your business behind our highest-profile event to show that you support the community that supports you and the teachers who educate your future employees. We know that people are excited to patronize businesses that share their values, such as education.

What is Spring for Teachers?

Spring for Teachers is our annual fundraiser for the Foundation for Portland Public School (FPPS). It is a celebration of teachers. This community gathering draws over 200 people to listen to music, eat international food, and build community around our public schools.

We are looking **to raise \$26,000** for our 2026 event. Your sponsorship will help increase student engagement, improve attendance, build workforce readiness, and support PPS staff.

This year, we'll present our third annual Distinguished Alumni Awards

As part of our celebration, we'll present awards to distinguished alumni from Portland Adult Education, Deering, Casco Bay, and Portland High Schools. Each awardee will honor a PPS teacher who shaped their life.

If you have any questions about the Foundation or other ways you can support the next generation of Mainers, please contact **Andi Summers** at **207-842-4658** or **asummers@foundationforpps.org**. Thank you for all you do to support your employees and neighbors!

With gratitude,

Andi Weisman Summers,
Michael Langenmayr, and
Jeanine Bischoff, FPPS staff



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SPONSORSHIP BENEFITS

INVESTING IN THE FUTURE \$5,000 OR ABOVE WILL RECEIVE:

- A \$1,000, company-named scholarship for 2026 graduate who is interested in teaching as a career
- Mention as a sponsor in an FPPS email newsletter (circulation 10,000) and Portland Maine Alumni & Friends Network email (circulation 19,000)
- Company name and logo featured on FPPS website with link to your company
- Company name and logo featured on display during the presentation at the Spring for Teachers event
- Tagged recognition of sponsorship in a Foundation for PPS Facebook and/or Instagram post
- 4 complimentary tickets to the event

SCHOOL CHAMPION \$2,500 OR ABOVE WILL RECEIVE:

- Mention as a sponsor in an FPPS email newsletter (circulation 10,000) and Portland Maine Alumni & Friends Network email (circulation 19,000)
- Company name and logo featured on FPPS website with link to your company
- Company logo displayed on a poster or banner at event
- 4 complimentary tickets to the event

EXTRA LOVE FOR TEACHERS \$1,000 OR ABOVE WILL RECEIVE:

- Mention as a sponsor in an FPPS email newsletter (circulation 10,000) and Portland Maine Alumni & Friends Network email (circulation 19,000)
- Company name and logo featured on FPPS website with link to your company
- Company logo displayed on a poster or banner at event
- 2 complimentary tickets to the event

SCHOOLS SUPPORTER \$250 OR ABOVE WILL RECEIVE:

- Company name and logo featured on FPPS website with link to your company
- Company logo displayed on a poster or banner at event
- 2 complimentary tickets to the event



A **Foundation for Portland Public Schools** event in support teachers and students. FPPS is an independent, 501(c)(3) nonprofit with a mission to be a catalyst for increased educational opportunities, achievement, and equity for all Portland Public Schools' students and staff.

QUESTIONS?

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SPONSORSHIP FORM

Sponsorship Level (*Please check one*)

- ☐ Investing in the Future (\$5,000 or above) ☐ School Champion (\$2,500 or above)
☐ Extra Love for Teachers (\$1,000 or above) ☐ School Supporter (\$250 or above)

Company Name

Address

City

State

Zip

Contact Name

Phone

Email

How would you like your company's name to appear in promotional materials?

PAYMENT METHOD

- ☐ Credit Card ☐ Check

Credit Card

Exp. Date

CVV#

Card Number

Name on Card

Amount \$

Phone

Email

Please provide your company Logo (saved as eps or high res jpeg)
to Info@foundationforpps.org **no later than April 24, 2026.**

Please complete and mail or email your form to:
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**Every student deserves
a good foundation**

**We help the community fund programs and priorities
designed to help our schools in so many ways, like:**



Increasing Student Engagement

By supporting enhancements and innovation in the classroom and beyond, FPPS works to increase both joy and rigor in our schools.

Improving Attendance

FPPS programs such as Families in Crisis, the Ed Feeney Athletics Fund, the mobile makerspace, and support of the arts motivate students to go to school.



Building workforce readiness

We build relationships with local businesses, alumni, and community members in support of PPS students.

Boosting PPS Staff

Equity & Innovation Grants, Summer Planning Grants, Educating Elevators, and professional development opportunities are some of the ways we support staff.



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