

Dear Event Hosts for Remake Learning Days Across America,

Like you, we are learning day by day what we must do to stem the spread of the coronavirus (COVID-19).



Beginning in early March, we initiated discussions with our national partners, regional lead organizations, and funders about whether we should go forward with Remake Learning Days Across America (RLDAA) this upcoming April and May. Adhering to the guidance of local county health departments as well as the Center for Disease Control's recommendations, we are **postponing** RLDAA until **early October 2020**.

This was not an easy decision. You and your colleagues locally and nationwide were ready to host nearly 1,000 events across our 15 regions and beyond. Thank you. We know that these events would have sparked incredible moments of joyful and creative learning for young people and their parents, families, and caregivers in your hometown and all across America.

We know also, however, that we all must prepare smartly for what's ahead. Your health and the well-being of your communities must come first.

Last Thursday (March 12, 2020), we made the decision to **POSTPONE** Remake Learning Days until October. For now, we have hidden your event and all events posted online via the RLDAA website.

In the coming weeks, we will provide you with details about our new dates and instructions for making changes. We very much hope that you will rally together with us, reschedule your event, and help us all stage something extraordinary.

Fortunately, we are well positioned as we look ahead to support you and our common campaign to advance relevant, engaging and equitable learning.

If we do this right, together, we just might be part of the healing and hopefulness that our learners, their educators and every community will need.

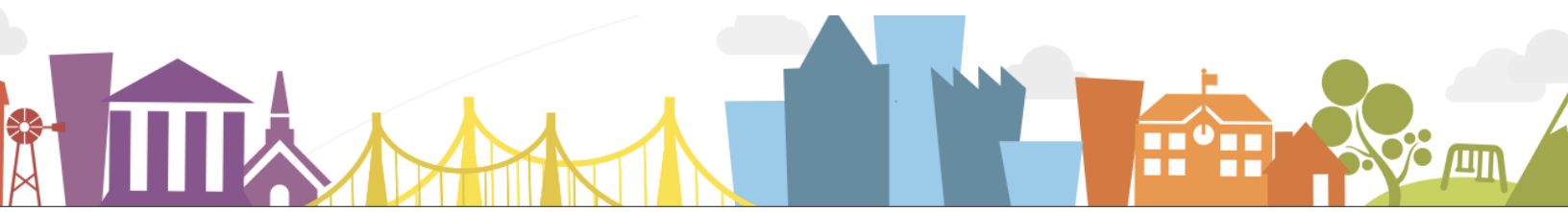
Thank you for your understanding and for your support. If you have any questions, please reach out to your regional lead (list below) or to one of us on the national team. We will respond as promptly as possible.

Please be well and take care of yourself.

With gratitude,

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