



THREE CHEERS FOR OUR WONDERFUL DONORS!

By **DIANE CAMPBELL, TAHOE DONNER GIVING FUND COMMITTEE MEMBER**

Thank you to all of our Tahoe Donner neighbors and friends who generously supported our July fundraising campaign. Together, we raised \$47,461 to be awarded to local community nonprofits and exceptional college-bound students from Truckee and North Lake Tahoe. Of the 109 donations, 45 of them were from brand new donors and 61 were returning donors; additionally, three long-time donors offered matching grants, boosting the incentive for others to give throughout the campaign.

And, a final shout out to the Tahoe Donner communications team who helped orchestrate our campaign. We never take your support for granted! Thank you to Lindsay, Ali, Drew, Derek and Kylie.

MEET OSVALDO!

The TDGF would like to introduce one of our 2022 IMPACT Scholarship recipients. Osvaldo is full of potential. A graduate of North Tahoe High School, he is the first in his family to attend



college. He is currently enrolled as a full-time student at the Tahoe-Truckee Campus of Sierra College and plans to transfer to UC Berkeley or Cal Poly San Luis Obispo with an associate's degree.

Osvaldo demonstrates a "no quit" work ethic, usually juggling several jobs each season. In addition to working in the service industry, he is currently employed at the Lake Forest Boat Ramp and plans to become a ski instructor this winter.

Osvaldo's list of extracurricular activities is longer than the receipts from the local pharmacy! In addition to learning French – a third language for him – he enjoys running, boxing, reading, mountain biking, playing the piano and skateboarding. He is also teaching himself how to play the guitar. Osvaldo hopes to one day see the world, sharing, "I have never really traveled in my life. But since I am now 18, I want to travel, even if it is solo traveling."

Osvaldo lives with his proud parents and 10-year-old sister who sees her big brother as a role model.

Osvaldo is incredibly ambitious! He plans to major in computer science and eventually start his own technology company. The Giving Fund has no doubt that this amazing young man will accomplish all his goals.

WHY WE GIVE

"Our club's objectives include not only providing a fun recreational experience but also reaching out and contributing to our community, which is another kind of fun! We feel very lucky to live here—giving locally to help students and organizations here in Truckee is just one of the ways we are part of our community. Thank you to the Giving Fund for your work!"

- Coral Cavanagh, Tahoe Donner Homeowner and President of the TD Women's 9-Holers Golf Club

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