



MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

The Winona Nonprofit Alliance is a large, vibrant gathering and network of more than 40 nonprofit organizations of all sizes and sectors across the Winona area.

The Alliance operates under the Winona Community Foundation and is guided by a leadership team chosen by the full membership.

The group was founded in 2017 to create and strengthen relationships, collaborate on programming and partnerships, share resources and best practices, educate each other and the community on programs and services, provide mentoring, coaching and training opportunities, and align and unite our work to best serve our community.

Interested in joining? Email wcf@winonacf.org or call 507-454-6511.

ACTIVITIES

Roundtable gatherings: The Winona Nonprofit Alliance gathers the second Wednesday from 8-10am every other month: January, March, May, July, September, and November. The gatherings rotate among member organizations.

- **First hour:** A host presentation, discussion on key nonprofit issues and topics, and opportunities to share needs, opportunities and events.
- **Second hour:** Professional development training provided by a Roundtable member or visiting expert on topics chosen by the Roundtable.

Lunch and learn series: Gatherings where local and regional experts present, network, and share opportunities. Past visitors have included Otto Bremer Trust, Bush Foundation, Minnesota Council of Nonprofits, Charities Review Council and more. Local presentations have included working with local media, finding event sponsors, and more.

Annual board development: The Roundtable plans and hosts a half-day board development training, provided at-cost for all members and board of directors.

Special events: The Roundtable is in the process of planning public events to spread awareness of the group, which may include an annual event, a tabling fair, or other events.

VALUE

- **Professional development:** Members receive regular training and skill-building in nonprofit topics they choose: fundraising, marketing, leadership, human resources, and more! Members are guaranteed six one-hour trainings a year, free admittance to the regular lunch-and-learn series, and at-cost admittance to larger events.
- **Shared communication:** Members have full access to an email listserv where they can promote opportunities, ask questions, and share resources. Members also have contact info for all.
- **Relationships:** The Roundtable is the largest (and only) regular gathering of nonprofit leaders in the Winona area. Get to know your nonprofit community! Members build relationships, share expertise and knowledge, celebrate successes, commiserate shared challenges, and support each other. Roundtable relationships have led to mentoring, job opportunities, and more!
- **Collaborations:** There's no better place to find someone to team up with on your next grant or program, community event, or other opportunity! Roundtable members have shared programming.
- **Resource sharing:** Roundtable members regularly share and donate meeting space, supplies, materials, and other physical resources.
- **Knowledge:** Whether it's the inside scoop on what local philanthropists are looking to fund, the needs and challenges the Winona community is facing, or first looks at upcoming trends and issues, the Roundtable ensures you're the first to know.

COST

The Roundtable is committed to providing low-cost, accessible membership fees that cover the costs of providing the extraordinary value to members described above. Dues are paid in January of each calendar year, or at the time a member joins. They are not pro-rated.

- **Regular (\$50):** Nonprofits of any size with paid staff
- **Discounted (\$25):** Nonprofits with no paid staff