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We are two months into 2019! All of the updates from Heartland Foundation.

**Your February Update from  
President, Dr. Julie Gaddie**



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## **Heartland Foundation Welcomes New Board President**

At our Jan. 30 Board of Trustees meeting, outgoing President Steve Johnston passed the gavel to our new Board President, Bill Grimwood.

We thank Johnston for his service to Heartland Foundation and look forward to working with Grimwood as we continue to build upon Heartland Foundation's success.

Thank you Bill Grimwood, Shannon Moore and Jeni Doolittle for joining the Heartland Foundation Executive Board. We'd also like to thank Rocky Massin for joining our Board of Trustees.

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**Tickets On Sale Now!**

The Big Muddy Mini Maker Faire is two weeks away. This event is a place for makers to SHOW off their projects and TELL what they have learned with the community. Makers are creative; they range from entrepreneurs, tinkers, inventors, hobbyists, and much more.

Join us at the Greatest Show (& Tell) on Earth. Saturday, March 2, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. at Restoration Natatorium in Downtown St. Joseph.

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The Big Muddy



### Foundation Receives CVB Grant

Heartland Foundation thanks the St. Joseph Convention & Visitors Bureau and Buchanan County Tourism Board for the Cooperative Marketing Grant. With this partnership, The Big Muddy Mini Maker Faire will cultivate regional attendance with digital and print marketing efforts.



### emPowerU Welcomes Warrensburg Middle School

Warrensburg, Missouri, educators first learned about emPowerU in 2009. Today, we welcomed 115 seventh & eighth grade students from Warrensburg Middle School . We enjoyed sharing our Circuit One student-led, problem-based learning experience with the participants and teachers.

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