



Western Division

Partners in their Awesome Dragonboats

January 2026

2026 has arrived. My wish for this year is that everyone has a blessed and safe year, flooded with more joy than worries. Each partner is a valuable part of the 8&40. We need each of you to continue your efforts in partnership, donations and especially in fellowship with each other. You're the best.

I'm very pleased to share that Nationally we exceeded the 50% goal, ending the month of December at 61.93%, with every Division making the 50% goal. Partnership goal dates have been moved to the **last day** of the goal month, i.e. 12/20 went to 12/31. Hopefully this will help to have the date consistent each month.

Departmental standings in partnership and donations.

Departmental	Partnership	Foundation	CWF	NJH	NS
Arizona	33 / 73.33%	0	0	\$27.00	0
California	86 / 60.56%	\$150.00	\$125.00	\$100.00	\$225.00
Idaho	17 / 45.95%	0	0	0	\$53.00
Montana	24 / 72.73%	0	0	\$700.00	\$200.00
Nebraska	109 / 87.20%	0	\$595.00	\$535.00	\$2205.00
Oregon	11 / 44.00%	0	0	\$34.00	\$32.42
South Dakota	50 / 89.29%	\$120.00	\$100.00	\$200.00	\$110.00
Washington	40 / 43.48%	0	0	0	0

Western Division is in first place with 66.67% our goal is 555 partners, and we have 370 turned in which leaves us short 185. Your hard work is getting us closer to the finish line. Our paddles are still in the water going forward with a steady stroke through the water leaving a small ripple behind. Good job!!

Donations are coming in very slowly National, so we need to work on that. Please don't hold your donations. Every penny, which is hard to find now, is important in helping our children in need, please remember to get your donations in.

Thank you for your dedication and all the work that you continue to put forth for our children.

Keep your Dragonboats going in a straightforward line, working in sync with each other, moving smoothly through the water, heading in the same direction. The finish line is still ahead and getting closer. Let's continue this journey together.

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