MARIA CARRILLO HIGH SCHOOL PRESENTS:

SONOMA HACKS 2.0

Sonoma County's first ever hackathon

Background

The field of technology is rapidly growing. As we have seen in the past year, technology has played a key role in almost every aspect of our lives, from school work to paying for groceries at the store. Despite this, high school students don't have many opportunities to explore computer science in Sonoma County. There are more than 15 high schools in Sonoma County, but there are no more than 2 basic computer science classes at each school. It is important for students to get a head start in coding, as it can be beneficial in almost any career. Most high school students are talented and motivated but are still hardly proficient in their abilities to explore technology. Why? It's simple: a lack of opportunity. The only way to resolve the dismal state of technical literacy is to provide opportunities that expose students to coding- starting with Sonoma Hacks.



Our Goal

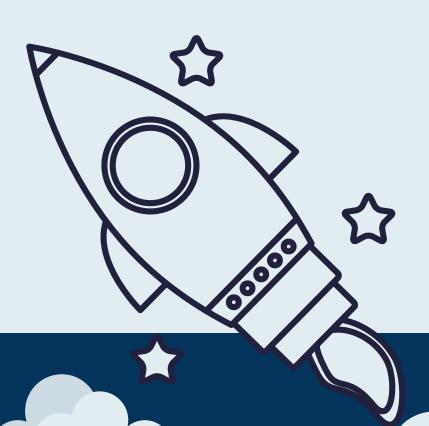
On April 16th - 17th, we will be hosting Sonoma County's first ever high school hackathon: Sonoma Hacks 2.0. Recognizing the lack of exposure many people have to coding in Sonoma County, we aim to introduce more students to computer science by hosting a hackathon for students in high school. Attendees collaborate and innovate to bring their ideas to reality, developing skills far beyond just the field of technology. Over a course of 24 hours, students will work in small teams to create anything from a website, to a video game, to an app that displays their creativity and skill. Once the time is up, a panel of judges will decide on winners. We also recognize that not many students in Sonoma County have a strong background in coding. We will provide workshops and talks by guest speakers that allow beginners to work together and learn new concepts while getting some hands-on experience.





Where you come in

We need your help to make this work! We need funds for prizes, supplies and more. We have a few packages that include different benefits, from having your logo on all of our materials to having a representative speak at the event. By sponsoring Sonoma Hacks, you will be presenting your logo to 1000+ upcoming developers and students. If you are interested, please send us an email (sonomahacks@gmail.com) and we can set up a phone call or a meeting.



HOW YOU CAN HELP

Donate Money

Donate money to fund our endeavors. This is the easiest way to support us. Listed down below are a series of benefits based on your donation amount, and we can use the money on parts of the event where we need it most. Sonoma Hacks is fiscally sponsored by The Hack Foundation. Nonprofit EIN: 81- 2908499.

Send Representatives

We are looking for mentors to give talks and conduct workshops. This allows you to interact with the students directly and leave a long lasting impression while making a strong connection with the incoming talent.

Provide Tools

The hackers at our event will use design, development, testing, hosting, deployment, domain registration, as well as other kinds of tools to create their projects. Providing your compantools will put them in the hands of new custo for projects at the event and beyond.

PERKS

	Bronze \$500	Silver \$1000	Gold \$2000	Platinum \$5000
Distribute Swag				
Have logo on branded t-shirt, website, and slides				
Run a branded prize				
Press release mention				
"Co-hosted by" on all amterials				



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