

MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

The objective of this section is to highlight representative NAO nonprofit members of various sizes, geographic locations and subsectors to showcase the great work our members are doing across Oregon!



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OUTDOOR
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What does your organization do? Who does it serve:

The KOSS mission is to inspire a deep appreciation for natural resources, community, and the arts through hands-on outdoor education. We provide residential outdoor school and field study programs to schools, as well as summer camps, family camps, after-school programming, and specialized outdoor education programs. We serve primarily the youth of Klamath County and Southern Oregon, but also serve all ages from many regions of Oregon and Northern California.

What has been your organization's biggest accomplishment lately?

Our biggest accomplishment last year has been the construction of our new kitchen/dining hall and restroom facilities, largely with volunteer labor, donations, and foundation support, all while maintaining our normal schedule of outdoor education programming! We have also begun planning our first camp for children with Type I diabetes, in partnership with Sky Lakes Medical Center. This camp is scheduled for July 23-26, 2018.

How has being an NAO member helped you succeed in furthering your organization's mission?

Information provided by NAO has kept us informed of changes in the tax law and its ramifications for nonprofits and given us ideas to improve our board structure.



Anything else you'd like to share?

Our annual "Artists & Scientists" Residential Summer Camp for kids 8-13 years old will take place July 9-12, 2018. Camp registration and additional information is available on our [website](http://www.klamathoutdoorschool.org). You can also find us on [Facebook!](https://www.facebook.com/klamathoutdoorschool)

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