## **REGISTRATION FORM**

Make tuition checks payable to:
Hardin Leadership Inc.
Mail to: Hardin Leadership Inc.
P.O. Box 21, Kenton, OH 43326

Name:
Home Address:
E-Mail:
Place of Employment:
Cell Phone:
Work Phone:
Tuition Enclosed \$:
I have submitted a scholarship application and tuition pledge.

## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Deadline: March 5, 2020

Using another sheet of paper, in 500 words or less, explain how you hope to use what is learned in Hardin Leadership to directly improve your community/business/company or your circle of influence/family. Submit with your completed registration and tuition pledge.

# COMMENTS FROM PAST PARTICIPANTS

Through Hardin Leadership, I have gained my network of fellow concerned citizens. I also increased my skills and confidence in public speaking and my knowledge of non profit agency operations.—Merleen Barnes, HL 15

From Hardin Leadership, I learned to work with others on different projects. Trusting and understanding the multiple tasks that arise when working with new people was insightful.

—David Wagner, HL 15

I really enjoyed getting to know the county I now live in. Hardin Leadership gave me more confidence as a resident of Kenton. It also made me feel more comfortable in where I live, I know more about Hardin County as well as the people in it. —Courtney Doll, HL 16

I am more interested in getting involved in some sort of community activity. I did not have that desire before Leadership. —Jodi Dearth, HL 17

Hardin Leadership is beneficial for not only a career, but to improving one's life in their community. The program improved my sense of self strength, better communications skills, and to help improve team morale. —Chad Spencer, HL 18

As a newcomer, Hardin Leadership really connected me to my new home. Whether you are new to Hardin County or a native, consider joining Hardin Leadership to build connections and improve your leadership and people stills. The local economy, politics, business, and more—there is a lot to learn.—Rhett Grant, HL 18

I gained great insight and skills to better equip me in a leadership role. I gained confidence in better understanding my strengths and weaknesses. Networking, meeting others and being able to build on those relationships.—Lynn Webb, HL 19

I have gained confidence in myself and the ability to interact with people I don't know. —Theron Stout, HL 19

When I started, I wanted to network and become knowledgeable of our community not only for personal reasons but professional as well. I took something away from each session that I either passed on to someone who I felt it benefited or used it in my own life.—Torrie Holcomb, HL 19

I've gained a better knowledge of the challenges and successes that make Hardin County what it is today. I hope to put this knowledge to use to make Hardin County a better place to work and live.—Justin Ferguson, HL 19



Hardin Leadership Steering Committee

## What is Hardin Leadership About?

Hardin Leadership is committed to developing positive leaders within Hardin County through providing personal enrichment, expanding community networks, and recognizing future leaders. We will acknowledge and draw upon the diversity of the leaders to enhance the progress of Hardin County's quality of life.

## What are the Goals of the Program?

- \* To identify, develop, motivate and involve potential community leaders.
- \* To introduce the leadership styles and skills needed in community organizations.
- To provide information on community organizations and operations.
- To inspire a positive self-image through clear vision and mission.

## What does Hardin Leadership Require?

Regular attendance is required to be eligible for a graduation certificate. The class will be limited to the first 24 paid registrants. Applications received over the first 24 paid registrants will be placed on a waiting list for the next year's program.

## How Much Does the Program Cost?

A tuition fee of \$325.00 per person covers all expenses of the program. Employers are encouraged to sponsor their employees.

The Steering Committee recommends that the participant offer to pay \$25.00 of the tuition fee as an indication of their commitment to participating in the program.

## 2020 Hardin Leadership Class Schedule

Sessions will be held from 8:30 am to 12:30 pm on dates listed unless otherwise noted

#### Thursday, March 12

Welcome Breakfast-8:30 am

"PUBLIC SPEAKING & PRESENTATION SKILLS"

Student Activities Room, McIntosh Center, Ohio Northern University

#### Thursday, April 2

"STRENGTHS BASED LEADERSHIP"

Meeting Room, MLJ, Hardin County District Library, Kenton

#### Thursday, May 14

"THE LEADER IN ME & COVEY'S HABITS"

Kenton Elementary School & Hardin County Sheriff's Office, Kenton

#### Thursday, June 11

"GENERATIONS IN THE WORKPLACE & TEAMWORK"

Conference Room, Hardin County Sheriff's Office, Kenton

#### Thursday, July 9

"COMMUNICATION & CONFLICT MANAGEMENT"

Conference Room, Hardin County Sheriff's Office, Kenton

#### Thursday, August 13

"LEADING FROM WITHIN—ETHICS & CHALLENGES"

Conference Room, Hardin County Sheriff's Office, Kenton

#### Thursday, September 17

"CREATING ECONOMIC VITALITY"

Conference Room, Graphic Packaging, Kenton

#### "Thursday, October 8

"MARKETING OUR COMMUNITY"

Meeting Room, MLJ, Hardin County District Library, Kenton

#### Thursday, November 12

"TALKING WITH COUNTY AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS"
First Floor Meeting Room, Hardin County Courthouse, Kenton

Thursday, November 12

6:00 P.M.

GRADUATION DINNER AND PROGRAM

Location to be Announced



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## Are Scholarships Available?

Scholarships are available to persons who are not being sponsored by an employer or organization.

Currently, scholarships are being offered by:

- \* Two Hardin County Community Foundation
- \* Hardin Leadership Inc. Steering Committee
- \* Other Scholarships will be given as available

Twenty-five dollars of the tuition (\$25.00) must accompany all scholarship requests and registration forms.

## Applying for a Scholarship

To apply for a Scholarship please tell the Steering Committee in 500 words or less how you hope to use what is learned in Hardin Leadership to directly improve your community/your business/company, or your circle of influence/family. Submit with your completed registration and tuition check.

Have a Question? Please direct your questions to Chairperson Kathy Oliver at (567) 674-2579, email at hardinleadershipinc@gmail.com or ask any of the 2020 Steering Committee: Dennis Burns, Jodi Dearth, Sonya Drumm, Rhett Grant, Torrie Holcomb, Melissa Humble, Sam Norris, Jesse Purcell, Kirk Shepherd, Chad Spencer, Lanay Stine, Ruth Waggoner, and Lynn Webb.