



Future Aces Foundation Marks 70th Anniversary of the Future Aces Creed

Enduring framework for character building and positive behaviour by Dr. Herbert H. Carnegie continues to inspire

January 19, 2026, Toronto, ON — The Herbert H. Carnegie Future Aces Foundation announced today that 2026 marks the 70th anniversary of the Future Aces Creed, the foundational statement of values written in 1956 by Dr. Herbert H. Carnegie.

Originally crafted as a personal expression of belief by Dr. Carnegie—renowned humanitarian, community leader and member of the Hockey Hall of Fame—the Future Aces Creed is the philosophical cornerstone of Future Aces Foundation’s mission. Its enduring principles, including courage, empathy and service, continue to influence youth across Ontario, Canada and beyond.

“The 70th anniversary of the Future Aces Creed is both a celebration of an extraordinary legacy and a call to action for the future,” says Lianne Castelino, Board Chair of Future Aces Foundation. “In an increasingly complex world, young people need steadfast values more than ever and Dr. Carnegie’s words remind us that character is the foundation of leadership, meaningful achievement, and lasting impact.”

Dr. Carnegie, who died in 2012, believed that true success is not measured solely by achievement, but by the strength of one’s character. That belief is woven into every line of the Creed, which underpins the organization’s educational curriculum delivered to elementary and secondary students. It also serves as the basis for the Foundation’s scholarship program, recently expanded to include Grade 8 students along with Grade 12’s.

Throughout 2026, Future Aces Foundation will commemorate this milestone in its educational initiatives, events, scholarship program and storytelling—highlighting the Creed’s lasting influence and the continued relevance of Dr. Carnegie’s vision, seven decades after its inception.

Alumni, partners, and supporters are invited to reflect on the Creed’s impact and recommit to its principles as the Foundation looks ahead to the next generation of Future Aces.

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ABOUT HERBERT H. CARNEGIE FUTURE ACES FOUNDATION

The Herbert H. Carnegie Future Aces Foundation is a non-profit organization dedicated to inspiring and empowering youth to become responsible citizens who make a positive difference in their communities. Founded on the Future Aces Creed created by Dr. Herbert H. Carnegie in 1956, the Foundation envisions a world where all people can achieve their full potential. By encouraging students to be "FutureAces" — always striving to be the best they can be—the Foundation continues to foster hope and propel audiences toward meaningful action. To date, the Foundation has impacted over one million students through its message of positive attitude and good citizenship.

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