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Akron Community Foundation embraces and enhances the work of charitable people who make a permanent commitment to the good of the community.

ROM THE CHAIR & CEO

THANKS.

It's a simple word, but it most appropriately summarizes our gratitude to you for making 2013 the most successful year yet for your Akron Community Foundation.

Thanks for the nearly 4,000 gifts totaling \$7.4 million that are supporting our greater Akron community and your charitable mission. You helped build the total assets of your community foundation to a record \$150 million. Held locally, these assets are preserved, protected and grown by our 24-person board, all of whom live or work in Summit County.

Thanks to the 23 forward-thinking fundholders who started their own charitable funds this year. As a community foundation, we are uniquely positioned to embrace and enhance your charitable dream, whatever it may be.

Thanks to the hard-working nonprofit organizations that make this community such a great place to live and work. We are pleased to report that we have exceeded \$100 million in total grants since 1955, grants that have supported children, adults and families in all corners of our community – just as our founder Edwin Shaw intended.

Finally, thanks to you, the charitably minded people, organizations and advocates of Akron Community Foundation. Together, we are making life better, and the best is yet to come.

Michael A. Aweney

Michael A. Sweeney BOARD CHAIR

John T. Petures Jr. PRESIDENT & CEO







FOR REMEMBERING



LeBron James hasn't forgotten where he came from. As a young boy growing up in Akron, he and his mom moved five times. All but once, he had to change schools. Different apartments, different teachers, different friends. It was a difficult existence for a young man trying to find his footing.

Thanks to the support of passionate coaches, mentors and family members, LeBron never fell through the cracks like so many of his peers. Now, with his philanthropy, he's working hard to ensure other kids don't, either.

In 2012, LeBron donated his MVP award proceeds to Akron Public Schools. The money started an endowment fund at Akron Community Foundation for Akron After School, a tutoring and enrichment program for students during the crucial after-school hours – hours when they could otherwise be home alone or at risk.

"When I look at these young kids in Akron, I see myself," LeBron said. "I was one of them, so it's really important to me that I do all I can to help these kids not become statistics and to show them that anything is possible if you work hard."

Akron Community Foundation offers nonprofits predictable, sustainable funding, efficient processing of even the most complex gifts, and an opportunity to reach a whole new set of charitably minded residents. Learn more at www.akroncf.org/permanentfunding.

FOR FIGHTING



Like so many of us, Dave Yeager lost his mom to cancer. Now, he's working to ensure sons and daughters are no longer left motherless by the disease.

As a young professional, Dave began more than 40 years of volunteer service with the American Cancer Society. Back

then, it was "just something you did, a duty." He answered the call, not knowing how personally the disease would later impact him.

Dave and his wife, Peg, both lost parents to cancer, so the cause was close to home. They wanted to do something additional and more permanent to support the cancer society, and their donor-advised fund at Akron Community Foundation became just the vehicle.

Since founding it in 1998, the couple has used the David L. and Margaret Scott Yeager Fund to support their alma mater, church, and local health and welfare organizations. Even now – especially now – the cancer society is one of those vital initiatives.

"Unfortunately, we know people who have lost parents or loved ones," Dave said, "but we also know survivors. And more people these days are surviving."

With a gift of stock to the community foundation, the Yeagers started their fund and enjoyed the greatest tax benefit available from any nonprofit. What type of giving suits you: a current gift like the Yeagers' or a future gift like a bequest? Compare your options at www.akroncf.org/smartgivingnow and www.akroncf.org/plannedgiving.

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FOR SERVING



For four days and nights, Harry Donovan was lost at sea. His entire crew had been attacked, so there he sat, stranded in the middle of the Pacific Ocean, where hope seemed as distant as the shoreline.

Deliverance came in the form of a U.S. landing ship. Its crew pulled Harry to safety, offering him food, clean water and

everything he needed to get back on his feet. After returning from World War II, Harry regained his footing stateside by earning his high school and college diplomas and becoming a successful accountant, even serving on the staff of a sitting U.S. president.

Service being Harry's motto, he never forgot the crew that saved his life. He also hasn't forgotten the plight of his fellow veterans, so many of whom struggle to find normalcy when returning from combat. In 2012, Harry and his wife started the Donovan Veterans Fund of Akron Community Foundation. Its mission is to educate, rehabilitate and train fellow veterans so they can enjoy successful lives and careers like Harry.

"So many people don't understand: When you have been in a war and had buddies killed around you, and you've been exposed to someone shooting at you, you are just so glad you got home," Harry said. "It can be difficult to get your life back together."

The power of endowment ensures your name and charitable mission continue on in perpetuity. By endowing your fund, you can create certainty and continual support for your favorite nonprofits. See how it works at www.akroncf.org/powerofendowment.

Concerning For Caring



Cecil "Smitty" Smith was the king of the cat house: The one in his backyard, that is.

For years, Smitty's wife, Rosalie, was known throughout Barberton for her devotion to helping stray animals. The heated shelter behind their home – "the cat house," as the Smiths' friends fondly

called it – quickly became a haven for strays of all sorts. Cats, dogs, raccoons – they all found in it an oasis of food, fresh water and shelter.

When Rosalie passed away in 2005, Smitty wanted to continue her legacy of caring for her four-legged friends. So, with the help of his financial advisor, he started the Rosalie and Cecil Smith Fund of Akron Community Foundation. Its mission is to reduce Summit County's suffering animal population by spaying and neutering feral cats and dogs.

"The Smiths never wanted an extravagant life," said Dr. Jay Williamson, the couple's friend. "They wanted to use their means to give back to the community, and they wanted to do so in a way that was meaningful and significant."

Significant, indeed: and animals across greater Akron have Smitty to thank.

Akron Community Foundation works hand-in-hand with professional advisors like Smitty's to help their charitably inclined clients meet philanthropic goals. See how we can help at **www.akroncf.org/advisors**. Also, read how we helped Smitty rally community resources around his cause at **www.akroncf.org/spayneuter**.



ONCE A SPARK, NOW A FLAME

Thanks for starting these 23 new charitable funds.

Do it yourself 🗲

DONOR-ADVISED FUNDS

A great private foundation alternative, corporate- and donor-advised funds offer individuals, families and companies the greatest latitude in grant-making. You can recommend grants at any time to any 501(c)(3) nonprofit and engage your loved ones or co-workers in giving.

New donor-advised funds:

Cherotti Family Fund

Established by Timothy J. Cherotti, president and CEO of Horizon Outsourcing, a human resources solutions company based in Richfield.

Friebert Family Fund

Established by Akron Community Foundation board member Sarah Friebert, M.D., director and founder of the Haslinger Family Pediatric Palliative Care Center at Akron Children's Hospital.

Liesem Family Fund

Established by Linda Liesem for her husband, Paul, vice president at Ohio CAT, the authorized dealer for Caterpillar equipment in Ohio.

Rice Family Fund

Established by Daniel M. Rice, president and CEO of the Ohio & Erie Canalway Coalition, and his wife, Nancy.

Betty A. Sweeney Fund

Established by **Brouse McDowell** partner and Akron Community Foundation board chair Michael A. Sweeney for his wife, Betty. From it, she will recommend grants to her favorite causes.

Zeleznik Family Fund

Established by certified public accountant and Cornerstone Consulting Executive Director Michael Zeleznik and his wife, Susan.

AGENCY ENDOWMENT FUNDS

Agency endowment funds offer nonprofits a predictable, stable source of income for their mission. They also offer donors a permanent alternative to annual giving. Nonprofits can request their grants periodically or as needed while the rest of the fund grows in perpetuity.

New agency endowment funds:

Akron Rotary Foundation Endowment Fund To support the Akron Rotary Camp for Children with Special Needs and to fund stipends for the Rotary Youth Exchange and other youth programs.

Akron Summit Community Action, Inc. Endowment Fund

To eliminate poverty in Summit County by providing a wide range of diverse and comprehensive services for low-income residents.

Friends of Akron Public Schools Endowment Fund

Established by Akron Public Schools with LeBron James' 2011-12 Kia NBA Most Valuable Player Award proceeds. Grants will support Akron Public Schools, with priority given to the Akron After School Program.

Denise M. Graham DCNEO Fund

Established by Dancing Classrooms Northeast Ohio to support its residency program in Ohio schools.

St. Mary Urban Education Endowment Fund

To support St. Mary's mission of providing a quality Catholic education to children in the Akron urban area.

Torchbearers Endowment Fund

To create a sustainability plan to identify, develop and connect young leaders to serve their community.

DESIGNATED FUNDS

Individuals, families and companies can support one or more of their favorite nonprofits with a designated fund. Grants are made directly to the designated nonprofit, and you can choose to have them paid on a predetermined timeline or when the nonprofit chooses.

New designated funds:

Tom DeLeone Fund of the Medina County Community Fund (Est. 2012)

Established by former Browns kicker Don Cockroft and multiple other donors in honor of former Browns center Tom DeLeone to support the Medina County Community Fund.

Dr. Nasrallah Fund

Established by Dr. Raymond Bologna to support Akron General Medical Center's urology residency program in honor of its longtime director, Dr. Phillip Nasrallah.

Sthel and William A. Singer Fund (Est. 2012)

Established by Ethel and William A. Singer to support the Cleveland Eye Bank and Haven of Rest. We all have it, that charitable spark. Maybe yours was lit by a parent or mentor. Perhaps it was ignited by a combination of beauty, poverty and opportunity experienced in your life.

A spark may be small, but with fuel it will radiate.

This year, 23 new fundholders ignited their charitable legacy at Akron Community Foundation. Some started funds to honor friends and co-workers, others to fuel their family's charitable dreams, all the while providing light and warmth to people and places that need it.

We celebrate their generosity. Let's celebrate yours, too.

With a gift of \$5,000 or more, you can start your own charitable legacy at Akron Community Foundation. Just choose the causes or nonprofits. We'll make sure your giving reaches your target, whatever it may be. Need some advice and inspiration? We've got that, too. We'll introduce you to promising programs in your areas of interest and connect you with like-minded philanthropists through social and educational events. Like the rest of our fundholders, you won't pay a dime out of pocket.

Akron Community Foundation offers a range of fund options. Which one will fan your charitable flame?

SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

With a scholarship fund, you, your school or your company can create a brighter future for area students. A minimum gift of \$25,000 starts your fund. Scholarships will be awarded by the committee of your choosing based on your predetermined selection criteria.

New scholarship funds:

Margot Eiseman Scholarship Fund

Established by the Artists of Rubber City to provide scholarships to high school seniors in Summit County who are planning to study art or art education, with a strong preference for fiber arts.

GCEF Scholarship Fund

Established by the Gay Community Endowment Fund of Akron Community Foundation to provide scholarships to LGBT students and allies who live or study in Summit, Medina, Portage or Stark counties.

Mabel L. Hinkle Scholarship Fund

Established by Mabel Hinkle to provide scholarships for women residing in Summit or Portage counties who are studying business or medicine.

FIELD-OF-INTEREST FUNDS

Do you care deeply about a particular issue? A field-of-interest fund awards grants to the most promising programs in your chosen field. Our board and staff will fully vet applicants and award grants that are directly in line with your charitable intent – now and after you're gone.

New field-of-interest funds:

Rev. Dr. Byron Arledge Fund

Established in honor of Rev. Arledge and his years of service by Pastoral Counseling Service of Summit County to support mental health services for children, adults and families.

Craine's Cholangiocarcinoma Crew Fund

Established by David and Lisa Craine to support research for cholangiocarcinoma, a rare cancer of the bile duct.

Donovan Veterans Fund

Established by World War II Navy veteran Harry Donovan and his wife, Fran, to support education and rehabilitation for veterans.

H.A. Flannery Family and James R. Flannery Family Fund

Established by the estate of Ruth S. Flannery to support hospitals and public institutions of learning in Ohio.

Do it with help

UNRESTRICTED FUNDS

Unrestricted funds put the full power of the community foundation to work for you. Each quarter, we request applications to meet our community's most pressing needs, needs we monitor and that will certainly change over time. Then, we study, vet and award grants to the nonprofits best equipped to tackle these important issues – and we do so in your fund's name.

New unrestricted funds:

Herskowitz Family Fund (Est. 2012) Established by Harriet and Herb Herskowitz, both retired college educators, to meet the community's changing needs.



PHILANTHROPY AT YOUR FINGERTIPS

At **www.yourcharitabledreams.org**, we offer everything you need to research and start your own charitable fund. From tax-smart giving options and planned giving calculators to philanthropy resources and tips for involving your advisor, it's all available online, any day, anytime. You can also talk to Margaret Medzie, vice president of development and donor engagement, at 330-376-8522.

DONOR-DIRECTED FUNDS

Thanks to our nearly 300 donor-directed fundholders, Akron Community Foundation is making charitable dreams come true – every day, everywhere – in Summit County and beyond. This year alone, grants from your donor-directed funds totaled nearly \$4.5 million for programs from the grassroots to nationwide.

Our 117 **corporate- and donor-advised** fundholders made the majority of our grants – more than \$3.07 million – ranging from \$100 to their alma mater to more than \$100,000 for Akron Children's Hospital. Many fundholders leveraged the community foundation's expertise and insight into the local nonprofit landscape through information sessions, tours of nonprofits and one-on-one information-sharing. Some even made grants to augment our discretionary funding. Our 63 **agency endowment funds** produced nearly \$430,000 in stable income for their nonprofit's charitable mission. Nearly \$70,000 helped the Humane Society of Greater Akron care for and protect underserved animals, while nearly \$30,000 helped the Brimfield Historical Society collect, preserve and exhibit artifacts from its township's past.

Through our 80 **designated funds**, fundholders helped their favorite charities to the tune of nearly \$1 million, including more than \$30,000 for St. Vincent Elementary School and the Salvation Army. We thank them for their generosity.

Photo courtesy of the Akron Beacon Journal

John Dotson cared about Akron. One of the nation's first African-American newspaper publishers, he had an eye for news and a heart for equality. He led the Akron Beacon Journal to a Pulitzer Prize-winning series on race relations, prompting President Bill Clinton to hold his first Town Hall on Race in Akron. A Millennium Fund for Children co-founder, John also started the Peggy and John Dotson Fund of Akron Community Foundation, supporting journalism and social justice initiatives. We lost John to lymphoma this year, but his legacy lives on forever through his donor-advised fund.



Acorn Fund Allan Family Fund Allard Family Fund Suzanne and Mitch Allen Family Fund Mark and Michele Allio Family Fund Sue and Mal Ames Fund Rennick and Dee Andreoli Family Fund Howard Atwood Family Fund (Est. 2009) Sandy K. and Mark S. Auburn Fund Steven Baach Charities Fund 🞐 Jody Bacon Fund (Est. 1999) Bailey-Culp Family Fund Marilyn and Tom H. Barrett Fund Belair Family Fund Suzanne C. and Charles L. Bond Family Fund Charles E. and Mary K. Booth Family Fund P Ann Amer Brennan Fund (Est. 1991) Thomas J. and Megan E. Bruno Family Fund H. Peter Burg Fund Cantine-Nora Family Fund Carlson Family Fund Deborah Ciraldo Memorial Fund CIU Fund Hugh Colopy Memorial Fund Dr. Milton N. Cooper and Family Fund Robert and Regina Cooper Family Fund Steven and Melissa Cox Family Fund Demas Fund Designated Gift Fund Jill and Carl Dietrich Fund Donae's Second Act Fund Peggy and John Dotson Fund Else Family Fund Bonnie L. and Ernest R. Estep Fund Lorraine G. and Donald R. Fair Fund Feth Family Fund Cheryl Anne Fischer Memorial Fund Ed and Dorothy Gaffney Family Fund GAR Fund 2 Jayne E. Garofalo Charitable Fund Giller Family Fund Donald L. and Clare G. Glaser Fund Thomas L. and Margaret M. Gower Fund Priscilla Graham Fund Guerrero and Duby Family Fund Hanselman/Myers Fund Dorothy Y. and Westi Hansen Fund Richard W. Hauman Family Fund Frank D. Heckel Fund Cathy Hilkert Fund David & Phyllis Hilkert Fund Mark Hilkert Fund Hudak Family Fund Judith and Clifford Isroff Fund



Dr. Tom and Mary Ann Jackson Fund Jacobs Family Fund Herbert A. and Jean S. Jones Charitable Trust Fund Margaret D. Kaufman Fund (Est. 1995) Brvan and Susan Kinnamon Family Fund Knight Foundation Donor Advised Fund Koblenzer Family Fund Merna and Edward Kormanik Fund Paul J. and Susan B. Kruder Family Fund LAD Fund Lake Pointe Fund Tom and Jeanne LaRose Fund Glenn and Karen Leppo Family Fund Eleanor and Roger Lindway Family Fund Robert W. and Paula S. Malone Family Fund Barbara D. Mathews Ladybug Fund Medina County Stephen H. and Nancy D. Eibling Fund Medina County Holland Group Fund Marc and Sharon Merklin Family Fund Merryweather Family Fund Robert A. and Jean C. Meyers Family Fund Millican Family Fund Mitten Fund Harvey and Kimberly Nelson Family Fund Gertrude F. Orr Trust Advised Fund Howard and Margaret Palmer Fund Jan and George Parry Fund Cindy and John T. Petures, Jr. Family Fund Peter Piglia Family Charitable Fund Ernest E. and Mary Kay Pouttu Fund Emma E. & Clarence A. Randall Fund Rapp/Homestead Fund of the Medina County Fund Read Family Fund B.W. Rogers Company Fund Saulino Family Fund

Schrank Family Fund Sandra F. Selby Fund John and Lorraine Shannon Family Fund Siess Family Fund Carl E. Snyder Innovation Fund SRS Fund (Est. 1996) Barbara Steinkerchner's Giving Legacy Fund (Est. 2011) Strayer Family Fund Tails of HOPE Fund Three Trees Fund TJM/VPM Fund David and Kathryn L. Unger Fund Urda Fund Schris and Kathleen M. VanDevere Fund (Est. 1993) Mary Varalli-Perry and John Perry Fund (Est. 2007) David R. and Cheryl L. Venarge Fund M. Catherine and David C. Vernon Fund Waite Family Fund Jerry H. Welty Family Fund Wilkinson-Gudikunst Designated Family Fund (Est. 2007) Robert E. and Judy Everett Wilson Fund (Est. 2010) Edith and Milt Wiskind Fund David L. and Margaret Scott Yeager Fund **Corporate-Advised Funds** Apple Growth Partners Community Outreach Charitable Giving Fund Buckingham, Doolittle & Burroughs Fund Fairlawn Rotary Club Advised Fund

Medical Mutual Community Investment Fund Medina County Westfield Group Fund

AGENCY ENDOWMENT FUNDS

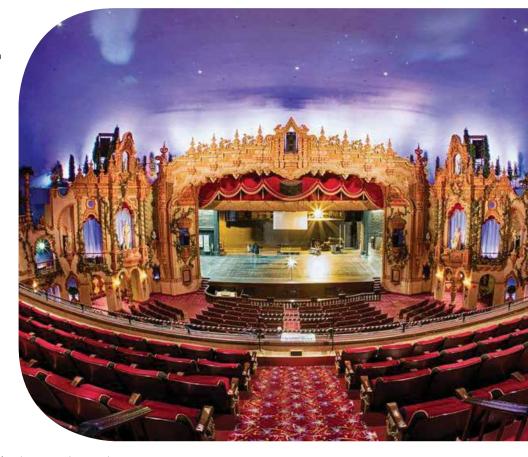
- Akron Community Service Center & Urban League Endowment Fund (Est. 2005)
- Akron Garden Club Endowment Fund (Est. 2003)
- Skron Garden Club Frank Fund (Est. 2003)
- Akron Garden Club Graves Fund (Est. 2003)
- Akron Garden Club Sewell Fund (Est. 2003)
- Akron Marathon Sustainability Fund

Akron-Summit County Public Library Endowment Fund

- Arc of Summit and Portage Counties Endowment Fund
- Autism Family Foundation Fund of Northeast Ohio
- Big Brothers & Sisters of Summit & Medina County Fund
- Black Keys Alfred McMoore Memorial Endowment Fund *Community Support Services*
- Brimfield Historical Society Fund
- Cascade Locks Park Association Endowment Fund
- Children's Concert Society of Akron Designated Fund
- Community Hall Foundation Endowment Fund (Est. 1999) Akron Civic Theatre
- Conservancy for Cuyahoga Valley National Park John and Betty Seiberling Scholarship Fund
- Conservancy for Cuyahoga Valley National Park Trails Forever Legacy Fund
- East Akron Neighborhood Development Corporation Designated Fund
- First Tee of Akron Endowment Fund
- Friends of 91.3 Endowment Fund
- Friends of the Stow-Munroe Falls Public Library Endowment Fund (Est. 2007)
- Gardeners of Greater Akron Endowment Fund
- Hale Farm and Village Endowment Fund
- Dr. Sandra Kay and Magdalyn E. Hausfeld Living Endowment Fund Crown Point Ecology Center
- Health Education Center Endowment Fund
- Kay Hoover Memorial Fund Highland Elementary School
- Humane Society Endowment Fund
- Judith Bear Isroff Park Fund
- Kidney Foundation of Medina County Community Fund (Est. 2007)
- Gretchen Laatsch Outstanding Service Award Endowment Fund
- Association of College Unions International Ladies Cemetery Association of Cuyahoga Falls
- Cemetery Chapel Endowment Fund Ladies Cemetery Association of Cuyahoga Falls
- Cemetery Endowment Fund
- Leadership Akron Endowment Fund (Est. 1999) Leadership Medina County Fund

- LeRoy United Methodist Church Designated Capital Fund
- LeRoy United Methodist Church Endowment Fund LeRoy United Methodist Church Undesignated
- Capital Fund
- Magical Theatre Company Endowment Fund (Est. 1999)
- MAPS Air Museum Endowment Fund (Est. 2012) Barbara Mathews Memorial Endowment
- Fund of Leadership Akron
- Medina County Arts Council Endowment Fund Medina County Society for the Prevention of
- Cruelty to Animals Endowment Fund Medina Creative Housing Endowment Fund
- Montrose Zion United Methodist Church Permanent Endowment Fund
- Music from The Western Reserve No. 2 Fund
- Ohio & Erie Canalway Coalition Endowment Fund Ohio Humanities Council Endowment Fund
- Our Lady of the Elms School Teachers Fund (Est. 2006)
- Portage Animal Protective League Endowment Fund
- Progress Through Preservation Endowment
- Fund (Est. 2006)

- St. Hilary Parents' Teachers Salary Fund
- St. Hilary Parish Foundation Mary & Charles Booth Community Outreach Fund (Est. 2005)
- St. Hilary Parish Foundation School Endowment Fund
- St. Hilary Parish Foundation School Technology Designated Fund
- St. Hilary School Mary Jean Carroll Endowment Fund of the St. Hilary Parish Foundation
- St. Vincent DePaul Society at St. Hilary Church Endowment Fund
- Society for Handicapped Citizens of Medina County Fund
- Margaret Thorp Crown Point Development Endowment Fund
- Unitarian Universalist Church of Akron Foundation Endowment Fund
- United Way of Summit County Endowment Fund
- United Way of Summit County Facility Fund
- Witan Endowment Fund (Est. 1993)
 Witan Remembrance Fund
- Metro Parks, Serving Summit County F.A. Seiberling Nature Realm



DESIGNATED FUNDS

AHOPES Endowment Fund (Est. 1997) Arlington Women of the Church of God outreach program Akron Digital Media Center Designated Fund

- Andrew Jackson House Student Art Exhibit Fund Battered Women's Shelter Endowment
- Fund (Est. 1999) Battered Women's Shelter Operating
- Endowment Fund (Est. 2006)
- 🞐 Beacon Journal Charity Fund (Est. 1999)
- Beacon of Light Initiatives/Sgt. Brandon Allen Memorial Fund (Est. 2012) Woodridge School District
- Black Tiger Gridiron Alumni Club Fund Cuyahoga Falls High School football
- Mary K. Booth Endowment Fund of the Women's Endowment Fund (Est. 2011)
- Boy Scouts of America, Great Trail Council Endowment Fund (Est. 2006)
- Boys and Girls Clubs Operating Endowment Fund (Est. 2006)
- BVU: Center for Nonprofit Excellence Endowment Fund (Est. 2000)
- Caliber System Fund (AKA Roadway Services Fund) United Way of Summit County
- Oty Capanna Memorial Fund St. Paul School's endowment fund
- P Margaret T. Carroll Memorial Fund (Est. 1997)
- Senter for Learning Fund (Est. 1993)
- Dick and Chris Chenoweth Boys and Girls Clubs of the Western Reserve Fund *Merit-based scholarships*
- Richard Chenoweth Akron Community Service Center & Urban League Fund *Colleae scholarships*
- Children's Ballet Theatre/Paul Daum Endowment Fund (Est. 2006)
- Children's Concert Society of Akron Endowment Fund (Est. 1999)
- Christ Child Society of Akron Endowment Fund (Est. 2008)
- Community Hall Foundation Maintenance Endowment Fund (Est. 2001)
- Consortium of Akron Area Catholic High Schools

Walsh Jesuit High School, St. Vincent-St. Mary High School, Archbishop Hoban High School and Our Lady of the Elms High School

Michael Corbett Memorial Fund for Akron Children's Hospital

Hematology-oncology division of Akron Children's Hospital Cornwell Dealers Katrina Disaster Fund

- Cuyahoga Valley Preservation and Scenic Railway Association Fund (Est. 1996)
- P Cuyahoga Valley Youth Ballet Fund (Est. 1989)
- Edward S. Gaffney, Sr., Family Fund for Akron Art Museum (Est. 2005)
- Edward S. Gaffney, Sr., Family Fund for Akron Children's Hospital (*Est. 2005*)
- Edward S. Gaffney, Sr., Family Fund for Akron Christ Child Society (Est. 2005)

- Edward S. Gaffney, Sr., Family Fund for Blossom Music Center (Est. 2005)
- Edward S. Gaffney, Sr., Family Fund for Old Trail School (*Est. 2005*)
- Edward S. Gaffney, Sr., Family Fund for Stan Hywet Hall and Gardens (Est. 2005)
- Edward S. Gaffney, Sr., Family Fund for Summit County United Way (Est. 2005)
- I Good Neighbors Endowment Fund (Est. 1995)
- Greater Akron Chamber Endowment
- Sandra L. and Dennis B. Haslinger Family Foundation Fund *Cuyahoga Valley Scenic Railroad, Saint Lucie*
- Sound passenger coach Howland Park Fund
- Glendale Cemetery
- HPSEF Development Fund Hudson City School District
- HPSEF Memorial & Tribute Fund Hudson City School District
- Hudson School Dorothea Snyder Partners in Education Fund
- Hudson City School District's Innovation in Teaching Program
- Rodney J. Humphrey Memorial Fund (Est. 1997) Salvation Army Akron Citadel
- Jacob James Ivancic Huth Memorial Fund Green Intermediate School library
- Geraldine Hyser Memorial Fund (Est. 2006) Evamere Elementary School reading programs
- Interval Brotherhood Homes Endowment Fund (Est. 1997)
- Akron Men's Chapter No. 36, Izaak Walton League of America Fund
- Junior Achievement of Akron Area Endowment Fund (Est. 1997)
- Juvenile Court Fund (Est. 1989)
- Jessie and Abram Kipple "Making a Difference" Scholarship Fund (Est. 1996) University of Akron Foundation
- Knight Foundation Non-Profit Initiative Fund BVU: Center for Nonprofit Excellence
- Seadership Akron Endowment Fund (GAR) (Est. 2000)
- Karen C. Lefton Endowment Fund for Survivors of Domestic Violence of the Women's Endowment Fund (*Est. 2011*)
- Litchfield Fund (Est. 1971) Planned Parenthood of Northeast Ohio
- Loyola of the Lakes Jesuit Retreat House Inc. Endowment Fund (Est. 1998)
- Lynch Fund
- McIntosh-Jackson Fund (Est. 1969) Clinton Presbyterian Church
- Metro Catholic Parish School Fund (Est. 1993)
- Metro Parks Youth Fishing Endowment Fund (Est. 2006)
- Metro Parks, Serving Summit County Charles D. Miller Leadership Fund
- Hudson City School District's leadership development program
- In Music from The Western Reserve Fund (Est. 1993)



- 🖤 National Invention Center Fund (Est. 1994)
- Ohio Vietnam Veterans' Memorial Park Endowment Fund (Est. 2009)
- Opportunity Parish Ecumenical Neighborhood Ministry Endowment Fund (Est. 1998)
- Paige Palmer-Ashbaugh Fund for Akron Children's Hospital (Est. 2007) Maxillofacial department of Akron Children's Hospital
- Project: LEARN of Summit County Endowment Fund (Est. 1998)
- Robertson-Hoyt Orthopaedic Research and Education Fund Summa Health System Musculoskeletal Research Laboratory
- Lillian and William Rosenblatt Fund (Est. 2012) Women's Endowment Fund of Akron Community Foundation
- St. Matthew Lutheran Church Benevolent Fund of the Medina County Community Fund (Est. 2006)
- William C. and Elizabeth Brainard Sandwick Fund (Est. 2007) Akron Art Museum
- Shaw Memorial Fund (Est. 1955) Akron Art Museum
- Bruce and Peggy Silver Fund Old Trail School and Akron Community Foundation's Community Fund
- Mignon Steere Fund for Conservancy for Cuyahoga Valley National Park Environmental Education (Est. 2010)
- Summit Education Initiative Fund (Est. 1995)
- Summit Education Initiative Program Fund (Est. 1997)
- Victory Gallop Inc. Endowment Fund (Est. 2004)
- Volunteer Center of Summit County Endowment Fund (Est. 1996)
- Wadsworth High School/Community Center Campus Pass Through Fund
- Ted and Barb Walter Catholic Education Fund (Est. 2009)
 - St. Vincent Elementary School
- Weathervane Community Playhouse Fund (Est. 1993)
- Robert E. and Judy Everett Wilson Designated Fund (Est. 2011)

Millennium Fund for Children of Akron Community Foundation and Mobile Meals

DONOR-DIRECTED GRANTS

Thanks to our corporate/donor-advised, agency endowment and designated fundholders for \$4.47 million in grants to:

Act II Productions DBA: The Illusion Factory \$2,820 Adaptive Sports Program of Ohio \$3,000

Akron Art Museum \$21,014

Akron Bar Association Foundation \$1,000

Akron Blind Center & Workshop Inc. \$480

Akron-Canton Regional Foodbank \$20,900

Akron Children's Hospital Foundation \$104,850

Akron Community Foundation Akron Marathon Sustainability Fund \$38,500

Akron Community Foundation Board of Directors Annual Giving Fund \$1,500

Akron Community Foundation Community Fund \$350

Akron Community Foundation Millennium Fund for Children \$11,471

Akron Community Foundation St. Mary Urban Education Endowment Fund \$2,000

Akron Community Foundation Torchbearers Endowment Fund \$25,000

Akron Community Foundation Women's Endowment Fund \$52,547

Akron Community Service Center & Urban League \$91,850

Akron Garden Club of Ohio Inc. \$100

Akron General Foundation \$102,600

Akron Public Schools \$6,500

Akron Regional Development Board Educational Fund \$15,000

Akron Rotary Camp for Children With Special Needs Inc. \$121,206

Akron Rotary Foundation \$300

Akron Roundtable \$4,840

Alchemy Inc. \$1,000

Alex's Lemonade Stand Foundation \$375

Altrusa International of Akron Foundation Inc. \$500

Alzheimer's Association Greater East Ohio Chapter \$100

Alzheimer's Disease & Related Disorders Association \$2,850

American Cancer Society Inc. \$2,850 American Friends of the Israel Museum \$250 American Friends Service Committee \$650 American Heart Association Inc. \$10.500 **American Red Cross** \$5,000 American Red Cross of Summit & Portage Counties \$2,800 Apollo's Fire The Cleveland Baroque Orchestra \$600 Archbishop Hoban High School \$11,225 Arc of Summit & Portage Counties Inc. \$7,395 Arlington Church of God Inc. \$1,372 Association of College Unions International \$400 **Aultman Foundation** \$100 Autism Family Foundation of Northeast Ohio \$250 Avon Theatre Film Center Inc. \$1,000 **Barrier Island Parks Society Inc.** \$200 **Bath United Church of Christ** \$11.200 **Battered Women's Shelter** \$12.318 **Beacon Journal Charity Fund Inc.** \$6,281 **Beth El Congregation** \$100,000

Big Brothers-Big Sisters of Northeast Ohio \$500 Big Brothers & Sisters of Summit & Medina Counties Inc. \$30,000 **BioInnovation Institute in Akron** \$83.000 **Black Diamond Foundation** \$150 **Blessings in a Backpack** \$8,000 Bluecoats Inc. \$2.350 **Boca Grande Area Chamber of Commerce** Scholarship Fund Inc. \$400 **Boca Grande Health Clinic Foundation Inc.** \$7,000 **Boca Grande Historical Society** \$300 **Boca Grande United Methodist Church** \$1,350 Boy Scouts of America, Great Trail Council \$59,466 Boys & Girls Clubs of the Western Reserve Inc. \$48,939 **Bridges Out of Poverty Summit County** Collaborative \$25,000 Brigham & Women's Hospital Inc. \$250 **Brimfield Historical Society** \$28,736 **Brooklyn Heights Montessori School** \$200 **Building for Tomorrow** \$5,000 **BVU: The Center for Nonprofit Excellence** \$68,583



DONOR-DIRECTED GRANTS

Cafe of Life Inc. \$200 Camp Quality USA Incorporated - Ohio \$200 **Cascade Locks Park Association** \$200 **Catholic Community Foundation** \$1.000 The Catholic Worker of Akron \$1,000 **Cato Institute** \$100 **Center for Learning** \$1,792 **Central Summit County Choral Society** \$200 **CEOs for Cities NFP** \$20,000 Chicago Public Media Inc. \$10,000 Child Guidance & Family Solutions Inc. \$36,500 **Children's Concert Society of Akron** \$18,801 **Children's Hospital Medical Center of Akron** \$254.002 **Choate Rosemary Hall Foundation Inc.** \$7,000 **Christ Child Society of Akron** \$5,889 Cincinnati Ballet Company Inc. \$3,000 **City of Akron** \$15,000 **City Club of Cleveland** \$26,150 **Cleveland Clinic Foundation** \$8.000 **Cleveland Leadership Center** \$5,000 **Cleveland Museum of Art** \$1,000 **Clinton Presbyterian Church** \$6,306 **Communities in Schools of Brunswick** County Inc. \$1.000 **Community Hall Foundation Inc. DBA: Akron Civic Theatre** \$116,446 **Community Outreach Resources Exchange** \$5,000 **Conservancy for Cuyahoga Valley National Park** \$35,778 **Cornell University** \$100 **Crown Point Ecology Center** \$46.475 **Cuyahoga Valley Art Center** \$2,500

Cuyahoga Valley Countryside Conservancy

\$49.206

David Lynch Foundation \$2,000 Deette Holden Cummer Museum Foundation Inc. \$1,500 **Diocese of St. Augustine** \$10.000 **Diversity Center of Northeast Ohio** \$36 845 **Door County Land Trust Inc.** \$1.000 Downtown Akron Partnership Inc. \$10.000 **Elves & More of Northeast Ohio** \$3,500 Entrepreneurs Edge Inc. \$2.340 **Fairlawn Community Foundation** \$250 Fairlawn Country Club Foundation a Non Profit Corporation \$250 Fairlawn Lutheran Church \$300 Family and Community Services of Portage County Inc. \$100 Family Promise of Summit County Inc. \$2,500 First Book \$271 **First Congregational Church of Akron** \$1.000 First Glance Student Center Inc. \$5.000 **First Presbyterian Church** \$2,000 First Presbyterian Church of Bonita Springs \$8,000 First United Methodist Church \$23.000 Florida Gulf Coast University Foundation Inc. \$150 Food For The Poor Inc. \$750 Friends of 91.3 \$100 Friends of Boca Grande Community Center Inc. \$1.000 Friends of Breakthrough Schools \$1,000 Friends of the Library-Ponte Vedra Beach Inc. \$500 **Furnace Street Mission** \$2,500

Cuyahoga Valley Preservation and Scenic

Railway Association

Cuyahoga Valley Youth Ballet

Cystic Fibrosis Foundation

\$4.962

\$438

\$500



Gasparilla Island Conservation and Improvement Association Inc. \$500 Gasparilla Island Maritime Museum Inc. \$100 George Snow Scholarship Fund Inc. \$800 **Girl Scouts of North East Ohio** \$200 Golden Treasures Golden Retriever Rescue \$750 Good Neighbors Inc. \$1,300 Good Samaritan Hunger Center Inc. \$6.100 **Good Shepherd Athletic Club** \$1,000 Greater Akron Musical Association Inc. \$9,350 **Greater Lansing Food Bank** \$1.000 **Green Intermediate School** \$721 **Greenleaf Family Center** \$5.700 Guidestone \$4,769 Habitat for Humanity International Inc. \$2,750 Habitat for Humanity Lee County \$2,000 Habitat for Humanity of Summit County Inc. \$600 Hartville Homes Inc. DBA: GentleBrook \$5.000 The Haven Inc. \$1,450 Haven of Rest Ministries Inc. \$2,200 He Brought Us Out Ministry \$1,000 Health Education Center of Akron Inc. \$40,000 Heart to Heart Communications Inc. \$10,000 Heifer International \$1,000

DONOR-DIRECTED GRANTS

Hope Homes Inc. \$300 Hospice Care Ohio DBA: Hospice of Visiting Nurse Service \$500 Hudson City School District \$4,968 Humane Society of Greater Akron \$112,450 **Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish School** \$5,000 Indian River Area Library \$250 Institute for Justice and Journalism \$1.000 Intercambio Uniting Communities \$4,200 International Institute of Akron Inc. \$3,100 International Soap Box Derby Inc. \$35,000 International Women's Air and Space Museum Inc. \$2,500 Interval Brotherhood Homes Corporation \$8,845 Invent Now Inc. \$55,463 Island School \$1,000 Island School Foundation Inc. \$500 Jewish Family and Community Services of Southwest Florida \$1.000 Johann Fust Community Library Inc. \$400 Jumpstart for Young Children Inc. \$5,000 Junior Achievement of North Central Ohio Inc. \$7,476 Junior Achievement of South Florida Inc. \$590 **Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation** \$200



Kabbalah Centre International Inc. \$1.800 Kansas State University Foundation \$25.000 Kappa Alpha Theta Foundation \$400 Keep Akron Beautiful \$1.300 Kent State University Foundation \$15,500 Leadership Akron \$101,500 Leadership Medina County \$1.451 League of Women Voters of the Akron Area Education Fund \$500 Lee Memorial Health System Foundation Inc. \$2,000 Let's Grow Akron Inc. \$100 Life Education Fund \$1,000 The Lippman School \$1,000 The Living Desert \$500 Louise Dupont Crowninshield Community House Inc. \$400 Love Akron \$5,000 Loyola of the Lakes Jesuit Retreat House Inc. \$4,791 Lutheran World Relief Inc. \$2,750 Magical Theatre Company \$3,200 Mainstay Life Services \$100 McDonald Board of Education \$5,000 Medina County Park District \$347,500 Medina County Society for the Prevention of **Cruelty to Animals** \$2,500 Metro Catholic Parish School \$720 Metro Parks, Serving Summit County \$21,848 Miami University \$2,500 Michigan State University \$500 **Minnesota Humane Society** \$1,000 Mission4Maureen \$250 Mobile Meals Inc. \$992

\$10.570 **Montville Township Police Department** \$11,667 Mount Holyoke College \$100 Multiple Sclerosis Foundation Inc. \$200 **Music From the Western Reserve** \$2,603 **Musical Arts Association DBA: The Cleveland** Orchestra \$411 **National Christ Child Society** \$1.000 National Multiple Sclerosis Society \$5,750 National Right to Work Legal Defense & Education Foundation Inc. \$500 Northeast Ohio Medical University Foundation \$50,500 Northern Michigan Regional Health System Foundation \$10,000 Northern Ohio Childrens Performing Music Foundation Inc. \$750 **Oak Clinic** \$50,000 **Ohio CPA Foundation** \$800 **Ohio & Erie Canal Corridor Coalition** \$10,100 **Ohio Foundation of Independent Colleges Inc.** \$960 **Ohio Grantmakers Forum** \$7,000 **Ohio State University Foundation** \$500 **Ohio Vietnam Veterans Memorial Park** \$1,824 **Ohio Wesleyan University** \$1.000 **Old Trail School** \$46,199 **One Family Fund** \$1,800 One of a Kind Pet Rescue Inc. \$1,100 **Opportunity Parish Ecumenical Neighborhood** Ministry \$24,326 Our Lady of the Elms School – Middle & High School \$6 225 Our Lady of Mercy Parish DBA: Boca Grande **Child Care Center** \$400 Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church \$20,000

Montrose Zion United Methodist Church



and Training DBA: Silver Bay YMCA

Sodexo Foundation Inc.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Beaches Conference

\$125

\$1.000

Partners Healthcare System Inc. DBA: Massachusetts General Hospital \$200 Peninsula Valley Historic & Education Foundation Inc. \$500 **Phi Delta Theta Foundation** \$5,300 Phi Gamma Delta Educational Foundation \$200 Philharmonic Center for the Arts Inc. \$5.000 **Planned Parenthood of Greater Ohio** \$5.782 **Poll Watchers Organization Incorporated** \$250 **Portage Animal Protective League** \$800 Pregnancy Care of Summit County Inc. \$1.000 **Presbyterian Homes and Services** \$1,250 **Project GRAD Akron** \$10,000 **Project LEARN of Summit County** \$4.917 **Regents of the University of Michigan** \$500 **Revere Road Synagogue** \$100,000 **Riverwalk Jazz** \$15,000 **Ronald McDonald House Charities of** Columbia SC \$250 Ronald McDonald House of Mid-Michigan Inc. \$250 **Running For Parkinsons** \$1,000 St. Cloud Citizens Foundation \$1.000 St. Matthew Evangelical Lutheran Church \$32,000 Saint Sebastian Catholic Church \$12,500 St. Thomas Aquinas Parish \$1,000 St. Vincent Catholic Church \$17,000 St. Vincent Elementary School \$30,135 St. Vincent-St. Mary High School \$121.275 The Salvation Army \$40,587 **Shelby County Historical Society** \$7,500 **Shriners Hospitals for Children** \$1,977

\$2,500 **South Street Ministries** \$4.860 Southport Oak Island Animal Rescue \$500 Southport Oak Island Interchurch Fellowship \$1,000 Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens Inc. \$5,261 Summa Foundation \$143,100 Summa Health System \$5,000 Summit County Historical Society of Akron Ohio \$34,480 **Summit Education Initiative** \$361.016 Sumner on Ridgewood Inc. \$200 Susan G. Komen For the Cure \$2 875 **Tides Center** \$250 Tri-County Independent Living Center Inc. \$125 **Trinity Lutheran Church** \$300 **Trust for Public Land** \$100 **Tuesday Musical Association** \$12.350 **UJA Federation of Greenwich** \$250 United Way of Collier County Inc. \$3,000 United Way of Lee County \$10,000 United Way of South Sarasota County \$550 United Way of Summit County \$178,520 University of Akron Foundation \$80 260 University of Mount Union \$100 **University Parish Newman Center** \$1 000 **Urban Impact Foundation** \$10.000 V Dove-Coleman Foundation \$1.000 Victim Assistance Program Inc. \$500



Victory Gallop Inc. \$4,413 Walsh Jesuit High School \$12.325 Weathervane Community Playhouse Inc. \$8.012 Weill Cornell Medical College \$500 Western Reserve Academy \$400 Western Reserve Historical Society \$1.500 Western Reserve Land Conservancy \$2,000 Westminster Presbyterian Church \$100 WITAN \$6,979 Woodridge Local Schools \$5.000 YMCA of Akron Ohio \$6,700 Youngstown State University \$250 Youngstown State University Foundation \$1,000 Youth Challenge \$500 Youth Opportunities Unlimited \$2,500

SCHOLARSHIP FUN

Thanks to the families, schools and businesses with scholarship funds at Akron Community Foundation, together, we awarded more than \$245,000 this year to help area students pursue their educational dreams.

In 1990, Donald Barlow established the Hudson Public Schools Endowment Fund to benefit the system's seven schools and their students. Today, the Hudson Public Schools Endowment Fund includes more than a dozen individual scholarship funds that awarded a total of \$117,700 this year to deserving students. These scholarships benefited 40 of Hudson's best and brightest, from star athletes on the lacrosse, baseball and football teams to students who encouraged diversity and tolerance among their peers.

Other Akron Community Foundation scholarship

funds awarded \$127,395 this year to 86 students from a wide variety of backgrounds and interests - from grade schoolers to college students, and from marbles champions to orchestra maestros. Some funds helped students who graduated from the establisher's alma mater, such as the University of Akron or Akron Public Schools. Others helped make it easier for employees of local companies like Akron Paint & Varnish to send children, grandchildren - or even themselves - to college. These students and the community thank you.

When Judy Resnik became the second woman in space, girls all over greater Akron thought, "Someday that could be me." A West Akron native, Judy was one of us, a hard-working hometown girl who made the giant leap from Firestone Falcon to foremost female engineer. Judy lost her life aboard the Space Shuttle Challenger, but the Women's Network of Akron was determined to keep her spirit alive with the Judith A. Resnik Scholarship Fund of Akron Community Foundation. Thanks to them, females pursuing science and engineering degrees can get the lift they need to reach for the stars.



HUDSON PUBLIC SCHOOLS SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

We appreciate the following residents and organizations of Hudson for helping young people succeed. If you are a Hudson student looking to take the next step educationally, visit **www.hudson.edu/schools/hhs/guidance/scholarships** to view deadlines and applications. If you have questions, contact the Hudson High School Department of Guidance and Counseling at 330-653-1420.

Marion Albee Scholarship Fund

Seniors pursuing an education degree *Lee Idoine*

Barlow Fund

Students who demonstrate academic ability, leadership and high moral standards Geneva Augustin Anisha Basu Evan Bosman lan Broderick Priyakrit Chari Haley Coleman Michael Custer Megan Donnan Connor Eulbera Rylee Fitzgerald Lauren France Taylor Kelly Stephanie Lee Kimberly Longfellow Allison Loughry Joseph Maggio Michael Mahan Bonnie Mailey Katie Margevich Phillip Moore Kerry Reilly Sarah Rense Brandon Russo Adam Stiles Emily Sturrsma Adam Swing Sean Szoch

Helen Barlow Art Scholarship Fund

Seniors who plan to study drawing, painting or graphic arts Hunter Custer

Harry D. Bubb Scholarship Fund

Seniors with the greatest academic improvement between their sophomore and senior years *Kaitlyn Carlson*

Arthur Caniglia Scholarship Fund

Vocational students who plan to attend Kent State University *Emily Delsanter*

Scott Case Memorial Fund

Tennis team members Katherine Wiley Zachary Winslow

Les Dingledine Memorial Scholarship Fund

Baseball and softball players Casey Brown William Stribrny



Rosemary Gibbes Memorial Scholarship Fund

Seniors who improve human relations and diversity awareness Dani Kokochak

Hudson Bicentennial Scholarship Fund

Students with exemplary community service and at least a 3.0 GPA *Katherine Wiley*

Raymond Marshall Hyser Sr. Memorial Scholarship Fund

Hudson High School student athletes who display team pride and sportsmanship, and academic and athletic excellence *Casey McHenry C.J. Tosino*

Pauline Klupinski Memorial Scholarship Fund

Special education students *Hunter Custer*

Dante B. Lavelli Athletic Academic Scholarship Fund

Senior football players who exhibit leadership Marc Trommer

Burton D. Morgan Foundation Scholarship Fund

Students who have demonstrated leadership and an entrepreneurial spirit *Martin Haas*

June Young Pak Memorial Scholarship Fund

Seniors on the lacrosse team Connor Locke

Stevenson Award Fund

Students who accomplish significant intellectual endeavors beyond the curriculum Haley Coleman

AKRON COMMUNITY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

Thanks to the following funds and beneficiaries for making higher education a priority. You, too, can apply for a scholarship. Just visit **www.akroncf.org/scholarships** to view applications, guidelines and deadlines. Or, contact Diane Schumaker, donor services officer, at 330-436-5615 or dschumaker@akroncf.org for more information.

AAUW of Medina County Scholarship Fund

Female nontraditional students in Medina County pursuing higher education *Nicole Laramee-Dannery Megan Welsh*

Acorn Scholarship Fund

Akron Public Schools seniors, particularly visual and performing arts participants Raven Burdette Andrew Genemans Camari Lewis Dannysha Luna Matthew Roberts Zachary Spannbauer Andrew Wurtz

Richard L. Averitte Memorial Scholarship Fund

Akron-area seniors who participate in music and social service programs *April Tidd*

Black Tiger Gridiron Alumni Club

Scholarship Fund Cuyahoga Falls High School football players Richard Malloy April Tidd Kristen Whaley

Buchtel High School Alumni Assoc.

Scholarship Fund Buchtel High School students, student athletes and post-secondary/technology program participants

Martin O. Chapman Humanitarian Scholarship Fund

Garfield Senior High School graduating seniors

Richard Chenoweth Qualified Designated Scholarship Fund

Summit County students in financial need

Coming Together Diversity Scholarship Fund Leadership diversity scholarships for Akron Public

Schools high school students Natasha Williams

Michael Corbett Memorial Fund

Students graduating from Cuyahoga Falls High School Anna Lemmon Colin Taylor

Dirk J. Desanzo Memorial Scholarship Fund

High school seniors who are children of Technicote employees Charles Gordon Leslie Rush Sara Tilley Mee Vue

Legacy Funds, or funds that were designed by their founders to grow in perpetuity.

Dombo-Fielder Communication Scholarship for Women

Female graduates of Akron public or parochial high schools studying communication Meghan Caprez Travis Cruse Laura Faverty

John N. Economou Scholarship Fund

University of Akron students who are committed to the principles of democracy

Roland E. Gamble Memorial Fund

Hudson Public Schools students in band, orchestra or choir Susan Washko

Ann Lane Gates Scholarship Fund

Project GRAD participants majoring in education at the University of Akron Deon Coleman

Erwin & Katherine Geis Scholarship Fund

Geis Companies employees and their children Alyssa Kmet Ian Lashua Danielle Schillero

Glick-Zedak Scholarship Fund

Former Village Network residents attending a trade school or college K'Marr Cooper Totyanna Johnson O'Neal Pointer Jr.

Hanlon Family Scholarship Fund

St. Sebastian School graduates who will attend St. Vincent-St. Mary High School Chad Kanakkanatt Gabrielle Yarbrough

Morgan Hasbrouck 4-H Scholarship Fund

Summit or Portage County 4-H members Sarah Briggs Kayla Renicker Emma Vargo

Abby Lipply Memorial Scholarship Fund

Hudson seniors who have demonstrated passionate support for a cause or person Wesley Mersin Katherine Wiley



AKRON COMMUNITY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

Litchfield Community Scholarship Fund

Litchfield Township residents who are graduating from Buckeye High School Logan Bryant Caitlin West

Joan Lutz Scholarship Fund

Hudson High School seniors pursuing college or vocational training *Patricia Reed*

Scott T. Malson Memorial Scholarship Fund

Hudson High School seniors who participated in the Hudson Hawks Youth Football program *Michael Custer Christopher Rightnour*

Marbles Champions Scholarship Fund

Marbles Tournament winners James Coleman Zane Lutz Matthew Olszewski

Frank Meadows Scholarship Fund

Ellet High School seniors Tyler Stanley

Medina Sunrise Rotary Fund

Medina County seniors with excellent character, academics and community service Paige Cremeans Haley Daugherty Samantha Francis Christa Haston

North Coast Society Scholarship Fund

North Coast Society Club employees and their children Nathan Fulmer Tyler Karras Lauren Kingsley Victoria McMillan David Petrovic Caela Reis Olivia Walter Jacqueline Zamborsky Lauren Zamborsky

Esther Simonetti Owen Future Educators Scholarship Fund

Akron Public Schools students pursuing an education degree

Northeast Ohio RIMS Chapter

Scholarship Fund (Est. 2009) Northeast Ohio residents studying risk management

Anne K. Petry Scholarship Fund (Est. 1997)

Akron Public Schools seniors pursuing a special education degree *Courtney Waldsmith*

Bettie Portwood Summit County Pest Control Association Scholarship Fund

Children of Summit County Pest Control Association members studying entomology *Tyler Olds*

Dr. Margo S. Prade Memorial Scholarship Fund First-year medical students or undergraduate

college seniors pursuing a medical degree

Sr. Loretta Rafter Scholarship Fund H.M. Life Opportunity Services program participants

Carolyn Stokes Reed Scholarship Fund

Akron Public Schools seniors pursuing an education degree

Judith A. Resnik Scholarship Fund of the Women's Network Inc.

Young women pursuing scientific or engineering careers

Ruocco-Hudson Small Group Instruction Scholarship Fund

Special education students at Hudson High School Issac Pouliot

T.K. Seiberling Tennis Scholarship Fund Tennis camp scholarships

Joseph P. Siegferth Sr. and Family Fund

Akron Public Schools, Archbishop Hoban High School or Woodridge High School seniors pursuing an elementary education, K-12 physical education or sports management degree at Bowling Green State University

Faye L. Smith Memorial Scholarship Fund

Winners of the Cuyahoga Falls-Akron-Barberton Elks Lodge Most Valuable Student Competition Joseph Baker Leah Blachaniec Nathan Hill Alanna Rufe Victoria Yang

John T. and Julia A. Spellman Scholarship Fund

Students who demonstrate ambition and financial need Andrew Brinkerhoff Aries Brown Shana DeBerte Kristen Giaquinto Daniel Kennedy John Krznaric Melissa Marmaduke

Jim Stewart Scholarship Fund

African-American Akron Public Schools students pursuing a degree in math, science or mortuary science



Michelle M. Vasenda Fund

Students pursuing a nursing degree Meghan Bartlebaugh

David R. Venarge Scholarship Fund

Employees of Akron Paint & Varnish and their children *Terry Carpenter II David Cunningham Christina Collart Kaitlin Hindinger Kathy Hullum Jasmine Jaynes Brianne Kelley Paige Marty Lindsey Ritenour Anna Roe Marissa Summers*

Witan Presidents' Scholarship Fund

Female University of Akron seniors who demonstrate academic excellence and financial need Barbara Bell

Vincent Yambrovich Engineering

Scholarship Fund Buckeye High School seniors pursuing an engineering degree

DISCRETIONARY FUNDS

Thanks to our discretionary fundholders, the community foundation and the charitable people of greater Akron are meeting key community challenges. This year, we convened hundreds of partners and made \$2.63 million in total grants to strengthen big ideas, vulnerable populations and targeted regions with high-impact initiatives and grants.

Our forward-thinking unrestricted funds and boarddiscretionary field-of-interest funds made \$1.87 million in grants for vital community programs in the arts, civic affairs, health and human services, and education. Their reach can be felt all over Summit County in the form of summer concerts and festivals, free clinics, food distribution, and early learning programs.

Our committee-driven field-of-interest funds supported causes as diverse as their establishers. Grants range from improving the environment and encouraging community gardening to preventing drug and alcohol abuse and helping people with disabilities. A total of \$540.858 honored their fundholders' charitable intent and permanent legacy.

Our geographic- and issue-specific initiative funds received broad financial support thanks to donors from all walks of life. This strong public backing helped to fund more than \$220,000 in grants that encourage equality for racial minorities, women, girls, and our local LGBT community. Others support grassroots children's programs and improve Medina County's quality of life.

When the curtain fell on the Ohio Ballet, access to quality dance programming hung in the balance. Funding was key to attracting high-level talent to Summit County. To protect the intent of two fundholders, the community foundation argued before the Ohio Supreme Court to redirect funding from the defunct ballet to other programs that would keep dance accessible to local residents. Thanks to that bold move, greater Akron has enjoyed nearly \$400,000 in support for cutting-edge and community dance from the John S. and James L. Knight Foundation and GAR Foundation funds for dance in Summit County.





GAY COMMUNITY ENDOWMENT FUND

The Gay Community Endowment Fund champions equality and inclusiveness, and rallies the local lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender community around a common philanthropic cause. Thanks to grants totaling \$26,683, programs that positively impact the local LGBT community, as well as greater Akron, can continue their good work. The Gay Community Endowment Fund will accept grant applications Aug. 15 – Sept. 15, 2014. For more information or to view the application questions, visit www.akroncf.org/applyGCEF.

Battered Women's Shelter

To educate teens and adults about same-sex domestic violence and sexual assault, \$1,500

Domestic Violence Project Inc.

To provide emergency shelter for victims of same-sex domestic violence, \$1,500

Fair Housing Contact Service Inc.

To study housing discrimination against LGBT individuals in Akron, \$4,000

Friends of 91.3

For equipment to broadcast KIDJAM!, a digital radio station offering positive music and educational programming, at seven youth service sites in Summit County, \$2,400

Fusion Magazine

For a marketing campaign to expand the reach of Kent State University's LGBT-focused magazine, \$3,000

Jewish Family Service of Akron Ohio

For counseling and support groups for LGBT senior citizens, \$5,000

Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays in Northeast Ohio Inc.

To purchase educational materials that answer questions and provide support for families and friends of LGBT individuals, \$783

University of Akron Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender Union

To send 10 students to the 2013 National Gay and Lesbian Task Force Creating Change Conference, \$5,000

Weathervane Community Playhouse Inc.

For "Next Fall," a comedy about issues that arise in the long-term relationships of gay men, \$3,500



MEDINA COUNTY COMMUNITY FUND

Thanks to \$30,500 in grants from the Medina County Community Fund, 13 organizations are improving the cultural, educational, health and civic well-being of a county rich with history. Together, they are fulfilling the fund's mission to enhance the quality of life of Medina County residents – now and in the future. The Medina County Community Fund will accept grant applications Jan. 28 – Feb. 28, 2014. For more information or to view the application questions, visit www.akroncf.org/applyMCCF.

Cassidy's Hope Foundation

For From the Heart, a program that provides financial assistance to families struggling with childhood cancer, \$2,000

The Children's Center of Medina County

For Darkness to Light, a training program to prevent child sexual abuse, \$2,250

Easter Seal Society of Northeast Ohio

For a vegetable gardening project to build independent living skills in adults with disabilities, \$500

Feeding Medina County

To teach low-income residents how to grow and harvest their own food, \$1,500

Kidney Foundation of Medina County Inc.

To provide medication and services to renal patients in need, \$2,500

Medina County Arts Council Inc.

To support free Arts Week concerts featuring Medina County performers, \$1,000

Medina Creative Housing Inc.

To provide vocational training for individuals with disabilities at the Doggie Day Care, \$6,000

Medina Health Ministry

For free mammograms, gynecological exams and other wellness services for uninsured, working women, \$6,500

Mobile Meals Inc.

To deliver meals to residents in need, \$2,250

Oaks Family Care Center

For in-school programs that focus on preventing sexual abuse, drug and alcohol use, bullying and peer pressure, \$1,000

Ohio Regional Music Arts Cultural Outreach

For "Jazz Under the Stars," a free concert series in Medina's Public Square, \$2,000

Saint Ambrose Catholic Parish

To expand the food pantry in Medina County, \$1,000

Wadsworth Public Library

For incentives for summer reading program participants, \$2,000



INITIATIVE FUNDS

MEDINA COUNTY WOMEN'S ENDOWMENT FUND

Women and children across Medina County can thank the Medina County Women's Endowment Fund for enhancing their opportunities to grow educationally, physically, emotionally, socially, artistically – and personally. This year, the fund made grants totaling \$12,400 to this end. The Medina County Women's Endowment Fund will accept grant applications Jan. 28 – Feb. 28, 2014. For more information or to view the application questions, visit www.akroncf.org/applyMCWEF.

Catholic Charities Community

Services Corporation To provide the Child Assault Prevention Program to elementary school children, \$4,000

The Children's Center of Medina County

For a fire-resistant filing cabinet to store medical exam and interview records from sexual abuse cases, \$1,000

MILLENNIUM FUND FOR CHILDREN

The Millennium Fund for Children made a big impact on Akron's smallest residents this year. Thanks to gifts from thousands of Akron Beacon Journal readers and Akron Community Foundation supporters over the years, the fund awarded \$48,000 to small grassroots children's programs with sizable impact. The Millennium Fund for Children will accept grant applications Aug. 1 – Sept. 1, 2014. For more information or to view the application questions, visit www.akroncf.org/applyMillennium.

ACCESS Inc.

For counseling and support services for homeless children, \$2,000

Act II Productions DBA: The Illusion Factory To provide free live theater performances for children in need, \$1,825

Akron-Canton Regional Foodbank For nutritious meal packs for hungry children, \$2,000

Akron Community Health Resources Inc. For a health education program for children with chronic asthma, \$2,000

Akron Community Service Center & Urban League For the Dining with Santa holiday breakfast for

underprivileged kids, \$500 Akron Public Schools

For Moves to Improve, a walking and nutritional program at Jennings Community Learning Center, \$785

Akron Rotary Foundation

To purchase dictionaries for third-graders in Akron Public Schools, \$500

Alchemy Inc.

To purchase writing journals and backpacks for low-income male students, \$1,680

Asian Services in Action Inc.

For a kindergarten readiness program for refugee children, \$500

Gathering Place

To support, educate and empower individuals and families touched by cancer, \$1,000

Medina County Health Department To purchase car seats for families in need, \$500

Medina Creative Housing Inc.

To purchase playground equipment to enhance the Life Steps Summer Day Camp for disabled children, \$1,000

Medina Health Ministry

For free mammograms, gynecological exams and other wellness services for uninsured, working women, \$3,500

Oaks Family Care Center To purchase gas cards for women in the mental health peer-to-peer therapy program, \$400

Ohio Regional Music Arts Cultural Outreach For underprivileged children to participate in the music workshop "Kids Love Musicals!", \$500

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Summit & Medina Counties

To mentor at-risk students at Mason and Firestone elementary schools, \$500

Blessings in a Backpack – Akron

To provide backpacks of food for the weekend to students in need at Helen Arnold Community Learning Center and Akron Digital Academy, \$1,000

Blessings in a Backpack – Green

To provide backpacks of food for the weekend to students in need at Green Primary School and Greenwood Early Learning Center, \$1,000

Caring For Kids Inc.

To purchase holiday and birthday gifts for foster children, \$1,600

CASA Board Volunteer Association Inc. For the CASA Holiday Toy Shop, which provides gifts to neglected and abused children in the Summit County court system, \$1,979

Children's Concert Society of Akron To help disadvantaged children attend the Concert Hall Series at the Akron Civic Theatre, \$1,500

Christ Child Society of Akron To purchase diapers, wipes, blankets and supplies for mothers of at-risk newborns, \$2,000

Christian Fellowship Basketball League To purchase T-shirts and trophies for Get Fit Day, \$800

Community Pregnancy Center Inc. To purchase formula for the Feeding Hungry Children program, \$2,000

Firestone High School Instrumental Music Association

For advanced musical training for underserved children in the Akron Public Schools, \$1,000

The First Congregational Church of Akron

For the Peanut Butter & Jelly Outreach program, which provides needy Mason Community Learning Center students with food for the weekend, \$2,000

Good Neighbors Inc. To purchase toothpaste and toothbrushes for needy children, \$1,500



Rape Crisis Center

To increase awareness of sexual assault services through community presentations and publications, \$500

Hattie Larlham Foundation

For the Youth Volunteer Corps, which creates social bonds between typically functioning children and those with disabilities through crafts, outings and play, \$1,000

Here's Hope Horse Farm

For the 2013 summer therapeutic riding program for children with special needs, \$2,000

Magical Theatre Company

For anti-bullying theater productions in Akron Public Schools, \$2,000

Mobile Meals Inc. To provide medically prescribed supplements to children in need, \$2,000

Pajama Program, Eastern Ohio Chapter

To purchase books and cold-weather pajamas for children in need, \$1,000

Pregnancy Care of Summit County Inc.

To purchase cribs and mattresses for parents in the PREP crisis pregnancy education program, \$2,000

Project GRAD Akron To introduce disadvantaged students to higher education and potential careers, \$1,500

RePlay for Kids

To provided adapted toys to children with disabilities from low-income families, \$1,931

Victim Assistance Program Inc.

To provide a picnic for children who have witnessed or been victims of violence, 1,500

Victory Gallop Inc.

For Petie the Pony to visit children with lifethreatening illnesses and injuries at Akron Children's Hospital, \$1,500

Weathervane Community Playhouse Inc. To provide scholarships to children from low-income families, \$1,000

Women's Auxiliary Board of the Summit County Children's Home Inc. To purchase beds for children in the care of children's services, \$1,000

Youth Excellence Performing Arts Workshop

To purchase supplies for the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Leadership Conference for at-risk youth, \$900



VERNON L. ODOM FUND

Thanks to the noble precedent set by former Akron civil rights leader Vernon Odom Sr., the Vernon L. Odom Fund's mission of improving life in local minority communities continues in earnest to this day. This year, the fund awarded \$7,500 in grants to programs that promote ethnic and racial harmony in our community. The Vernon L. Odom Fund will accept grant applications Nov. 13 – Dec. 13, 2013. For more information or to view the application questions, visit www.akroncf.org/applyOdom.

Blessings in a Backpack

To provide backpacks of food for the weekend to students in need at Helen Arnold Community Learning Center and Akron Digital Academy, \$500

Child Guidance & Family Solutions Inc. To translate therapy materials and health care forms into Spanish. \$1.000

Fathers and Sons of Northeast Ohio

For educational programs that help non-custodial fathers be active in their children's lives, \$1,000

Girls on the Run of Greater Summit

For fitness training and self-worth discussions with at-risk girls at Glover Community Learning Center, \$1,000

One Love Unity

For Teen Talk, a 12-week forum where at-risk adolescents can discuss difficult social issues, \$1,000

OPEN M

To prepare at-risk young men living in the inner city for leadership and employment, \$500

Summit County Youth Employment

for Success To send at-risk teens to the University of Akron's 2013 Black Male Summit, \$500

Urban Vision

For incentives like school supplies, which students earn through good behavior, attendance and grades, \$1,000

Williams Challenge

To help at-risk and absent fathers develop positive relationships with their children, \$1,000

WOMEN'S ENDOWMENT FUND

Improving the lives of Summit County's women and girls is no simple task. This year, thanks to the Women's Endowment Fund, \$95,000 in grants will help promote health and wellness, provide safety from violence, and economically empower our community's mothers and daughters. The Women's Endowment Fund will accept grant applications Oct. 14 – Nov. 14, 2014. For more information or to view the application questions, visit www.akroncf.org/applyWEF.

Akron Children's Hospital

For Respect, a teen dating violence and sexual assault prevention program, \$5,000

Building for Tomorrow

To raise awareness of maternal depression and provide support to mothers in AMHA neighborhoods, \$10,000

Community Legal Aid Services Inc. To address non-medical barriers to health at Summa

Women's Health Center, \$10,000

Girls on the Run of Greater Summit To expand the fitness training program into

high-poverty neighborhoods, \$5,000

H.M. Life Opportunity Services

For the Mobile Moms program, which provides used cars to women transitioning out of homelessness, \$20,000

Kent State University Foundation

To teach female Project GRAD Akron participants healthy ways to cope with stress, 13,900

Mental Health America of Summit County Inc. For mental health workshops for girls living in AMHA neighborhoods, \$6,000

Mustard Seed Development Center

For counseling and case management to help women secure housing, rebuild credit and get out of debt, \$5,100

OPEN M

For Diamond Ladies, a problem-solving and character-building program for young women, \$4,000

Project GRAD Akron

For a summer program that encourages healthy relationships, positive decision-making, nutrition and goal setting for young women, \$6,000

Victim Assistance Program Inc.

To prevent recurring violence against women by helping victims file protection orders and navigate the judicial system, \$10,000



Congratulations to our Women's Endowment Fund, who raised a record \$2.1 million for their 20th anniversary.

FIELD-OF-INTEREST FUNDS

Thanks to the diverse charitable wishes of our field-of-interest fundholders, all corners of our community are enriched, from public health to historic preservation. We appreciate their vision and dedication to the community.

Program Fund (Est. 1991)

Drug and alcohol abuse prevention programs for school-age children and their parents

Allio Memorial Fund (Est. 2011) Children's programs

V.E. (Tom) Atkins Fund Programs for underprivileged children

Beacon of Light Initiatives/Wings of Eagles Fund (Est. 2012)

Organizations that assist members of the Marine Corps through scholarships and educational programs

Stisle M. Buckingham Endowment

Fund (Est. 1988) Causes and organizations Lisle M. Buckingham supported during his lifetime

Scadet-Ettes Fund (Est. 1997)

Organizations that help young ladies develop good moral character and learn the benefits of discipline, commitment, service and teamwork

Dick and Chris Chenoweth Fund

Human services programs, and primary and secondary education

Schild Care Leadership Fund (Est. 2009)

Advanced child care leadership programming and training

Children's Literacy Fund Children's literacy programs

Lisette Ertel Fund (Est. 1984) Health and civic causes

Food Pantry Capacity Fund of Akron

Community Foundation Infrastructure support for the Akron-Canton Regional Foodbank's distribution partners in Summit County

SAR Foundation Fund for Dance in Summit

County (*Est. 1998*) Dance programs in Summit County

C. Colmery Gibson Polsky Fund (Est. 1990) Health care, the arts, and civic and educational causes

Lillian D. and Lincoln H. Gries Fund Music, health and children's programs

Hermine Z. Hansen Fund Public health institutions

Kathleen Joyce Fund Children's programs **9** John S. and James L. Knight Foundation Fund for Dance in Summit County (Est. 1999) Dance programs in Summit County

Maggie & Jerry Lippman Tikkun Olam "Repair the World" Fund Health and human services programs, and programs addressing homelessness

Bruce Mansfield Fund Drug and alcohol abuse prevention and treatment programs

Virginia Crawford Frazier Moore Wheeler & Martin Fund

Cemetery maintenance

John A. McAlonan Fund Causes originally supported by the John A. McAlonan Trust

Marissa Alexandra Norwood Legacy of Kindness Charitable Giving Fund (Est. 2010) Programs for children and families with chronic illness. victims of domestic violence, and animals

Ohio Charitable Fund

Barberton nonprofit organizations and those serving Summit County

Parent Coalition Heritage Fund for Adults with Special Needs

Organizations that improve life for adults with developmental disabilities, including those that train residential providers

Preservation of the Abolitionist

Movement Fund (*Est. 2007*) Programs and projects that honor John Brown's impact on abolitionism

Sanatorium Contingent Fund

Programs that prevent and treat diseases, and those that teach children personal hygiene and respect for their bodies

Rosalie and Cecil Smith Fund Spaying and neutering of feral animals

Jane Snow Fund for Hunger (*Est. 2008*) Hunger and nutrition programs for Summit County women

Jean P. Stevens Fund Music, art, dance, theater and civic causes

Strongsville Women's League Edna Brun Fund Educational programs in Strongsville

Strongsville Women's League General Fund Programs that benefit Strongsville

Summit Portage Area Health Education Fund Educational programs that promote collaboration among health professionals in Summit and

Portage counties

William C. and Betty J. Zekan Fund Local health and civic causes



Legacy Funds, or funds that were designed by their founders to grow in perpetuity.

FIELD-OF-INTEREST GRANTS

National Multiple Sclerosis Society

Access Inc. \$15,000 Akron Art Museum \$12,500 **Akron-Canton Regional Foodbank** \$11.000 **Akron Children's Hospital Foundation** \$250 **Akron Community Foundation** \$5.750 **Akron Community Foundation** Community Fund \$525 Akron Community Service Center & Urban League \$2,500 **Akron General Foundation** \$11.000 **Akron Marathon Charitable Corporation** \$5,000 **Akron Public Schools** \$1.000 Akron Rotary Camp for Children With Special Needs Inc. \$10,500 **Akron Roundtable** \$2.000 Akron Zoological Park \$10.000 American Red Cross of Summit & Portage Counties \$2,000 Bluecoats Inc. \$250 Boy Scouts of America, Great Trail Council \$13,000 Boys & Girls Clubs of the Western Reserve Inc. \$10.000 **Building for Tomorrow** \$10,000 **BVU: The Center for Nonprofit Excellence** \$1,000 **CASA Board Volunteer Association Inc.** \$10.000 **Case Western Reserve University** \$10.000 **Catholic Charities Community Services** Corporation \$10,000 **Celebration Church** \$1,000 Child Guidance & Family Solutions Inc. \$500 **Children's Concert Society of Akron** \$3,000 **Children's Hospital Medical Center of Akron** \$11.000 **Christ Child Society of Akron** \$10,000 **City of Akron** \$30,000

\$2,500 **Community Health Center** \$10,000 Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease Foundation Inc. \$500 **Crown Point Ecology Center** \$10,500 **Cuyahoga Valley Preservation and Scenic** Railway Association \$10,000 **Diversity Center of Northeast Ohio** \$2,000 **First Presbyterian Church** \$5.000 Friends of 91.3 \$750 **Furnace Street Mission** \$20,000 Goodwill Industries of Akron Inc. \$3,000 Greater Akron Musical Association Inc. \$12,500 **Greenleaf Family Center** \$10.000 GriefCare Place Inc. \$5,000 Habitat for Humanity of Summit County Inc. \$10,000 Haven of Rest Ministries Inc. \$10,000 He Brought Us Out Ministry \$5,000 Humane Society of Greater Akron \$6,900 Info Line Incorporated \$1,000 Junior Achievement of North Central Ohio Inc. \$10,000 Kent State University Foundation \$2 500 LEAVE A LEGACY Summit, Portage, Medina \$1,500 Let's Grow Akron Inc. \$10.000 Lymphoma Research Foundation \$100 Mature Services Incorporated \$10,000 **Military Aviation Preservation Society** \$10,000 Millworks Gallery Inc. \$10,000 Mobile Meals Inc. \$10,000 Mound Hill Cemetery \$573 **Muscular Dystrophy Association** \$500

Cleveland International Film Festival

\$100 **Ohio & Erie Canal Corridor Coalition** \$5,000 **Ohio Grantmakers Forum** \$6 500 **Ohio Presbyterian Retirement Services** \$1.000 One of a Kind Pet Rescue Inc. \$10,000 **Opportunity Parish Ecumenical Neighborhood** Ministry \$10,000 **Project LEARN of Summit County** \$10,000 The Salvation Army \$2.000 Shoes and Clothes for Kids \$500 South Street Ministries \$2 000 Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens Inc. \$11.000 Stewart's Caring Place Inc. \$2,000 Summa Health System \$1,000 Summit Academy Akron Middle School \$1.000 **Summit County Historical Society** of Akron Ohio \$7200 Summit County Public Health \$750 **Truly Reaching You** \$500 **Tuesday Musical Association** \$8,000 United Disability Services Inc. \$2,000 United Way of Summit County \$3.000 University of Akron Foundation \$16.750 **University Park Alliance** \$10.000 Victim Assistance Program Inc. \$10,000 Walsh Jesuit High School \$10.000 Western Reserve Historical Society \$10.860 Williams Challenge \$600 YMCA of Akron Ohio \$500

UNRESTRICTED FUNDS

Thanks to the following unrestricted funds – and our board-discretionary field-of-interest funds – Akron Community Foundation can meet the changing needs of Summit County. We thank their establishers for their trust and foresight.

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UNRESTRICTED GRANTS

Each quarter, Akron Community Foundation accepts grant requests for programs in one of four funding areas: Arts & Culture, Civic Affairs, Health & Human Services, or Education. Nonprofits can apply quickly and easily starting 30 days prior to their deadline. Find out what we look for and how to apply at **www.akroncf.org/communityfundgrants**.

Access Inc.

To shelter homeless women and children, \$25,000

Act II Productions Illusion Factory For theater productions in Akron-area schools, \$10,000

Actors' Summit For operating support, \$2,500

Akron Area Arts Alliance For Summit Artspace exhibitions, artist receptions and outreach. \$17.500

Akron Art Museum For operating support, \$50,000

Akron-Canton Regional Foodbank For the Direct Distribution program, \$50,000

Akron Community Foundation For the Akron Digital Media Center, which offers free citizen journalism training and access to production equipment, \$50,000

Akron Community Health Resources Inc. For an on-site community pharmacy at the clinic in Arlington Plaza, \$35,000

Akron Community Service Center & Urban League

To improve the economic, cultural, social, educational and recreational conditions of minorities in Summit County, \$20,000

Akron Inner City Soccer Club

For free youth soccer camps, \$10,000 **Akron International Friendship**

For a program that teaches sixth-graders about the importance of cultural and religious diversity, \$5,000

Akron Marathon Charitable Corporation

To provide First Aid and CPR training to marathon volunteers, \$5,000

Akron Public Schools

For Destination College, which helps students improve their ACT scores and apply for college and financial aid, \$15,000

Akron Rotary Camp for Special Children Inc.

To construct a recreation and resource center, \$20,000

Akron SCORE

For workshops and one-on-one mentoring for small-business owners, \$10,000

Akron Woman's City Club

To support free plays written for and starring senior citizens, \$2,500

Alchemy Inc.

To support a film that explores the studies of mythologist Joseph Campbell, \$10,000

All-Star Training Club

For six health and wellness sessions for youth with disabilities, \$10,000

American Red Cross of Summit & Portage Counties

To transport residents in need to medical appointments, \$10,000

Apollo's Fire The Cleveland Baroque Orchestra For artistic expenses during the 2012-13 concert season in Akron, \$12,000

Arc of Summit & Portage Counties Inc. To increase disability awareness and acceptance among Summit County students, \$10,000

Asian Services in Action Inc. For an early childhood development program for children in refugee families, \$12,500

Austen BioInnovation Institute in Akron For a simulation training room for first responders and promotional videos, \$50,000

Ballet Theatre of Ohio For local grade schoolers to attend an in-theater performance of "The Nutcracker," \$8,000

Battered Women's Shelter For emergency shelter, advocacy and education to prevent domestic abuse, \$25,000

Beacon Journal Charity Fund Inc. For oral health education for third-graders, \$7,500

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Summit & Medina Counties Inc.

For community- and school-based mentoring programs for at-risk youth, \$10,000

Boys & Girls Clubs of the Western Reserve To build capacity and support after-school programming, \$70,000

Bridges Out of Poverty Summit County Collaborative

For a program that helps people in poverty identify their goals and create a plan for prosperity, \$20,000

Building for Tomorrow

For early education programs and needs assessments for children under age 5 living in AMHA housing, \$95,000

CASA Board Volunteer Association Inc.

To recruit and train volunteers to advocate for abused and neglected children in juvenile court, \$10,000

Catholic Charities Community Services Corporation

For bilingual case management and advocacy services for Hispanics in Summit County, \$5,000

Center for Applied Theatre and Active Culture

To support performances, workshops and educational activities during the 2012-13 season, \$2,500

Central Summit County Choral Society For the Summit Children's Choir, \$8,000

Child Guidance & Family Solutions Inc.

To train child care providers to identify and support children with social and emotional needs, \$65,000

Children's Concert Society of Akron For the In-School Concert Series, \$10,000

Christ Child Society of Akron

To purchase new school clothes for children from low-income families, \$5,000



UNRESTRICTED GRANTS

City of Akron

For the 2013 Neighborhood Partnership Program, \$70,000

City of Akron

For the annual Heinz Poll Summer Dance Festival of free performances in city parks, \$20,000

Cleveland Modern Dance Association

To support the Trey McIntyre Project's E.J. Thomas Hall performance, dance residency and outreach, \$10,000

Cleveland Restoration Society Inc.

To help low- and moderate-income homeowners in Summit County maintain their older homes, \$10,000

Community Hall Foundation Inc. -

Akron Civic Theatre To support family and cabaret performances, \$20,000

Community Legal Aid Services Inc.

To help patients address and overcome non-medical barriers to health, \$8,000

Community Outreach Resources Exchange-CORE Furniture Bank

To transport and handle donated furniture, \$5,000 Conservancy for Cuyahoga Valley National Park

To preserve, protect and enhance Cuyahoga Valley National Park for generations to come, \$20,000

Crown Point Ecology Center

For sustainable agriculture and environmental education, \$10,000

Cuyahoga Valley Preservation and Scenic Railway Association

To improve the restrooms on passenger train cars, \$10,000

Cuyahoga Valley Youth Ballet

To introduce children to ballet through in-school and public performances, \$8,000

Dancing Classrooms Northeast Ohio

For a ballroom dance residency program in Summit County schools, \$3,000

East Akron Neighborhood Development Corporation

To repair the homes of low-income seniors, the working poor and homeowners with disabilities, \$20,000

Elves & More of Northeast Ohio

To purchase bicycles for children living in poverty, \$2,500

Family & Community Services of Portage County Inc.

For independent living companions for Summit County seniors, \$10,000

First Book

To purchase books for children living in poverty, \$7,000

First Glance Student Center Inc.

To mentor and teach basic financial, child care and life skills to teen mothers, \$10,000

Flashes of Hope Inc.

To provide professional photography services for children with life-threatening illnesses, \$3,000

The Foundation Center Cleveland To strengthen the capacity of Summit County's

nonprofit sector, \$2,500

Freedom House for Women Inc.

To prevent homelessness and preserve the family unit, \$10,000

Friends of 91.3 For a radio program that supports people recovering from chemical dependency, \$10,000

Friends of Historic Glendale Cemetery To improve the accessibility and safety of cemetery walkways, \$5,000

Friends of Metro Parks For an overnight camping program for urban children, \$10,000

Fund For Our Economic Future To strengthen Northeast Ohio's economic competitiveness, \$34,000

Girl Scouts of North East Ohio For leadership training for girls living in AMHA housing, \$15,000

Good Shepherd Athletic Club To encourage discipline and athleticism among inner-city youth, \$10,000

Greater Akron Musical Association Inc. To support the agency's music education initiatives and Concerts for Kids performances, \$35,000

Greenleaf Family Center For a home visitation program that assesses the needs of young children and prepares them for kindergarten, \$15,000

GroundWorks Dancetheater To support performances, dance residency and outreach \$10,000

Hattie Larlham Community Services

For a sustainable agriculture vocational program for adults with developmental disabilities, \$20,000

H.M. Life Opportunity Services

To provide services to children transitioning from homelessness, \$12,000

Humane Society of Greater Akron To investigate animal cruelty and provide care for sick and injured stray animals, \$7,500

Info Line Incorporated For the Summit County food pantry clearinghouse, \$20,000

International Institute of Akron Inc. For a refugee volunteer coordinator, \$18,000

Jewish Family Service of Akron, Ohio For a counseling and care management program to help older adults remain independent, \$5,000

Junior Achievement of North Central Ohio Inc. To teach students workforce readiness,

entrepreneurship and financial literacy, \$10,000

Keep Akron Beautiful To plant and maintain urban flowerscapes, \$10,000

Keepers of the Art Inc. For the Akron Hip-Hop Showcase at Lock 3, \$10,000

Leadership Akron For the annual orientation retreat and leadership training, \$12,500



UNRESTRICTED GRANTS

Magical Theatre Company For resident performances and educational

For resident performances and educational programming, \$10,000

Master Singers Inc.

For the 2013 concert season and high school choral composition contest, \$8,000

Mental Health America of Summit County Inc. To help parents and caregivers of children with mental health diagnoses, \$12,000

Mobile Meals Inc.

To provide free and subsidized meals and supplements to children, older adults, and people with disabilities, \$35,000

Musical Arts Association DBA: The Cleveland Orchestra

For the 2012 Blossom Festival, \$25,000

Mustard Seed Development Center For financial literacy counseling for low-income families, \$10,000

National Society to Prevent Blindness Inc. To provide vision care for uninsured children and adults, \$10,000

Nazareth Housing Development Corporation To rehabilitate abandoned properties for low-income homebuyers. \$7500

Neos Dance Theatre

For the production of "Snow White," \$10,000

Northeastern Educational Television of Ohio Inc. For arts and culture programming, \$10,000

Ohio Shakespeare Festival To build a permanent stage on the grounds of Stan

Hywet Hall & Gardens, \$8,000

Opportunity Parish Ecumenical Neighborhood Ministry

To provide free medical treatment to the uninsured working poor, \$15,000

Partnership for the Minority Business Accelerator

To mentor minority business owners, \$20,000

Planned Parenthood of Northeast Ohio DBA: Planned Parenthood of Greater Ohio

To help impoverished families prevent unplanned pregnancies through long-term, cost-effective contraceptives, \$15,000

Project GRAD Akron

For a kindergarten readiness camp for Buchtel students and their parents, \$25,000

Project LEARN of Summit County

To prepare GED candidates to pass the current test before a new version is released in 2014, 23,000

Project RISE, Akron Public Schools

For a performing arts enrichment program for homeless students and their families, \$9,000 Rape Crisis Center

To empower, support and advocate for victims and to prevent sexual assault through education, \$10,000

Rebuilding Together Summit County Inc.

To repair the homes of low-income seniors and people with disabilities, \$30,000



Red Company Real Edge Dance

For dance performances and outreach in the Akron area, \$2,000

Research Education & Charitable Association for the Benefit of the Chefs & Farmers (Veggie U.) For science kits to teach Akron fourth-graders about sustainable agriculture and healthy eating, \$10,000

Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens Inc. To support the manor's educational and historical programming, \$40,000

Summit County Family & Children First Council To implement a standardized developmental screening and referral process for children ages birth to 5, \$25,000

Summit County Fatherhood Initiative To connect men with the resources they need to be responsible, involved fathers, \$30,000

Summit County Historical Society of Akron, Ohio To preserve and interpret Summit County's history and educate the region regarding it, \$10,000

Summit County Reentry Network To reduce recidivism among former offenders, \$15,000

Summit Food Policy Coalition

To improve healthy food access in Summit County through education and city gardening, \$15,000

Tri-County Jobs for Ohio's Graduates

To provide academic and employment support to youth who have dropped out of high school, \$10,000

Tuesday Musical Association

For the opening night concert featuring pianist Emanuel Ax, \$10,000

Twinsburg City School District

To help struggling elementary school students improve their reading skills, \$5,000

United Disability Services Inc.

For employment services for individuals with severe disabilities, \$15,000

Verb Ballets

For 2012-13 season performances in Summit County, \$3,000

Victim Assistance Program Inc.

To provide 24-hour support and advocacy for victims of crime and trauma, \$20,000

Victory Gallop Inc. For the therapeutic horseback riding program, \$5,000

Weathervane Community Playhouse Inc. To support the 2012-13 production season, \$10,000

Western Reserve Historical Society For Hale Farm and Village educational programming, \$10,000

Young Men's Christian Association of Akron Ohio To teach life skills and healthy behaviors to at-risk teens. \$7500

Youth Excellence Performing Arts Workshop

For a summer performing arts workshop for urban youth, \$15,000



YOU DID IT!

You broke yet another Akron Community Foundation record. This year, your record number of contributions – in all, nearly 4,000 – raised a total of \$7.4 million to improve our quality of life.

Many of you gave to our Women's Endowment Fund's "For Women, Forever" campaign. You wrote checks, you made pledges, you set up deductions from your paycheck. And while it's one thing to write a \$25 check to your favorite cause, imagine supporting it forever with an endowment fund in your name.

A remarkable number of people who don't consider themselves wealthy can create charitable funds, so it's not a matter of if, only when.

GIVING NOW Are you prepared to commit

\$5,000 to start your charitable legacy now? Giving now may be for you, especially if you:

- Face significant tax consequences due to the sale of a business or highly appreciated assets
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- Have received a considerable inheritance
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We make it easy to give simple and complex gifts, from real estate to appreciated securities like closely held S-Corp stock. See your options at www.akroncf.org/smartgivingnow.

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In 2009, Rennick and Dee Andreoli made a gift of cash to start their donor-advised fund. They also wrote the community foundation into their will. As a result, they will continue to support their favorite charities forever after they're gone. Read how they're using the **Rennick** and Dee Andreoli Family Fund of Akron Community Foundation now at www.akroncf.org/CabinsForKids.

FOR GIVING

GIVING LATER Perhaps your assets are tied up in

your home, college tuition or insurance policy. Maybe you're worried you will outlive your savings. Planned giving may be right for you if you're willing to consider charitable plans that:

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Edwin C. Shaw Legacy Society

When you make a planned gift to start or support a fund at Akron Community Foundation, you become a member of our esteemed Edwin C. Shaw Legacy Society. These fellow residents, colleagues and friends are supporting a fund through their will, charitable gift annuity, remainder trust or life insurance policy. We thank them for their generosity and foresight.

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H. PETER AND EILEEN BURG

Thanks to a chance meeting at St. Vincent-St. Mary High School, greater Akron has been blessed for more than 40 years with the love and charity of Pete and Eileen Burg.

Pete, former chairman and CEO of FirstEnergy, championed efforts to advance Akron and the entire Northeast Ohio region. He helped create Team NEO and served on the boards of Akron Children's Hospital, Musical Arts Association, United Way of Summit County and the Summit County Chapter of the American Red Cross, many of which named awards for him.

Before Pete passed away in 2004, he told Eileen he wasn't ready to leave because he had so much left to give back. Eileen made a conscious decision to carry on Pete's legacy. In addition to her many other charitable endeavors, she started the H. Peter Burg Fund at Akron Community Foundation in memory of Pete to support organizations he loved.

Between chairing many successful fundraisers, serving on the boards of the University of Akron and other noteworthy organizations, and contributing her time, money and talents to causes big and small, Eileen has made a significant impact on countless organizations and individuals. She no longer just carries on Pete's legacy – she's created one of her own.

"People tell me that it's like Pete still lives in me, and that's exactly how I feel," she said.

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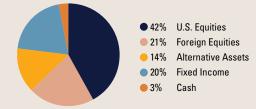
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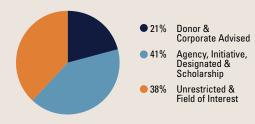
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ASSETS \$150.2 MILLION ASSET GROWTH 6.8% GIFTS \$7.4 MILLION INVESTMENT PERFORMANCE 9.2% OPERATING COSTS 1.04%

ASSET ALLOCATION 2013



ASSET CLASSIFICATIONS 2013



Notes: Assets were managed by: Advisory Research Inc., Chicago; Ancora Advisors Inc., Cleveland; Archstone Partnerships, New York City; Aurora Investment Management, Chicago; Broadleaf Partners, Hudson; C.S. McKee Investment Managers, Pittsburgh; Fifth Third Bancorp, Cincinnati; FirstMerit Trust, Akron; Frontier Capital Management, Boston; Harbor International, Chicago; Huntington Bancshares Incorporated, Columbus; KeyBank N.A., Cleveland; Loomis, Sayles & Company, Kansas City; Merrill Lynch & Co. Inc., New York City; Neuberger Berman, New York City; Oppenheimer International, Denver; PIMCO Funds, Boston; PNC Capital, Akron; Premier Bank & Trust, North Canton; Russell iShares, Jersey City; Templeton Global, Rancho Cordova; UBS, New York City

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<u>COMPARATIVE SUMMARY STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION</u>

Net assets	142,852	133,912
Total liabilities	7,378	6,808
Funds held as agency endowments	6,337	5,439
Grants approved for future payment	540	870
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$501	\$499
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS Liabilities:		
Total assets	\$150,230	\$140,720
Cash value of life insurance	26	26
Building and equipment-net	1,018	1,018
Less accumulated depreciation	(658)	(593)
Building and equipment	1,676	1,611
Building and equipment:		
Land and land improvements	344	344
Prepaid expenses	51	62
Accrued investment income	196	177
Contributions receivable-net	1,203	900
Total trust accounts	10.618	10.245
Pooled life income fund receivable	150	218
Third party trusts	10,468	10,026
Trust accounts:	120,077	120,177
Total investments	129,677	123,177
Real estate held for investment	667	667
International equity securities Alternative investments	17,828	16,363
U.S. equity securities	27,684	26,933
Other fixed income	9,774 56,011	7,566 52,800
Corporate bonds	7,117	7,978
U.S. Government and agency obligations	10,596	10,869
Investments (at fair value):	10 500	10.000
Cash and cash equivalents	\$7,097	\$4,771
ASSETS	March 31, 2013	March 31, 2012
		in thousands

COMPARATIVE SUMMARY STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

For the fiscal years ending March 31, 2013 and 2012

		in thousands
REVENUES, GAINS AND SUPPORT	2013	2012
Contributions received	\$7,438	\$10,003
Investment income	3,264	2,987
Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of assets Less amounts held for agency endowments:	9,065	29
Contributions	(785)	(350)
Investment income	(127)	(114)
Net depreciation (appreciation) in fair value of assets	(392)	14
Total less amounts held for agency endowments	(1,304)	(450)
Gain on disposal of real estate held for investment	0	420
Loss on disposal of property and equipment	0	(6)
Total revenues, gains and support	\$18,463	\$12,983
EXPENSES AND DISTRIBUTIONS		
Grants and other distributions	\$7,594	\$6,366
Administrative expenses	1,790	1,642
Investment expenses	544	533
Less amounts held for agency endowments		
Grants and other distributions	(332)	(231)
Administrative expenses	(55)	(51)
Investment expenses	(18)	(21)
Total less amounts held for agency endowments	(405)	(303)
Total expenses and distributions	\$9,523	\$8,238
Increase (decrease) in net assets	\$8,940	\$4,745
Net assets, beginning of year	133,912	129,167
Net assets, end of period	\$142,852	\$133,912



Thank you to the community leaders who generously gave of their time to serve on Akron Community Foundation's board of directors from April 1, 2012, to March 31, 2013.

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