

2021

ANNUAL
REPORT



LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT AND CHAIRWOMAN



Richland Gives is a phrase frequently heard in Richland County during the month of November. The local capacity building program for nonprofit organizations coincides with the national day of giving held on the Tuesday following Thanksgiving. Since 2015, the community foundation has led this ever-growing community project, which provides general operating support for approximately 85 area nonprofits each year.

During the past two years, nonprofits have endured unprecedented challenges brought on by the pandemic. Many of the participating organizations provide essential services to our most vulnerable populations. The generosity of Richland County residents was on full display this year as over \$533,000 was raised. The record setting amount brought the total raised through Richland Gives to almost \$2 million.

Richland Gives is just one example of how Richland County residents support one another. It also serves as a reminder that previous board of trustees and staff members developed the trust of donor giving through the community foundation over the past 77 years.

As you flip through the following pages that highlight the generosity of our donors, you will realize that –
Yes, Richland, Truly, Gives.

Jessica Gribben
Board Chair

Brady Groves
Foundation President

Richland Gives is designed to encourage people to contribute to local nonprofits they care about through a single giving website. The foundation hosted the day to build capacity, grow philanthropy and make the community stronger. It allows local organizations to raise funds and awareness as well as cultivate new donors and reinvigorate lapsed donors.

The Foundation awarded \$100,000 in grants as incentives during the giving event.



RICHLAND COUNTY
FOUNDATION



Nyasha Oden and Cheyla Bradley of the North End Community Improvement Collaborative enjoyed the Leader Board Watch Party.

More Richland Gives





GENEROUS DONORS MAKE RICHLAND GIVES A SUCCESS

The winners in the small nonprofit category with annual budgets under \$250,000 were:

- 1** Lucas Community Center
- 2** North Central State College Foundation
- 3** Humane Society of Richland County
- 4** North Central Ohio Land Conservancy
- 5** Altrusa
- 6** Linden Road Presbyterian Church

The winners of the large nonprofit category with annual budgets over \$250,000 were:

- 1** Renaissance Performing Arts
- 2** St. Peter's School
- 3** Discovery School
- 4** Richland Academy of the Arts
- 5** Richland Pregnancy Services
- 6** Friendly House

Chief Advancement Officer Maura Teynor and President Brady Groves announce winners.

Love Our Heros in Bellville raised funds during Richland Gives.

Steve Cummins of the North Central Ohio Industrial Museum raised a green foam hand.





DONOR RECEPTION



Laurie Baker, Rick Sjostedt and Bruce Baker



Norman and Heidi Jones



Hatcher Day and Ivy Amos



Jessica Gribben and Theresa Roth



David and Theresa Siebold

BOARD OF TRUSTEES



First row

Debbi Adams
Karen Bierly
Brigette Burnell
Beth DeLaney
Carl Fernyak
Nikia Fletcher

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Chris Hiner*
Norman Jones
Barbara Zaugg Joudrey
Julie McCready
Gunther Meisse

Third row

Jana Mulherin*
Theresa Roth
Jotika Shetty*
Lee Tasseff
Mike Whisler
* Denotes officers

Staff pictured below left to right

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Robert Barrett, CPA
VP of Finance and Operations
Allura Watson
Senior Community Investment Officer

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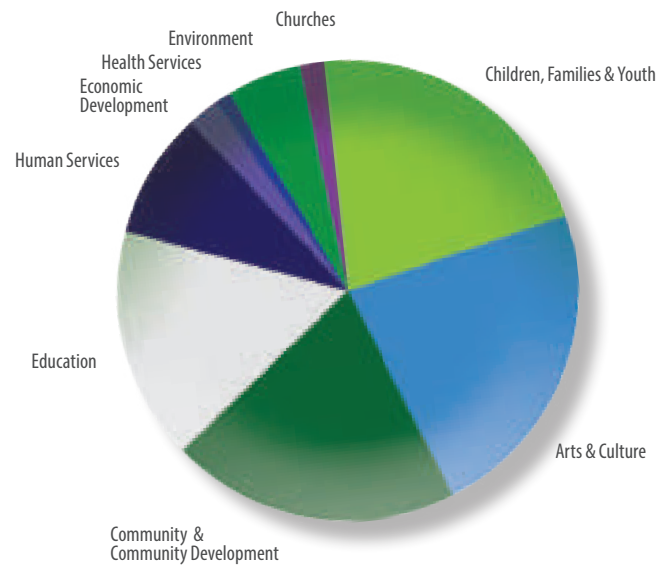
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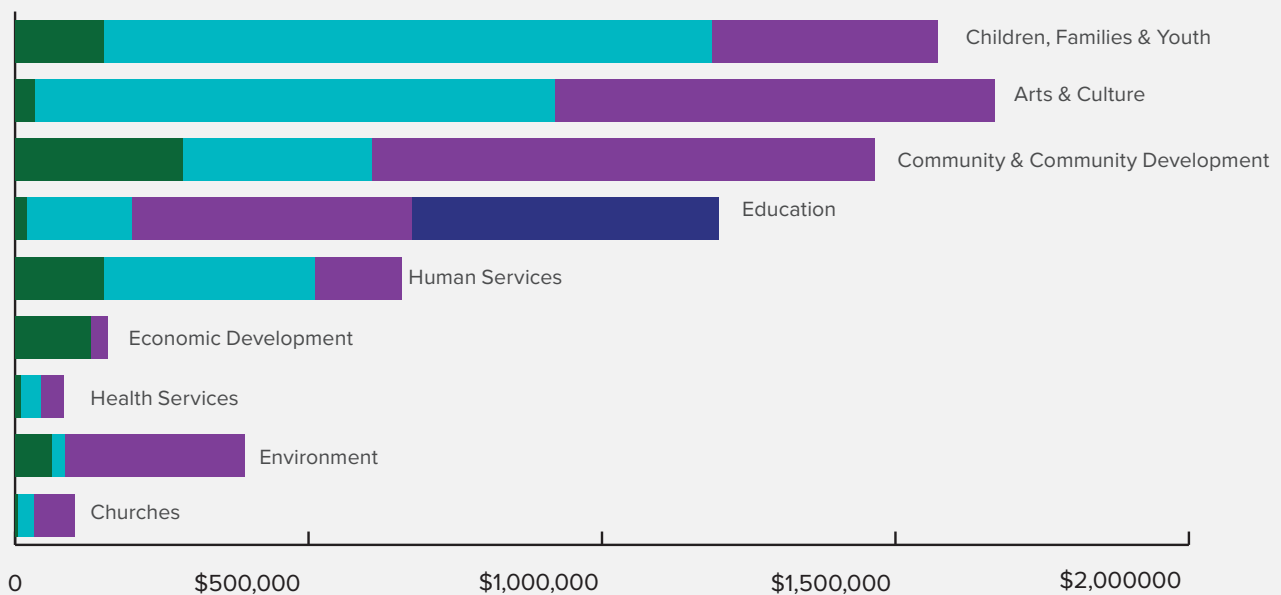
• Children Families & Youth	\$1,572,301
• Arts & Culture	\$1,669,474
• Community Development	\$1,465,296
• Education	\$1,198,049
• Human Services	\$659,951
• Economic Development	\$158,390
• Health Services	\$83,097
• Environment	\$391,035
• Churches	\$102,067

Total **\$7,299,660**

Grants by Program Area



Grants by Type



	competitive	designated	donor advised	scholarship	total awarded
Children, Families and Youth	\$151,371	\$1,035,073	\$385,857		\$1,572,301
Arts & Culture	34,000	884,790	750,684		1,669,474
Community Development	284,686	322,538	858,072		1,465,296
Education	19,100	180,006	475,697	\$523,246	1,198,049
Human Services	150,975	359,043	149,933		659,951
Economic Development	128,540		29,850		158,390
Health Services	10,000	32,713	40,384		83,097
Environment	62,750	21,083	307,202		391,035
Churches	3,500	27,450	71,117		102,067
Total	\$844,922	\$2,862,696	\$3,068,796	\$523,246	\$7,299,660
	12%	39%	42%	7%	100%

FINANCIAL PAGES

RICHLAND COUNTY FOUNDATION STATEMENT OF ASSETS, LIABILITIES, AND NET ASSETS MODIFIED CASH BASIS

December 31, 2021 and 2020

	2021	2020
ASSETS		
Assets		
Cash	\$ 3,021,774	\$ 837,555
Investments	222,228,745	198,472,822
Property and Equipment, Net	1,223,210	1,264,086
TOTAL ASSETS	\$226,473,729	\$200,574,463
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
Liabilities		
Payroll Taxes Withheld	\$ 2,391	\$ 1,997
Annuity Contracts Payable	42,112	44,585
Funds Held as Agency Endowments	9,185,420	8,448,931
Total Liabilities	9,229,923	8,495,513
Net Assests		
Without Restrictions	123,766,328	107,571,381
With Restrictions	93,477,478	84,507,569
Total Net Assets	217,243,806	192,078,950
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$226,473,729	\$200,574,463

The financial information is derived from the financial statements as audited by Wilging, Roush & Parsons CPAs. A copy of the complete audited statement is on file at the Foundation office and available upon request.

**STATEMENT OF REVENUE COLLECTED, EXPENDITURES PAID
AND OTHER CHANGES IN NET ASSETS
MODIFIED CASH BASIS**

Years Ended December 31, 2021 and 2020

	2021			2020
	<i>Without Restrictions</i>	<i>With Restrictions</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Total</i>
Revenue and Support				
Contributions	\$3,081,685	\$1,465,075	\$4,546,760	\$9,645,191
Investment Income				
Interest and Dividends	2,529,795	2,025,628	4,555,423	3,062,939
Net Realized Gains on Investments	4,501,521	4,330,095	8,831,616	1,204,912
Net Unrealized Gains on Investments	10,757,435	4,289,010	15,046,445	15,228,231
Other Investment Income	116,263	117,439	233,702	232,249
Less Investment and Custody Fees	(298,365)	0	(298,365)	(252,920)
Net Investment Income	17,606,649	10,762,172	28,368,821	19,475,411
Change in Gift Annuity Value	0	(6,902)	(6,902)	(6,803)
Administration Fees Charged to Agency Funds	28,884	0	28,884	25,360
Net Assets Released From Restrictions	3,056,413	(3,056,413)	0	0
Reclassification of Net Assets	194,023	(194,023)	0	0
Total Revenue and Support	23,967,654	8,969,909	32,937,563	29,139,159
Expenses and Other Deductions				
Net Grants Paid	6,779,445	0	6,779,445	6,175,522
Administrative and Functional Expenses	993,262	0	993,262	951,773
Total Expenses	7,772,707	0	7,772,707	7,127,295
Increase in Net Assets	16,194,947	8,969,909	25,164,856	22,011,864
Net Assets at Beginning of Year	107,571,381	84,507,569	192,078,950	170,067,086
Net Assets at End of Year	\$123,766,328	\$93,477,478	\$217,243,806	\$192,078,950



ABOUT THE MANSFIELD RISING PROJECT

Branding

A committee worked with Medium Giant to create a brand and message for Mansfield. The Richland Area Chamber and Economic Development and Destination Mansfield – Richland County will begin to use the new brand this year. Other organizations are invited to utilize it as well. The purpose of branding Mansfield and Richland County is to weave a powerful and positive story to raise awareness about why this is a great place to live, play and conduct business. Beyond raising awareness outside the city limits, a brand and positive message could improve the story Mansfield residents recite about their city. It could promote civic pride.

In 2018, Foundation leadership took an unusual track to develop an investment strategy for downtown Mansfield. Instead of hiring a professional consulting firm, it had a citizen-led group create the plan.

The Foundation turned regular citizens into consultants which gives depth and authenticity to the plan. It provides a road map for projects and opportunities for partnerships to continue the renaissance of Mansfield.

The vision is for Mansfield to become an optimal place to conduct business, gather and live. This vision can be achieved through five key areas: effective land use, wayfinding, technical assistance for business, branding and marketing, and safety.

The Guiding Principles of the plan are downtown is everyone's neighborhood, big city amenities with a small-town feel, sustainable change happens incrementally and placemaking is economic development.

To read the plan go to richlandcountyfoundation.org, click "Community Impact" then the "Mansfield Rising" tab.



Upgrade the City's Main Arteries

Mansfield City Council approved a design plan to improve Main Street. Construction should begin in 2024. In 2021 the city converted Diamond Street to two-way traffic. Mulberry Street was converted in 2019. The changes will create a more walkable downtown.

Public Art Project

The City of Mansfield in coordination with the Richland Community Development Group Art Sector created a Public Art Commission to vet projects. Public art projects will be funded by various businesses and organizations with a 50% matching grant from the Richland County Foundation as part of its Mansfield Rising Project. Up to \$50,000 in matching funds has been made available to create art in a variety of methods, including traditional painted murals, installed artistic wallscapes, window art, as well as temporary and permanent public art on visible walls and surfaces.

Richland County artists are encouraged to apply to take part in this transformative and revitalizing effort to beautify and create impact in downtown through art.



Free Public Wi-Fi

The Downtown Improvement Board (License Plate Fee Committee) approved funding for free public Wi-Fi from Central Park to the Carrousel District as the first phase. The City of Mansfield IT Department will plan for additional phases. This is the first step towards a Smart City Plan.



Improve the Look of Businesses in Downtown

The Downtown Mansfield, Inc. Facade Improvement Fund received grant funding from the Foundation and Mansfield City Council. The matching grants will be awarded to building owners to make improvements. In 2021 five projects were completed: Voegle Apartments, K.E. McCartney, Dream Huge Realty, Hursh Drug, and Swavory. Another eight projects were approved for grant funding. This will assist economic development and the rehabilitation of historic properties in downtown Mansfield. The funds will be administered by a committee consisting of individuals from the historic preservation commission, architects, designers, and community members to provide guidance and resources on facade improvements. The resources provided in conjunction with the grants will make for quality restorations and renovations consistent with community standards.

Linear Park

The Richland Community Development Group received a \$25,000 AARP grant to create a pop-up linear park along West Third Street between Bowman and Mulberry streets. It was installed in September. Various businesses and nonprofit organizations provided programming to engage and attract the public.

NEW FUNDS



Remembering James Brook

James Brook's code of conduct was a simple one: believe in God and trust in God's mercy and blessings. Take care of your family and those who depend on you. Do good where and when you can and have some fun along the way. Treat people with respect and build up, not tear down. Share good times and laughter and don't judge but be welcoming to all. Use your intellect and energy for what is positive and stay away from the negative. Live your life as fully as you can and be happy and grateful.

He passed away last summer. To memorialize Jim, his wife, Beverly, set up a field of interest fund at the Foundation to assist children and adults with developmental disabilities. It was established as the James R. Brook Fund.

He had a special place in his heart for those who were weaker or needed special help which led him to his life's work. Jim taught children with special needs both in the Mansfield City and Clear Fork Valley Schools. Outside the classroom, he was involved in coaching several sports, including football, basketball, track, and golf. For several years he worked with developmentally disabled adults at Richland Newhope. He continued his work with disabled adults at Dale Roy in Ashland, where he was the Director of D-R Services for over 23 years.

After his retirement, he assumed the position of CEO of the D-R Services Board, serving in that capacity until a stroke forced his permanent retirement in November of 2015.

He loved the game of golf and played almost every Saturday morning during golf season with a special group of friends.

A Gift of Grain



A Gift of Grain Fund was established by the Board to accept donations from

area farmers, and it provided an initial \$15,000 to seed the fund. The Foundation will work in partnership with local farmers to award grants to agriculture nonprofit organizations.

What is Gift of Grain?

Farmers looking to minimize their tax liability and contribute to their community can donate crops to the Richland County Foundation via a local elevator. The producer can select a fund, such as the Gift of Grain Fund, to receive the gift. Grants made from the Gift of Grain Fund go to Richland County agricultural-related nonprofits like FFA and 4H. It is a wonderful way to invest in Richland County.

Why give grain instead of cash?

Donated grain is not recorded as income; you may save all or some of the following taxes: self-employment taxes, federal, state & local income taxes. Available for cash basis farmers only.

You may minimize costly tax deduction phase-outs. Some tax benefits are taken away at higher levels of adjusted gross income (AGI). These benefits are retained when you give grain rather than cash.

You may receive additional tax benefits. IRS rules limit charitable contribution deductions to 50% of your AGI. (The percentage is 10% for C-corporations.) Since the donated grain is not reported as income,

by giving grain rather than cash, you can, in effect, give more and save more taxes than those limits allow. This is helpful either if you are especially generous or if you wish to "prepay" your donations in a given year.

The grain you give will not count as income in your government payments limitation caps calculations. If you are a high earning farmer, please contact us for more details. You may be able to effectively redirect significant sums of money from the government to causes you would rather support. Before donating a gift of grain contact your CPA or tax adviser to discuss your personal tax implications.

For more information go to richlandcountyfoundation.org



The Domestic Violence Shelter Diversifies its Funding

The leadership at The Domestic Violence Shelter wants to ensure its financial future. The board approved setting

up an agency endowed fund at the Richland County Foundation.

“The endowed fund is part of our strategic plan, and it helps us diversify our funding. It is one more step toward financial security,” said Domestic Violence Shelter CEO Kathy Ezawa.

Ezawa said they receive gifts from donors, fund raisers, and local, state, and federal funding to support the Shelter which can change from year-to-year.

The Shelter is expanding into a building adjacent to its current location. It will add 18 beds and 2,200

square feet which increases the capacity by 70%. Once the renovations are complete, the Shelter will be able to house about 58 people to address an increase in domestic violence in the community.

The building purchase was made possible by several donors including the following funds at the Foundation:

- Robert and Esther Black Family Foundation Fund
- Jennette C. Hartman Fund
- Fred B. and Marian J. Hout Fund
- Katherine L. Parker Fund
- Other donors included the Phillips Family Foundation and S.N. and Ada Ford Foundation.

Ezawa said a miracle occurred when The Shelter found out it qualified for a Community Development Block Grant from Richland County Regional Planning. Due to the pandemic, there were funds available, and the Shelter received a total of \$286,000.

The expanded Shelter should be open this year.



The We Above Me Alex Switzer Memorial Fund

According to his family, Alex Switzer was a kind, generous person who loved kids, senior citizens, dogs, and fishing. He died in a car accident in May, he was just 23 years old.

His mother, Melanie Kline-Switzer, and other family members want to remember Alex with a donor-advised fund at the Richland County Foundation to make grants to local nonprofits that he would have wanted to support.

The fund made grants to the Richland County Dog Warden to have a dog undergo obedience training at the Mansfield Correctional Institution. The training takes four to eight weeks, depending on the dog. The dog then will be up for adoption.

The fund also made grants to support 5K races for the Lucas Community Center and Forgotten Felines.

Kline-Switzer named the fund after the “We Above Me” award Alex earned as a member of the Lucas High School Football Team. She said it summed up his personality, putting other people (and the team) first.

Alex was a 2016 graduate of Lucas High School and was employed by Richland Lumber.

Proceeds from a Go-Fund Me account were used to start the fund at the Foundation.

Alex’s family plans future fundraisers to build the fund.



The Rotary Club of Mansfield celebrated its 100th anniversary by setting up a scholarship fund at the Foundation. It is called the Mansfield Rotary Centennial Scholarship Fund.

The scholarship will be awarded to nontraditional students to attend Ohio State University at Mansfield or North Central State College. The fund is designed to help returning Richland County adult students over the age of 25 who want to pursue a certificate or a degree.

“This scholarship could help address local workforce demands,” said Mansfield Rotary President Scott Young.

Both colleges have students with families who enroll in their 20s and 30s. They want to go back to school but the tuition is a financial burden. The scholarship will be paid directly to either OSU-M or NCSC and can be used for tuition, books, fees, or student needs.

Other projects funded by the Rotary Club to observe its anniversary were an old-fashioned street clock in the Carrousel District and a patio and furniture for addiction recovery patients at Catalyst Life Services.

The Rotary Club of Mansfield has three other endowed funds at the Richland County Foundation to ensure a long-term, stable source of funding: the Walter Willis Scholarship Fund, the McGowan Courage Award Fund, and the Rotary Club of Mansfield Tom Doty Community Fund.



Little Buckeye Children's Museum set up Imagination Stations at many events including the North End Community Improvement Collaborative Farmer's Market located on Bowman Street.



A New Lexington Scholarship Fund

Lexington Schools recently set up the Lexington Schools – Terry McCammon Scholarship Fund. It will award a scholarship to a graduating male athlete who has attained at least a 3.0-grade point average, earned two varsity letters, has not received a full scholarship, and demonstrated good sportsmanship throughout the year.

Plymouth Area Historical Society Museum Endowment Fund

This is a designated fund for the purpose of providing general support to the Plymouth Area Historical Museum.

EDUCATION

386 GRANTS
\$1,198,049



Shelby Dowd Elementary School students in Mrs. Mullet's class were excited to watch lettuce, strawberries, cilantro, basil, kale, and flowers grow throughout the winter. The original purchase of the garden was made possible by a grant from the Foundation and the Parent Teacher Organization purchased additional seeds and minerals.

Competitive

Clear Fork Valley Foundation

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$250

Discovery School

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$3,250

Mansfield Christian School

Scholarship Support — \$550

Mansfield City Schools

Martin Luther King Breakfast — \$250

Mansfield-Richland County Spelling Bee

Spelling Bee — \$400

North Central State College Foundation

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$6,500

St. Peter's School

Scholarship Support (2 grants) — \$1,650

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$6,250

Designated

Ashland University

Purchase Library Books — \$649

Clear Fork Valley Foundation

Grants and Scholarships — \$7,486

Lucas Local Schools

Educational & Athletic Programs & Materials
(9 grants) — \$34,128

Mansfield City Schools

Art and Music Programs (3 grants) — \$1,979

Methodist Theological Seminary

Scholarship for a Richland County Resident — \$261

North Central State College

Financial Aid to Richland County Students — \$4,304

North Central State College Foundation

General Support — \$39,473

The Ohio State University - Mansfield

Scholarship Support — \$28,798

Business Development Support — \$29,526

Faculty Development Support — \$7,589

Financial Aid to Richland County Students — \$17,215

Ontario Local Schools

General Support for Technology Programs — \$8,598

Donor Advised

Ashland University

Ashbrook Center General Support — \$15,000

Floral Beautification — \$5,000

Capital Research Center

General Support — \$20,000

Crestview Local Schools

Ceramics Program — \$1,375

Denison University

General Support — \$2,500

Discovery School

General Support (2 grants) — \$40,000

Richland Gives Matching Grant — \$5,000

Ed Choice

General Support — \$4,000

Emma Willard School

General Support — \$3,000

Judicial Watch, Inc.

General Support — \$15,000

The Leadership Institute

General Support — \$20,000

Lucas Local Schools

Scholarships (2 grants) — \$3,500

New Scoreboard — \$5,000

Madison Local Schools

One Book One School/Eastview — \$1,500

Sensory Friendly Equipment — \$1,784

Mansfield Christian School

General Operating — \$10,000

Mansfield City Schools

Malabar Hoop House — \$19,730

Doug Castle Legacy Scholarship - Breana Davis — \$2,000

Malabar Popcorn Project — \$4,000

Field Trip & Family Involvement Activities — \$99,046

Ski Club — \$6,000

Homelessness Support — \$2,000

Mansfield-Richland Area Educational Foundation

Winter Internship — \$2,100

Mid-Ohio Educational Service Center

Songwriters Workshop/FIRST School — \$1,500

Save a Life with CPR / Abraxas — \$1,485

North Central State College Foundation

Tuition Freedom Scholars Program — \$16,667

Kehoe Equipment for Criminal Justice — \$52,000

21st Century Healthcare — \$25,000

The Ohio State University Foundation

Scholarship Support (2 grants) — \$2,200

Pathfinder Village Foundation

Pathfinder School Main Entrance Project — \$5,000

Plymouth-Shiloh Local Schools

Art, Music & Theater Supplies — \$10,142

Soldiers & Sailors Memorial Museum

General Support — \$500

Special Projects and/or Displays — \$1,000

St. Peter's School

General Support — \$1,000

College & Trade School Scholarships

Scholarships

256 Scholarship grants

\$523,246

Teacher Assistance Program Grants

62 grants

\$71,668



Volunteers stock the shelves at the Lucas Community Center Food Pantry.

COVID Rapid Response Initiative

In response to the COVID pandemic, the Foundation Board of Trustees redirected resources to meet emerging needs.

The Foundation believes that generosity has the power to unite and heal communities in good times and bad. A global threat like COVID affects more than just the infected.

Throughout the pandemic \$1,089,231 was awarded for COVID Relief in the community. That total includes the funding from the Foundation's Community Fund, Donor Advised Funds, \$100,000 from Richland County Job and Family Services, and \$37,742 raised online via a special COVID Relief edition of Richland Gives in May 2020.



COVID Rapid Response grants were awarded to the following organizations:

American Red Cross, general support

Area Agency on Aging, deliver meals to people between the ages of 50 and 59 in Richland, Crawford, and Ashland counties.

Ashland Community Foundation, Emergency Fund

Avita Health Foundation, personal protective equipment and general support

Bellville Neighborhood Outreach Center, food pantry

Catholic Charities, rental assistance

Catalyst Life Services, personal protective equipment, telehealth, and tech support

Community Foundation of Otsego County, COVID Fund

Community Health Access Project (CHAP), diapers and formula

Domestic Violence Shelter, general support

Downtown Mansfield Inc., general support and Google ad grant assistance

Grace Episcopal Church, outdoor food pantry and food

Greater Ohio Policy Center, facilitate ARPA strategy

Harmony House, roof repair

Humane Society of Richland County, emerging needs at the shelter

Kingwood Center Gardens, Google ad grant assistance

Little Buckeye Children's Museum, emergency operating support and Google ad grant assistance

Love in the Name of Christ, copier

Madison Local Schools, final forms and nurse

Mansfield Area Y, general support

Mansfield Playhouse, Google ad grant assistance

Mansfield Art Center, emergency operating support and Google ad grant assistance

North Central State College, modified LPN program

Nuhop Center, experiential learning for respite care

Ohio Bird Sanctuary, general support and for Google ad grant assistance

OhioHealth Foundation, lodging for frontline healthcare providers

Raemelon Equestrian Therapeutic Center, emergency operating support

Renaissance Theatre, HVAC ventilation upgrade

Richland Astronomical Society, touchless telescope station

Richland Community Development Group, Google ad grant assistance

Richland Public Health, pop-up COVID Testing and Count on Me RC Campaign

Richland County Youth and Family Council, assistance to single adults, couples without minor children, and those over the age of 60 who have been impacted by COVID

Salvation Army, general support

Shelby YMCA, general support

The Mansfield Police Department received a grant to help fund a MILO De-Escalation Simulator. The simulator will provide officers opportunities to practice de-escalation techniques with real-time feedback. MPD also will utilize the equipment for community outreach. Pictured left to right: (Lt. Michael Napier, Chief Keith Porch and Assistant Chief Jason Bammann)

The grants to fund the simulator came from the following RCF funds: Roger A. and Elizabeth Thomas Black Fund, Gorman Fund, Mansfield Police Department Fund, and Fred B. and Marian J. Hout Fund.

Competitive

Altrusa Club of Mansfield

Richland Gives Video — \$2,000

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$3,250

Downtown Mansfield, Inc.

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$250

Mansfield Rising: Facade Improvement — \$15,000

Mansfield Rising: Infrastructure Replacement — \$24,804

Google Ads — \$6,000

General Support — \$29,900

Humane Society of Richland County

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$3,250

Richland Gives Video — \$2,000

Reorganization for Sustainability — \$20,000

Kingwood Center Gardens

Google Ads — \$6,000

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$500

Love Inc.

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$2,250

Lucas Community Center

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$15,250

City of Mansfield

Splash Pads in North End — \$56,000

MILO De-Escalation Simulator — \$96,982

North End Community Improvement Collaborative, Inc.

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$250

Philanthropy Ohio

Conference Support — \$1,000

Designated

Downtown Mansfield, Inc.

Brickyard Maintenance — \$5,800

Kingwood Center

General Support (3 grants) — \$17,207

City of Mansfield

MILO De-Escalation Simulator — \$12,838

Mansfield Richland County Public Library

Books and Talking Books — \$3,028

General Support — \$937

Mansfield Rotary Club Foundation

McGowan Courage Awards — \$6,230

North End Community Improvement Collaborative, Inc.

General Support (4 grants) — \$225,591

Ohio Genealogical Society

General Support — \$261

City of Ontario

Police Training — \$4,700

Richland County Habitat For Humanity

General Support — \$469

United Way of Richland County

General Support (2 grants) — \$45,477



COMMUNITY & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

75 GRANTS

\$1,465,296

Donor Advised

Altrusa Club of Mansfield

Buddy Bags — \$375

Community Foundation of Otsego County, Inc.

Founders Campaign — \$8,333

Downtown Mansfield, Inc.

Beautification Project (2 grants) — \$10,500

Horse Rescue Rehab and Retirement Foundation

General Support — \$500

Humane Society of Richland County

General Support (2 grants) — \$3,100

Winter Intern — \$2,400

Kingwood Center Gardens

Bike Trail Access Equipment — \$1,400

Internship Program (2 grants) — \$11,700

Honoring the Past; Growing the Future — \$4,000

Lucas Community Center

General Support (2 grants) — \$26,500

Food Bank — \$5,000

5K Support — \$250

Winter Intern — \$2,400

City of Mansfield

Safety Town — \$500

Splash Pads in North End (2 grants) — \$74,667

Summer Intern — \$4,800

MILO De-Escalation Simulator (2 grants) — \$26,000

West End Project — \$41,287

Monroe Township (Lucas)

Fire Department/Emergency Services — \$10,000

North End Community Improvement Collaborative, Inc.

Internship Program (2 grants) — \$16,500

General Support — \$300,000

Gro-Op — \$213,293

Ohio Genealogical Society

Winter Internship — \$2,100

Richland County Commissioners

Cell Dog Veterinary Bills (2 grants) — \$500

Richland County Habitat For Humanity

General Support — \$2,000

Richland County Regional Planning Commission

Summer Intern — \$4,800

United Way of Richland County

Friendly House — \$50,000

Power of the Purse — \$1,000

General Support (2 grants) — \$7,500

United Way Basic Needs Allocations Program — \$16,667

Village of Bellville

Bellville Dog Park - Finnigan's Run — \$10,000

Flying Horse Farm located in Mt. Gilead is a medical specialty camp that provides healing, transformative experiences for children with serious illnesses and their families – free of charge. A grant was awarded to help support Richland County children.

CHILDREN YOUTH FAMILIES

104 GRANTS
\$1,572,301



Competitive

Amateur Athletic Union of the U.S., Inc.
AAU National Championship — \$500

Friendly House Association
Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$1,250

Harmony House Homeless Services, Inc.
Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$250

Mansfield Area Y
Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$2,250
Richland Gives Video — \$2,000

The Little Buckeye Children's Museum
Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$1,250
Google Ads — \$6,000

Raemelton Therapeutic Equestrian Center
Equine Based Therapy Scholarships — \$18,500

Richland County Children's Auxiliary
Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$250
Richland Gives Video — \$2,000

Richland Pregnancy Services
Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$4,250
Richland Gives Video — \$2,000

Shelby Y Community Center
Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$2,250
Shelby YMCA Public Outdoor Complex — \$20,000

Visual Bucket List
Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$1,000
Richland Gives Video — \$2,000

Designated

Buckeye Council Boy Scouts of America, Inc.
General Support — \$10,208
Program Support in Richland County — \$207

Children's Dyslexia Center
General Support — \$45,850

Friendly House Association
General Support (4 grants) — \$3,436
Camperships (3 grants) — \$2,370

The Little Buckeye Children's Museum
Imagination District Capital Campaign (4 grants) — \$863,920

Mansfield Area Y
General Support (3 grants) — \$8,508
Support of Women and Children's Programs (3 grants) — \$21,509

Richland Carrousel Park, Inc.
General Support — \$26,008

Richland County Children Services
The Children Services Gift Fund (3 grants) — \$3,433

Richland County Children's Auxiliary, dba The New Store
General Support for the New Store — \$462

Richland Pregnancy Services
General Support — \$3,312

Trapshooting Hall of Fame
General Support — \$45,850

Donor Advised

Buckeye Council Boy Scouts of America, Inc.
Operations, Investment in Character — \$10,000
Johnny Appleseed District - 2021 Campaign — \$10,000

Flying Horse Farms
Richland County Campers (2 grants) — \$2,000
General Support — \$1,200

Galion Community Center YMCA
Youth Sponsor — \$1,000

Glimmerglass Festival

Wish List (2 grants) — \$32,500

Harmony House Homeless Services, Inc.

General Support (3 grants) — \$81,200

Program Support - Christmas — \$5,000

Historic Saranac Lake

Renovations — \$8,333

The Little Buckeye Children's Museum

Internship Program — \$4,800

General Support — \$1,000

Electrical Line Project — \$100,000

Madison Summer Baseball League Inc.

Upkeep of Baseball Fields — \$5,000

Make A Wish Foundation

Granting Wishes — \$3,333

Mansfield Area Y

Open Doors Program — \$65,000

Internship Program — \$4,800

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$250

Mid-Ohio Youth Mentoring

General Support — \$5,000

Nuhop Center for Experiential Learning

Summer Camp — \$750

Raemelon Therapeutic Equestrian Center

General Support (2 grants) — \$17,000

Horse Sponsorships (4 grants) — \$15,958

**Richland County Children's Auxiliary
dba The New Store**

General Support (2 grants) — \$1,400

Shelby Y Community Center

General Support — \$8,333

Wayne Center For the Arts

Music Production & Recording Studio — \$2,000

WOMEN'S FUND GRANTS

8 Grants — \$41,902

- **Richland County Youth & Family Council**
Child Care - Early Literacy & Social/Emotional Support
- **North End Community Improvement Collaborative**
Empower Me with NECIC
- **Altrusa Club of Mansfield, Ohio Foundation**
Girl's Buddy Bags
- **The Ohio State University Foundation**
Hand in Hand: Strategies for Resilience & Networking
- **Mansfield City Schools** Girls' Volleyball Nutrition Program
- **Crossroads Community Church** Girl Talk
- **Mansfield Area Y** Female Empowerment Self Protection
- **Love On A Mission** Fly Your Flag

SUMMERTIME KIDS PROGRAM

20 Grants — \$43,719

- **Richland County Board of DD**
Richland Newhope Campership Program
- **Mansfield Area Y** Serving Up Summer
- **The Little Buckeye Children's Museum** Imagination Stations
- **Kingdom Grace Fellowship**
Zoe's Learning Center STEM Field Trip
- **Flying Horse Farms** Richland County Camperships
- **LifeCare Alliance** CODA Camp Programs
- **Crestview Local Schools** Crestview Summer Art Enrichment
- **Independent Living Center of NCO** A Summer for the Books
- **Shelby City Schools** Camp Invention
- **Shelby City Schools** Safety Town
- **Mansfield Art Center**
S.T.E.A.M. into Multi-Media Mania Camp
- **The Salvation Army** Summer Zone 2021
- **Recreation Unlimited** Summer Residential Camp
- **Friends of the Richland County Park District** Critter Camp
- **Ohio Bird Sanctuary** Nature Camp
- **First English Lutheran Christian Day School**
Step Up the Beat
- **Friendly House Association** Summer Fun Program
- **Kingwood Center Gardens** Cultivation Education
- **Renaissance Performing Arts** Broadway Camp! and Broadway Camp Too!
- **Shelby Church of the Nazarene**
Going for the Gold



Scholarships were provided for students to engage in equine therapy at Raemelon Equestrian Center.



Competitive

Mansfield Art Center

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$250
Google Ads — \$6,000

Mansfield Community Playhouse

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$250
Google Ads — \$6,000
Richland Gives Video — \$2,000

North Central Ohio Industrial Museum

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$250

Renaissance Performing Arts

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$14,000

Richland Academy of the Arts, Inc.

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$5,250

Designated

Children's Theatre Foundation, Inc.

General Support — \$1,618

Mansfield Art Center

General Support (6 grants) — \$36,559

Mansfield Community Playhouse

General Support — \$454

Renaissance Performing Arts

Support of the Theatre (8 grants) — \$206,544
Support of the Mansfield Symphony (4 grants) — \$68,114
Support of the Mansfield Youth Orchestra — \$500
Imagination District Capital Campaign (4 grants) — \$547,820

Richland Academy of the Arts, Inc.

General Support — \$740

Richland County Historical Society

General Support (2 grants) — \$17,022

Richland County Museum

General Support — \$5,419

Donor Advised

Ashland Schine's Theater Organization

Operating Capital — \$16,666

Backcountry Concerts, Inc.

Backcountry Jazz Instruments — \$500

Bruce Museum, Inc.

General Support — \$1,000

Fenimore Art Museum

Youth Programs — \$11,667

Funk Heritage Museum

Dehumidifier for Art Collection — \$250
Education Fund — \$500

Mansfield Art Center

Building Project (4 grants) — \$197,000
Wallcoverings — \$5,333
Internship Program (2 grants) — \$25,141
Gifted & Summer Art Programs — \$6,564
General Support — \$16,667
Golden Legacy Endowment — \$10,000



ARTS & CULTURE

80 GRANTS
\$1,669,474

A "Step Up The Beat" room was created at the First English Lutheran Church Early Learning Center with a Summertime Kids grant.

Mansfield Community Playhouse

General Support — \$5,000
Seating & Lighting (2 grants) — \$32,867

Mansfield Reformatory Preservation Society

ADA Inclusive Elevator / Tech Upgrade — \$14,583

Mid Ohio Jazz Orchestra

Performance Project — \$1,200

Mid-Ohio Civic Opera, Inc.

Programs (2 grants) — \$8,667

North Central Ohio Industrial Museum

General Support — \$1,000

Plymouth Area Historical Society

General Support — \$5,000

Reinhardt University

Support for Falany Performing Arts — \$500

Renaissance Performing Arts

Support for Marketing and Growth — \$35,000
Operation Bridge Building — \$35,000
Internship Program — \$9,600
HVAC Upgrades — \$71,929
Building Purchase — \$150,000
Development Tickets (2 grants) — \$30,000
Angel Tickets (2 grants) — \$20,000
MSO Musicians' Relief Fund (2 grants) — \$1,250
General Support — \$500

Richland Academy of the Arts, Inc.

General Support (3 grants) — \$11,500
Internship Program — \$4,800
Scholarship Support — \$1,000

Richland Community Development Group

Art Sector - Art Festival in the Park — \$2,500

Warren Rupp Observatory

Maintenance of Observatory — \$17,500

Competitive

Catholic Charities

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$250
Richland Gives Video — \$2,000

The Domestic Violence Shelter, Inc.

Development Director — \$33,725
Building Purchase — \$50,000

Mansfield Cancer Foundation

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$250

Mid Ohio Guardianship Services, Inc.

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$250

Ohio District 5 Area Agency on Aging

Ritter's Run Project — \$60,000

The Salvation Army

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$2,250
Richland Gives Video — \$2,000

Starfish Project of Richland County

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$250

Designated

American Red Cross

General Support (2 grants) — \$592

The Domestic Violence Shelter, Inc.

General Support (2 grants) — \$4,995

Mansfield Cancer Foundation

General Support (4 grants) — \$31,739

Richland County Board of Developmental Disabilities

Community Park — \$300,000

Richland Newhope Industries, Inc.

Program Support — \$2,700

The Salvation Army

General Support (6 grants) — \$16,974

Volunteers of America

General Support — \$2,043

Donor Advised

33 Forever, Inc.

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$500

American Red Cross

General Support (3 grants) — \$18,000

Catholic Charities

Community Emergency/ Adult Advocacy Services — \$35,000
Food Pantry — \$1,000

Cooperstown Food Pantry, Inc.

Hunger Relief — \$833

The Domestic Violence Shelter, Inc.

Building Acquisition (2 grants) — \$10,333
General Support (2 grants) — \$11,200
Internship Program — \$4,800

Heaven's Gait Therapeutic Riding Inc.

Scholarships — \$500

Ohio District 5 Area Agency on Aging

Ritter's Run Project — \$20,000

Ohio Heartland Community Action

Food Pantry — \$1,000

Planned Parenthood of Greater Ohio

General Support — \$16,667

Richland County Veteran Mentoring Program

Veterans Yoga — \$2,600

Shelby Help Line Ministries

General Support — \$5,000

The Salvation Army

General Support (2 grants) — \$5,500
Food Pantry — \$1,000

United Way of Ashland County

General Support — \$3,333

United Way of North Central Ohio

Annual Fund — \$1,000

Upstate Home for Children Foundation

Early Childhood Access Coordinator (2 grants) — \$11,667

HUMAN SERVICES

52 GRANTS
\$659,951



Catholic Charities provides the 3E Program to local employers at their worksite. The goal is to encourage, empower, and engage employees to overcome barriers to work by providing information and resources. Richland Newhope Raintree employee Jennifer Anderson talked with Catholic Charities Community Emergency Services Program Coordinator Brian Hunt.

The Ohio District 5 Area Agency on Aging broke ground for a new apartment complex on Ohio Street in Mansfield. Partners in the project included the Foundation, Richland County Land Bank, City of Mansfield, Mechanics Bank and PROXIA Partners.

HEALTH SERVICES

26 GRANTS
\$83,097



Several funds supported Richland County families' overnight accommodations at the Ronald McDonald House in Columbus.

Competitive

Catalyst Life Services

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$250

Richland Public Health

COVID-19 Rapid Response Initiative — \$4,500

Ronald McDonald House Charities of Central Ohio

Helping Hands Program — \$5,000

Third Street Family Health Services

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$250

Designated

Alzheimer's Association-Northwest Ohio Chapter

General Support — \$422

Catalyst Life Services

General Support (2 grants) — \$6,423

IT Improvements — \$16,252

Hospice of North Central Ohio, Inc.

Bereavement Camp Operations — \$770

Mansfield Memorial Homes

General Support — \$4,381

Employee Awards — \$2,022

OhioHealth Foundation

Mansfield Hospital — \$469

OhioHealth Mansfield Hospital

General Support — \$1,752

Third Street Family Health Services

General Support — \$222

Donor Advised

Akron Children's Hospital Foundation

Mansfield Facility - Kindergarten Readiness — \$5,000

Mansfield Facility - Safety & Hygiene Program — \$3,000

Catalyst Life Services

General Support (3 grants) — \$6,250

Internship Program — \$4,800

Conference Technology (2 grants) — \$3,500

Family Planning of South Central New York

Access to Healthcare — \$6,667

Helios Care

Easing Suffering Through Hospice Care — \$6,667

Lifeline of Ohio

General Support — \$1,500

OhioHealth Mansfield Hospital

Hospice Program — \$3,000

CHURCHES

25 GRANTS
\$102,067

Competitive

Linden Road Presbyterian Church

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$3,250

Grace Episcopal Church

Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$250

Designated

First Christian Church

General Support — \$362

First Congregational Church

General Support (5 grants) — \$21,321

Support for Individual Assistance

Program — \$500

Music Department Support — \$1,852

Mansfield 1st EPC

General Support (2 grants) — \$2,875

Saint John's United Church of Christ

General Support — \$540

Donor Advised

First Congregational Church

General Support (2 grants) — \$3,700

First United Methodist Church

Legal Aid Support — \$1,500

Grace Episcopal Church

Food Pantry (2 grants) — \$6,000

Resurrection Parish

General Support (2 grants) — \$50,000

St. Peter's Parish

Music Series (2 grants) — \$8,167

Waleska United Methodist Church

General Support (2 grants) — \$750

Choir Robe Fund — \$500

Air Conditioning — \$500

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT UPDATE

In 2015 the Foundation invested \$1.1 million in a transformative five-year plan to address local business retention and expansion, workforce development and entrepreneurship. In 2018 the Foundation Board voted to maintain the amount invested in Richland Community Development Group through 2021.

“This was an opportunity to alter the economic development landscape in our area,” said Foundation President Brady Groves. “We wanted to invest in and partner with existing economic development organizations to encourage a new community development strategy that nurtures greater collaboration.”

“We are not the economic developers. However, while recognizing the valuable work already underway in the community, our Board of Trustees decided to commit financial resources for the development and implementation of a long-term strategic plan,” said Groves.

The strategic plan included:

- The centralization of business retention and expansion and workforce development efforts
- A scale-up program to identify and target services to area companies to address specific challenges and catalyze growth
- The empowerment of existing organizations to promote entrepreneurship and related services across the county

Two positions were created at RCDG; director of business, retention and expansion and workforce development.

Richland County Job and Family Services invested \$50,000 the first two years in the workforce development portion of the project. Each year since then, RCJFS has invested \$60,000.

In 2021 the Richland County commissioners appropriated \$100,000 to the Richland Area Chamber & Economic Development which incorporated RCDG to continue the work that began in 2015.



Photo credit: Richland Community Development Group

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

14 GRANTS
\$158,390

Competitive

Greater Ohio Policy Center
ARPA Strategy (3 grants) — \$21,290

Richland Community Development Group
Workforce, Retention & Expansion — \$100,000
Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$250
Google Ads — \$6,000
Art Sector - Tributary Reader — \$1,000

Donor Advised

Crawford County Partnership
Programming — \$5,000

Idea Works
General Support — \$1,000

Richland Community Development Group
General Support — \$15,200
Art Sector - Tributary Reader — \$1,500
West End Project — \$250
Internship Program (2 grants) — \$6,900



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ENVIRONMENT

53 GRANTS
\$391,035

Many community donors celebrated the new and unique treehouse classroom at the Ohio Bird Sanctuary. The treehouse was supported by many donors including the Foundation with Leona M. Miles Fund for Children with Physical Disabilities and the following donor-advised funds; Brian Arthur Adair Fund, Remy-McCollough Family Trust Fund, David E. and Theresa E. Siebold Fund, Christopher Mark Stull Fund, and the Robert and Esther Black Family Foundation Fund

Competitive

- Friends of the Richland County Park District**
Richland Gives Video — \$2,000
B&O Bike Trail Resurfacing Project — \$52,500
- North Central Ohio Land Conservancy, Inc.**
Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$1,000
- Ohio Bird Sanctuary**
Google Ads — \$6,000
Richland Gives - Matching Grant — \$1,250

Designated

- Friends of the Richland County Park District**
General Support — \$469
- Ohio Bird Sanctuary**
General Support — \$20,614

Donor Advised

- Forgotten Felines of Richland County, Inc.**
5K Support — \$250
- Friends of the Richland County Park District**
B&O Bike Trail Maintenance & Trencher — \$12,500
B&O Bike Trail Resurfacing Project (7 grants) — \$141,084
B&O Bike Trail Land Survey — \$760
Building Drawings (3 grants) — \$7,125
Internship Program — \$9,600
- Heartwood, Inc.**
General Support — \$1,000
- Highlands Nature Sanctuary**
Killbuck Swamp — \$500
- Killbuck Watershed Land Trust**
Killbuck Swamp — \$500

- The Nature Conservancy**
General Support — \$500
- North Central Ohio Land Conservancy, Inc.**
Special Projects — \$1,000
General Support — \$1,000
- The Ocean Conservancy**
General Support — \$500
- Ohio Bird Sanctuary**
Internship Program — \$9,600
General Support (2 grants) — \$5,500
Accessible Treehouse Classroom (10 grants) — \$60,250
Accessible Trails — \$25,000
Bridge to the Future — \$1,000
- Ohio Environmental Council**
General Support — \$4,000
Wayne National Forest — \$1,000
- Old Growth Forest Network**
General Support — \$500
- Richland Soil and Water Conservation District**
Internship Program (2 grants) — \$7,200
- Sierra Club Foundation**
General Support (2 grants) — \$2,500
- Supporters of Del-Nor Wiggins Park, Inc.**
Children's Art Show — \$1,000
- The Trust for Public Land**
Flying Squirrel Preserve — \$8,333
- Western Reserve Land Conservancy**
Niss Waterfall Preserve — \$5,000

 **GRAND TOTAL**
\$7,299,660



North Central State College held orientation for its modified licensed practical nurse (LPN) program to increase the number of nurses. The pandemic created a nursing shortage locally and across the country. The new program will last six months instead of 10. The grant will support tuition, uniforms, transportation, and daycare to students in need.

SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

- Frank & Bee Ackard Memorial Fund
- Banks-Willeke-Bunfill Scholarship Fund
- Robert G. & Mary Nell Beer Scholarship Fund
- Meg Black Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Black Women United Scholarship for Success Fund
- Thomas C. & Virginia A. Blizzard Fund
- Joseph T. "Jep" Bloor Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Mary Jane Bolus Scholarship Fund
- Emily Campbell Brown & Charles Gailey Brown "First Generation to College" Fund
- Cardinal Civitan District Scholarship Fund
- Karyne & Joe Carey Scholarship Fund
- Mary & Maxton Case Fund
- Children's Theatre Foundation, Inc. Endowment Fund
- Christ Lutheran Church of Lexington Scholarship Fund
- James H. Clements II Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Consolidated Scholarship Fund
- Cornerstone Freewill Baptist Church Scholarship Fund
- Davidson Scholarship Fund
- Tim Davis, Jr. Scholarship Fund
- Shelley Dees Memorial Fund
- Neil Doerman Bowling Green State University Scholarship Fund
- Neil Doerman North Central State College Scholarship Fund
- Dean A. & Eleanor H. Eckert Fund
- Marilyn J. & David P. Eckstein Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Joseph W. Elrod Scholarship Fund
- Miriam & Russell Ferrell Scholarship Fund
- M.I. & Feenie Fillweber Scholarship Fund
- Mark S. Fisher Memorial Scholarship Fund
- George & Pam Fonseca Scholarship Fund
- Phil Ford Scholar Athlete Scholarship Fund
- S.N. & Ada Ford Scholarship Fund
- Diane L. Gibson Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Earl H. Goetz Fund in Honor of Major McGowan
- Earl H. Goetz Fund in Honor of Vern Stover
- William G. and Margie Kauf Hailey English Scholarship Fund
- Eugene & Ruth Oestreich Harsch Scholarship Fund
- Charles H. & Dorothy B. Hickox Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Ocie Hill Scholarship Fund
- Betty J. Horner Scholarship Fund
- Susan L. Jaynes Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Monica M. Kaye Memorial Fund
- Edwin Park Kell Scholarship Fund
- Mary M. Kowalchik Scholarship Fund
- Lexington Alumni Association Scholarship Fund
- Lexington Kiwanis Club Scholarship Fund
- Licensed Practical Nurse Assoc. of Ohio, Division #5 Scholarship Fund
- Reggie Luby Scholarship Fund
- Ruth E. Lutz Fund
- Mansfield Noon Lions Club Scholarship Fund
- **Mansfield Rotary Centennial Scholarship Fund**
- Patricia Maxwell Scholarship Fund
- Sandy Mazur / Spherion Excellence in Leadership Scholarship Fund
- Eleanor Searle McCollum Scholarship Fund
- Nancy McConnell Special Education Scholarship Fund
- Mentzer Scholarship Fund
- John L. Morley Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Ontario Alumni Assoc. Scholarship Fund
- Helen Keating Ott Library Scholarship Fund
- Katy Ault Phillips Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Richland County Medical Auxiliary Scholarship Fund
- Richard David Ronk Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Grace S. & Joe R. Roby Scholarship Fund
- Roby Family Fund
- Fran & Warren Rupp Scholarship Fund
- Eleanor S. Ryckman Memorial Scholarship Fund
- The Richard & Mary Schuttera Fund
- Paul & Adelyn Shumaker Fund
- A. Richard Stofer Scholarship Fund
- Dorris C. Stofer Scholarship Fund
- Donald F. Thompson Fund
- Frederick L. & Harriett S. Tracy Scholarship Fund
- Richard & Sally Uhde STEM Scholarship Fund
- University & College Access Network Scholarship Fund
- University Club Educational Foundation-James P. Weldon Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Gregory VanScyoc Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Helen S. Weldon Scholarship Fund
- James P. Weldon Scholarship Fund
- William M. Weldon Scholarship Fund
- Walter W. Willis Rotary Scholarship Fund
- Marilyn A. Wilson Scholarship Fund
- Ashley Yetzer Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Yuncker Memorial Fund

Bold Type indicates new fund



Unrestricted Funds offer the donor and Foundation the broadest options to address and to impact the community's current and ever-changing needs.

The Richland Early American Center for History completed construction of a blacksmith's shop with grant support from the Foundation to complement the existing 1812 Blockhouse and 1808 log cabin in South Park in Mansfield.

UNRESTRICTED FUNDS

- Betty J. Adair Fund
- Anonymous Donor Community Support Fund
- P.K. Athmaram, MD Fund
- Hejjaji & P.K. Athmaram, MD Fund
- C. Wilson & Josephine Mayberry Barnes Fund
- Robert B. Black Fund
- Roger A. & Elizabeth Thomas Black Fund
- Betty J. Blackstone Fund
- Virginia A. & Thomas C. Blizzard Fund
- Board Discretionary Fund
- Marion B. Bowers Fund
- Katharine C. Bristor Fund
- Roy G. & Nancy Y. Brown Fund
- Helen M. Burkholder Fund
- Joan B. & Truman Clark Fund
- Rex E. & Marjorie Sue Collins Fund
- Community Endowment Fund
- John B. & Pearl R. Conard Charitable Fund
- Consolidated Memorial Fund
- Marian M. Constance Fund
- William R. & Mary Jane Cress Fund
- Pearl M. Danback Fund
- Earle J. & Dottie Deems Fund
- Dean A. & Eleanor H. Eckert Fund
- Jessie L. Eckert Fund
- Doris J. & Robert H. Enskat Fund
- David W. & Louise W. Evans Fund
- David N. & Miriam G. Feiser Memorial Fund
- Fellows Fund
- Charles C. Fox Fund
- Florence Fox Fund
- James H. Germany Fund
- Carl B. & Marie L. Gibson Fund
- Earl H. Goetz Fund
- Roger M. & Elizabeth B. Gray Fund
- James H. Hoffman Fund
- Herbert S. Jones Fund
- Jesse LaDow Fund
- Nanciann P. McCormick Fund
- Dell Armstrong McMillen Fund
- Verdabelle Plank Miller Fund
- Dr. Donald E. Mills Fund
- Milton C. & Mary Louise Oakes Fund
- Katherine L. Parker Fund
- Catherine L. Rall Fund
- Edna K. Rex Fund
- Jane W. & John Bradley Rhind Fund
- Richland Gives Day of Giving Fund
- Betty Deisler Risser Fund
- Dell M. Robinson Fund
- John & Dell Robinson Family Fund
- Margaret Hay Russell Fund
- Alice B. and Allen M. Sanford Fund
- Jean U. & George V. Sauter Fund
- Esther Fickes Shaffer Fund
- Shelby Home & Public Health Endowment Fund
- Thomas A. & Clara H. Siegenthaler Fund
- Mary C. Slabaugh Fund
- Walter C. Stevens Family Fund
- Mary Mead Sturges & Robert Sturges Memorial Fund
- Alan P. Tappan Fund
- Heloise H. Tappan Memorial Fund
- Paul R. Tappan Fund
- W. Richard Tappan Fund
- Pauline S. Treisch Fund
- Charles R. Underhill Fund
- Mary L. Ward Fund
- Raymond & Lorraine Welte Fund
- Mary S. Wilsdon Fund
- Marion Draffan Wisdom Fund
- Charles G. Young Family Fund
- F. Wayne & Isabel Bogan Young Fund

Bold Type indicates new fund

Charitable Fund Options

Unrestricted Fund Broad gift for community; Foundation awards grants

Field of Interest Fund Targeted gift to specific area; Foundation awards grants

Designated Fund Gift to benefit a specific organization

Donor Advised Fund Gift fund for donor recommended grantmaking

 Impact Flexibility  Donor Involvement





Field of Interest Funds allow our donors the opportunity to support specific interests within a broad area such as children's programs, the arts, education, the elderly, or health services.

A grant helped build a new outdoor basketball and volleyball court at the Shelby YMCA.

FIELD OF INTEREST FUNDS

- Ronald L. & Janeen E. Adams Fund
- George W. Blymyer Fund
- Henry A. & Melissa J. Booth Memorial Fund
- **James R. Brook Fund**
- Chambers Family Foundation Fund
- Child Care Choices Fund
- Emeline Fate Christian Memorial Fund
- Peter S. Clark Memorial Fund
- Scott F. Coffin Fund
- Fran Conley, Joanne Williams & Betty Finlayson Fund
- Connections Fund
- Consolidated Individual Assistance Fund
- Lillian R. Dickson Fund
- Dean & Eleanor H. Eckert Fund
- Frances Fern Ecki Fund
- Bob & Esther Fry Fund
- Richard David Gardner Fund
- Richard R. & Veda J. Gardner Fund
- **Gift of Grain Fund**
- Steve Goldman Fund
- Guy T. Goodman Trust Fund
- Charlotte B. Gugler Fund
- James H. Hoffman Fund
- James A. Jones, MD Memorial Fund
- Helen Kaufman Fund
- Land Preservation Fund for Richland County
- Lexington Congregational Church Legacy Fund
- Margaret Ann Lindley Fund
- Esther G. Lutz Fund
- Floyd H. Lutz Fund
- Ralph C. Lutz Fund
- Betty Martin Elementary Education Fund
- A. Robert & Eve Matthews Fund
- Barbara A. Mau Field of Interest Fund
- Michael Robert McBride Memorial Fund
- Harry & Lois McCullough Fund
- Eleanor Searle McCollum Teacher & Education Fund
- Leona M. Miles Fund
- Verdabelle Plank Miller Fund
- Mid Ohio Drug Prevention Coalition Fund
- Mary J. Poticny Fund
- **Realizing Richland Fund**
- Earl J. & Carlie Leona Muth Memorial Fund
- Scattergood Fund
- Katharine McIntyre Shaffer Fund
- Siebert Arts Fund
- Howard & Majoria S. Smith-Bellville Community Trust Fund
- Smokeless America Foundation Fund
- Ethel Mayer Southeast Community Fund
- The Store Fund
- Summertime Kids Fund
- Heloise H. Tappan Estate Fund
- Paul R. Tappan Fund
- Teacher Assistance Program Fund
- Sarah B. Thomas Fund
- Voegele-Bahl Endowment Fund
- Ed Wadman Scleroderma Research Fund
- Ralph O. & Sarah L. Wise Fund
- Women's Fund
- Fund for Young Children with ALD

Bold Type indicates new fund

DONOR DESIGNATED FUNDS

- Charles V. & Constance D. Adair Fund
- Alzheimer's Association of NCO Endowment Fund
- Michael & Tina Bennett Fund
- John F. & Elizabeth W. Bissman Fund
- Raymond & Bessie Bixler Memorial Fund
- Esther M. Black Fund
- Betty J. Blackstone Fund
- Thomas C. & Virginia A. Blizzard Fund
- Boy Scouts of America Endowment Fund
- John S. & Laura Barr Brant Fund
- Betty Butler Fund
- Chiudioni Memorial Fund
- Clear Fork Valley Foundation Fund

Donor Designated Funds allow donors the opportunity to provide annual support to specific charities of their choice.



The Salvation Army hosted its Summer Zone with support from a grant. It provided fun and educational activities.

- Rex E. & Marjorie Sue Collins Fund
- Croghan Family Fund for Renaissance Performing Arts
- Croghan Family Fund for Richland Academy
- Mary E. Delp Fund
- Downtown Mansfield Inc. Brickyard Maintenance Fund
- Finefrock Memorial Fund
- First Congregational Church of Mansfield, OH Permanent Endowment Fund
- Founders Fund
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- Richard R. & Veda J. Gardner Fund
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- **Harland L. and Joan M. Groves Fund**
- James H. Hoffman Fund
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- Mansfield Art Center Endowment Fund
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- Mansfield Police Department Fund
- Mansfield University Foundation Endowment Fund
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- McGowan Courage Awards Fund
- John A. & Florence B. Mintz Fund
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- North End Community Improvement Collaborative Inc. Fund
- Milton C. & Mary Louise Oakes Fund
- Gertrude M. Odson Fund
- Ohio Genealogical Library Endowment Fund
- OSU/NCTC Photo Arts Fund
- **Plymouth Area Historical Society Museum Endowment Fund**
- Rowland & Delight Patricia Poth Fund
- Rainbow's End Christian Center Fund in Memory of Elizabeth Copp
- **Realizing Richland Fund**
- Renaissance Performing Arts Assoc. Inc. Fund
- Rich History Alliance Fund
- Richland Community Development Group Fund
- Richland County Sheriff's Office Fund
- Roby Family Fund
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- Merris & Jean Welge Fund for the Ontario Police Department
- Diana Wilkinson Memorial Fund
- Charles G. Young Family Fund

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- Annette L. McCormick Fund for the Environment
- The Remy-McCollough Family Trust Fund

AGENCY DESIGNATED FUNDS

- Community Action for Capable Youth
- Friendly House Association Capital Fund
- Kingwood Center Fund
- **Lexington Local Schools - Terry McCammon Scholarship Fund**
- Malabar Farm Foundation Fund
- Mansfield Aviation Club Fund
- Mansfield City Public Schools Fund
- Mansfield City Schools Fine Arts Fund
- North Central Ohio Land Conservancy Designated Fund

Richland School of Academic Arts received a Teacher Assistance Program grant to set up a "Starbooks Cafe" for its students.

- George A. & Olive L. Miller Fund
- Miller/Pattillo Memorial Fund
- Mind Body Align Charitable Fund
- MP Marion Fund
- Jana & Pat Mulherin Fund
- Mary Ann Nore Donor Advised Fund
- Jones Porter Nauman Family Fund
- Northwest Community Fund
- Richland Source Community Fund
- Grace S. & Joe R. Roby Fund
- Regional Manufacturing Coalition Fund
- Rotary Club of Mansfield - Tom Doty Community Fund
- Fran & Warren Rupp Advised Fund
- Sandy Cross Donor Advised Fund
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- David E. & Theresa E. Siebold Fund
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- Robert J. & Stella F. Sutter Fund
- Richard G. & Helen Taylor Fund
- Third Street Family Health Services Donor Advised Fund
- Thomas Family Fund
- Richard C. & Sally H. Uhde Fund
- Warner-Kafer Family Fund
- **We Above Me Alex Switzer Memorial Fund**
- Marion Draffan Wisdom Fund

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The North Central Ohio Industrial Museum opened at the Ohio State Reformatory in Mansfield. A long list of donors made gifts to the NCO Industrial Museum including several funds at the Foundation: Katharine Bristor Fund, Robert & Esther Black Family Foundation Fund, the Richard G. & Helen Taylor Fund, and the Charles R. Underhill Fund.

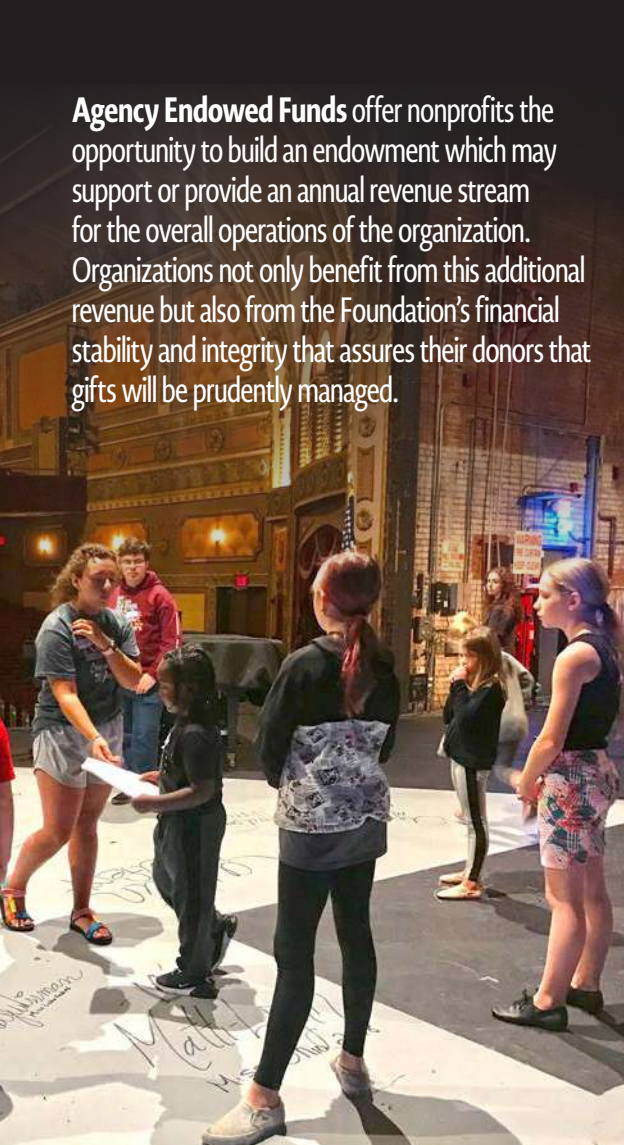


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Agency Endowed Funds offer nonprofits the opportunity to build an endowment which may support or provide an annual revenue stream for the overall operations of the organization. Organizations not only benefit from this additional revenue but also from the Foundation's financial stability and integrity that assures their donors that gifts will be prudently managed.



Dauphne Maloney has coordinated Camp Broadway at the Renaissance Theatre for over 12 years. With help from volunteers, students enjoy the acting experience.

AGENCY ENDOWED FUNDS

- Carrousel Community Trust Fund
- Catalyst Life Services Endowment Fund
- Children's Theatre Foundation, Inc. Endowment Fund
- Discovery School Endowment Fund
- **Domestic Violence Shelter Fund**
- First Congregational Church Endowment Fund (D&I)
- First Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), Mansfield, Ohio Endowment Fund
- Hospice of North Central Ohio Endowment Fund
- Hospice of North Central Ohio Children's Bereavement Camp Fund
- Malabar Farm Foundation Endowment Fund
- Mansfield Area Y Endowment Fund
- Mansfield Cancer Foundation Endowment Fund
- Mansfield Cancer Foundation - Pat Kracker Breast Cancer Fund
- Mansfield Christian School Endowment Fund
- Mansfield Fine Arts Guild, Inc. Endowment Fund
- Mansfield Playhouse Endowment Fund
- Mansfield Reformatory Preservation Society Fund
- Mansfield Symphony Society Endowment Fund
- North Central Technical College (N.C.T.C.) Foundation Endowment Fund
- Ohio Bird Sanctuary Endowment Fund
- Ontario Public Schools Technology Fund B
- OSU-Mansfield Business Program Endowment Fund
- OSU-Mansfield Faculty Development Endowment Fund
- OSU-Mansfield Scholarship Endowment Fund
- Pioneer Career & Technology Center Fund A
- Richland Academy Endowment Fund
- Richland County Historical Society Endowment Fund
- Richland Newhope Center Fund
- Third Street Family Health Services Agency Fund
- United Way of Richland County Endowment Fund
- YWCA of Mansfield Endowment Fund

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Cristen Gilbert is a long-time donor to the Connections Fund.



Connections Fund is a group of vibrant, young professionals and leaders. They contribute to an endowed fund and award grants to Richland County nonprofit organizations. The goal is to foster charitable giving and community involvement. For more information on how to get involved with the Connections Fund contact Community Investment Officer Siera Marth-May at smarth@rcfoundation.org

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Women's Fund Advisory Committee members L to R front row: Amy Hiner, Margaret Lin, Linda Smith, Elizabeth Daniels, Heidi Jones, vice-chair, and Kristine Lindeman, chairwoman. Back row L to R: Nikki Lewis, Sarah Horrigan-Ramos, Amy Brunell, Carol Payton, Deanna West-Torrence, Brigitte Coles, Debra Weaver, and Veronica Williams Payne.

Women's Fund Celebrates 25th Anniversary

The Women's Fund of the Richland County Foundation celebrated its 25th anniversary. The Women's Fund was established in 1996 as a permanent endowment to empower women and girls. The original founders were Linda Smith, Suzanne Davis, Dr. Erin Fain, Catherine Goldman, Carol Goldman, Edith Humphrey, Joanne Humphrey, Carol Payton, Bets Risser, and Suzanne Wilson.

During its grant awards luncheon, the WF awarded \$25,000 to Richland County Youth and Family Council for the childcare initiative for a third year. RCYFC has matched the \$25,000 each year of the project. In its strategic plan, the Women's Fund is committed to making quality childcare affordable and accessible to all women.



Other grants were award:

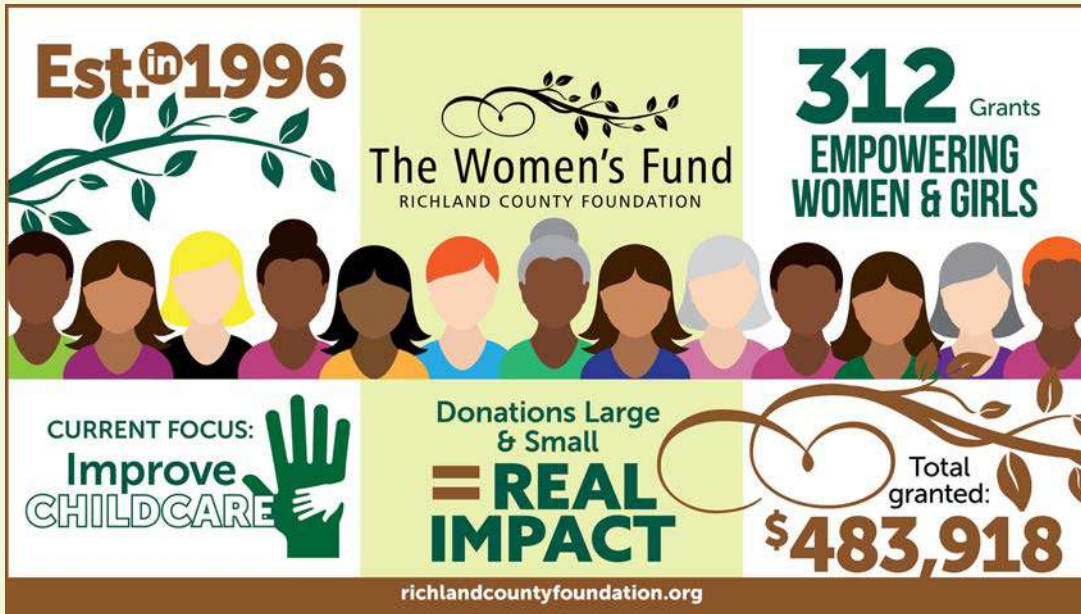
- North End Community Improvement Collaborative, Empower Me Mentoring Program
- Altrusa Club, Buddy Bags for homeless students
- Ohio State University at Mansfield, Women and Girls Networking Program
- Mansfield Senior High School, Girls Volleyball Team for a Nutrition Program
- Crossroads City Center, Girl Talk
- Mansfield Area Y, Female Empowerment Self-Protection Class
- Love on a Mission, Fly Your Flag Program



The WF announced the JoAnn Dutton Volunteer Community Service Award. The award was named in honor of JoAnn Dutton, former executive director of the Mansfield YWCA. It celebrates and honors women who devote a significant amount of time and energy in a meaningful way to local charitable organizations.

Linda Smith was given the award. One of her most notable acts of volunteerism was the creation of the Women's Fund. She served on boards at the Foundation, where she was the second woman to serve as chair, the Mansfield Area YMCA, Planned Parenthood, MedCentral Mansfield Hospital Auxiliary, Avita Health System, Park National Bank, and the Malabar Farm Foundation.

Linda is pictured with her daughter Lauren Smith.



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You can add to your fund – or even establish new funds – later as a component of your estate planning. Those gifts might include many of the assets described above, plus: IRAs, realized insurance policies, appreciated stock, and income-producing tools like charitable gift annuities.

Your assets will flow directly into the charitable funds you designate.

And, as always, we are happy to collaborate with you and your professional advisor, free of charge to both of you.

Bequest by Will or Trust

When you make plans for a gift to Richland County Foundation through your estate let us know so you can become a member of the Legacy Society. A bequest to Richland County Foundation can be easily made through a simple designation in a will or trust to establish a fund or add to an existing fund. You may also establish a fund in your name that will go into effect after your lifetime.

Charitable Gift IRAs or Retirement Plans

If you plan to make a charitable bequest, a retirement plan is one of the best types of assets to transfer to a charity because it produces taxable income. Most assets that an heir inherits are free from income tax. However, an heir will pay income tax on disbursements from a decedent's retirement plan such as a profit-sharing plan, Section 401(k) plan, or IRA. If you are going to make a charitable request, it is usually better to transfer the taxable assets subject to income tax to a tax-exempt charity — such as Richland County Foundation — and to transfer the non-taxable assets not subject to income tax to heirs.

Charitable Remainder Trust

You can place cash or property in a trust that pays an annual income to you (or another named beneficiary) for life. After your death, the remainder of the trust transfers to your community foundation and is placed into a charitable fund you have selected. You receive income tax benefits the year you establish your trust.

Life Insurance Beneficiary

Life insurance provides an effortless way for you to give a significant gift to charity, with tax benefits that you can enjoy during your lifetime. By naming the Foundation as beneficiary, you retain ownership of the policy and have access to the cash value as well as the right to change the beneficiary. This type of contribution allows you to give to your favorite charity after you die, even if you do not have the liquid assets right now. While you retain ownership of the policy, there is no charitable deduction for the value of the policy when you designate the Foundation as the beneficiary or for subsequent insurance premiums. However, any proceeds payable to the Foundation at your death will not be subject to federal estate taxes.



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