

# ANNUAL REPORT 2018



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## BRIDGING YESTERDAY, TODAY & TOMORROW

The mission of the Shiawassee Community Foundation is to enrich the quality of life in the Shiawassee County region by building sustainable funds from a wide range of donors to support emerging community needs.

The Shiawassee Community Foundation continues to be in compliance with the U.S. Community Foundations accreditation program for National Standards. National Standards indicates that the Shiawassee Community Foundation is a responsible steward of contributions and is dedicated to the community and its partners and leaders.

# LETTER TO THE COMMUNITY

The future of the Shiawassee Community Foundation relies upon our ability to build bridges . . . bridges between the Foundation and our donors and bridges that connect our donors to the community. With this focus in mind, there have been several important changes this past year.

Our new online scholarship program was launched and has already proven to be a wonderful asset for the Foundation and its applicants. Our Youth Advisory Council (YAC) students were proud to say they made over 120 families happy this Christmas with gifts for their children. The Foundation's funds grew to just under \$10 million this year! Our Executive Director, Carol Soule, retired at the end of December, and Kim Renwick was brought in to continue the Foundation's work.

Carol stated, "I am thankful for all the wonderful people I have met over the past 17 years and will cherish all the memories. In the past two decades, the assets of the Foundation have grown from \$1.8 million to \$9.3 million, thanks to the generosity of many donors. I've always considered myself fortunate to be surrounded by good people and have had a great staff and supportive board members during my tenure. It has been my privilege to serve Shiawassee County in this capacity, and I will miss the relationships we've built over the years.

"We were pleased to announce that Kim Renwick, a long-time resident of Shiawassee County with an extensive financial background, is our new Executive Director. I know that Kim will do a great job carrying on the purpose and mission of the Foundation."

Kim responded, "I am very excited to be serving the residents of Shiawassee County in this capacity. Carol has done such a wonderful job growing the Foundation to what it is today. We have a very strong support staff with Jessica Hickey as the YAC Advisor/Creative Assistant and Lisa Clark as the office Administrative Assistant. I am looking forward to continuing the partnerships with local agencies, businesses, and residents that Carol has cultivated so the Foundation can continue to grow."

By building new bridges and strengthening the ones we already have, the Shiawassee Community Foundation's legacy work will flourish and thrive. We wish you a prosperous New Year!

## FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE

The Shiawassee Community Foundation is fully accountable to its donors and the citizens of our community. The audited financial statements and IRS 990 and IRS 990-T (if it becomes necessary for the Foundation to file such a form) are open to public inspection. Our records, with the exception of specific donor information, are available upon request.

# SCF WELCOMES A NEW EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Our long-time Executive Director, Carol Soule, retired at the end of 2018. Please join us in bidding her a fond farewell and welcoming our new director, Kimberly Renwick. Kim was born and raised in Shiawassee County. She earned her Bachelor's degree in Business Administration with a major in Marketing from Cleary College as well as an Associate's degree in Business Administration from Lansing Community College. She has more than 23 years of banking experience.

Kim is currently President of the Shiawassee American Red Cross Council and serves on the Baker College career advisory board. She is also a volunteer for the Owosso Community Players. Kim is a past Leadership Shiawassee graduate, past president of the Shiawassee Arts Council, and was previously a member of the Respite Board.

"I'm very excited to be back working in this community, serving the residents of Shiawassee County in this capacity. There are many long-term members on the Foundation board, and I am looking forward to their insight and vision for future growth. There's also a real collaboration with the other non-profits in our area, which is a great asset," stated Kim.



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serving the residents of  
Shiawassee County in this  
capacity."

Kim Renwick  
Executive Director



## SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS NIGHT

For the first time in many years, the Foundation held its own Scholarship Awards Night, a time for all the scholarship winners to come together and be recognized for their achievements. The evening was hosted at D'Mar Banquet Center in Owosso. Over 400 people attended, including scholarship winners and their parents. SCF board member Judge Matthew Stewart graciously served as the keynote speaker, encouraging students to keep pursuing their goals and "leveling up" in life. The event was a wonderful opportunity for students, parents, staff, and board members to enjoy the fruits of their labors and celebrate the awarding of more than \$150,000 in scholarships to local students heading to college, graduate school, trade school, or band camp.



The 2018 scholarship recipients pose on the staircase at D'Mar Banquet Center.

## NEW ONLINE SCHOLARSHIP SYSTEM LAUNCHED LAST FALL

Since opening its doors in 1974, the Foundation has required scholarship applications to be submitted on paper, a sometimes cumbersome and time consuming endeavor for students and staff alike. In 2018, scholarship applications went digital with the implementation of a new software system called AwardSpring.

Students are now able to apply completely online for college, trade school, and graduate school scholarships. This new system should make the application process much simpler for students and should also allow them to qualify for as many scholarship opportunities as possible without adding extra work for the students. Applications for band camp and golf scholarships remain on the paper system due to the nature of these programs.



# SCHOLARSHIPS

The following is a complete list of our 2018 scholarship winners:

## **Alexander Women's Scholarship**

Sidney Voss – \$500

## **Karl & Ziritha (Lowers) Allert Memorial Scholarship**

Tristan Malone – \$1,000

## **Nancy Ruth Patenge Beyer Memorial Scholarship**

Cole Mallory – \$1,500

## **Dr. Bhaskaran Memorial Scholarship**

Josie Hufnagel – \$500

## **Elsie Blair & Suzanne Blair Anderson**

### **Memorial Scholarship**

Sara Braatz – \$500

## **Olive Blanner Memorial Scholarship**

Jake Bacigal – \$1,000

Gabriel Gaskin – \$1,000

Kailey Grubb – \$1,000

Josie Hufnagel – \$1,000

Macy Remenec – \$1,000

## **Byron Community Fund Scholarships**

Rachael Cornell – \$500 (Duncanson Award)

Gwynneth Coselman – \$500

Stephanie Coselman – \$500

Kaila Daley – \$1,000

Zachary Geiser – \$1,500

Jordan Goodrich – \$1,000

Jared Krejci – \$1,500

Daniel Miles – \$425

Thomas Murray – \$1,000 (Duncanson Award)

Elizabeth Williams – \$1,000

## **PFC Shane W. Cantu Memorial Scholarship**

Brendan Gute – \$1,500

Sarah McFarland – \$2,500

Jack Thayer – \$2,000

## **Emily Chapman Memorial Scholarship**

Graysen Fulbright – \$500

Raegan Holek – \$500

Alexis Martin – \$1,500

Olivia Pawloski – \$500

## **Philip & Inez Colton Memorial Scholarship**

Micah Dershem – \$500

## **Phyllis and Alton Crandell Memorial Scholarship**

MacKenzie Williams – \$1,400

## **Karen K. Dasen Memorial Scholarship**

Erin Mandley – \$1,000

Cydnee Smith – \$500

Rylee Thayer – \$1,000

## **Rollin V. Dasen Memorial Scholarship**

Jerod Fattal – \$1,000

Kayla Manley – \$1,000

## **Drew Decker Memorial Music Scholarship**

Cameron Counterman – \$750

Evan MacKay – \$750

## **Norman and Marcella Desjardins**

### **Memorial Scholarship**

Richard Doyle – \$1,100

Kristin Klumpp – \$1,100

Abigail Svarc – \$1,100



# SCHOLARSHIPS, CONTINUED

## **Shana Lynne Dumond Memorial Scholarship**

Daniel Clevenger - \$500

Jenna Grubb - \$500

Kayla Manley - \$500

Grace Stuart - \$500

## **Durand Lions Club Scholarship**

Elizabeth Williams - \$1,500

## **Durand Rotary Club Scholarship**

Cameron Kaupp - \$1,000

## **Durand St. Mary Knights of Columbus Council 7955**

Benjamin Butcher - \$1,000

Elizabeth Reed - \$1,000

(Dr. Jean & Peter Sloan Memorial Scholarship)

## **Shelli (Bowles) Edgington Memorial Scholarship**

Andrew Pond - \$1,000

## **Alford & Alice Emmert Scholarship**

Taylor Betts - \$1,200

Benjamin Butcher - \$1,200

Avianna Jackson - \$1,200

Ebonee Nelson - \$1,200

Maria Perez - \$1,200

Nicholas Williams - \$1,200

## **Don & Becky Galloway Scholarship**

Jordyn Barta - \$1,500

Jordan Goodrich - \$1,000

LeAnn Morse - \$1,000

Arena Warfle - \$1,000

## **GFWC Owosso Woman's Club Scholarship**

Trent Ivey - \$750

## **Cyril & Ella Gregoricka Agriculture Scholarship**

Grant Hart - \$500

## **Cyril & Ella Gregoricka Environmental Engineering Scholarship**

Erin Rau - \$500

## **Phyllis Lundie Gruver Memorial Scholarship**

Raegan Holek - \$1,000

Hannah Skodinski - \$1,000

## **Harold J. Haas Memorial Scholarship**

Kennedy Krantz - \$1,000

## **Harry & Olive Harder Memorial Scholarship**

Joseph Bennett - \$185

Sada Reed - \$315

## **Coach Tom Harkema Athletic Scholarship**

Jordan Klapko - \$3,000

## **Ellane Hogan Memorial Scholarship**

Hannah Skodinski - \$500

## **C.S. Hood Memorial Scholarship**

Justin Comfort - \$2,000

Marina Hall - \$2,000

Lucy Harris - \$3,000

Zachary Hufnagel - \$2,000

Kayla Manley - \$2,000

Hannah Norton - \$2,000

## **Cheryl Hrcka Memorial Scholarship**

Jerod Fattal - \$500

Danielle Gregoricka-Colby - \$500

Josie Hufnagel - \$500

## **Harold & Ima Johns Memorial Scholarship**

Alia Dada - \$1,000

Andrew Pond - \$500

## **Donald Knieper Memorial Scholarship**

Arthur Devota - \$500

Courtney Krupp - \$500

Rebekah Riley - \$500

Rebekah Stankiewicz - \$500

## **Kris Marie Kulhanek Memorial Scholarship**

Hanna Dutcher - \$1,000

Grant Hart - \$1,000

Andrew Richardson - \$1,000

## **LaJoye-Shenk Scholarship**

Devin Spencer - \$1,000

## **Jackie Leone Memorial Scholarship**

Jerod Fattal - \$1,000

## **Jill Malzahn Health Fund Scholarship**

Chloe Dings - \$500

## **Robert McAlpine Memorial Scholarship**

Austin Berry - \$160

Jeremy Gooch - \$160

Drew Jones - \$160

Jordyn Morrish - \$160

Jacob Podsiadlik - \$160

Caleb Pratt - \$160

Kaitlyn Rayburn - \$160

Nicole Rayburn - \$160

Sada Reed - \$35

Aiden Stauble - \$160

## **Raymond McLaughlin Memorial Scholarship**

Joseph Bennett - \$165

Kaylynn Claybaugh - \$270

Alyssa Fraley - \$270

Hailey Frederiksen - \$270

Izzabella Frederiksen - \$270

# SCHOLARSHIPS, CONTINUED

## **Raymond McLaughlin Memorial Scholarship, Con't.**

Morgan Gooch - \$270

Alex Gorney - \$270

Allie Jones - \$270

Andrew Pearson - \$270

Kylie Perry - \$270

Brandon Putman - \$270

## **Dr. Leon Montague Owosso Musicale Scholarship**

Lindsey Skidmore - \$1,200

## **New Lothrop Schools Endowment Fund Scholarship**

Andrew Richardson - \$500

## **John Northway Memorial Youth Golf Scholarship**

Taylor Gross - \$500

Adam Kuran - \$500

## **Nathan Nover Memorial Scholarship**

Olivia Hohman - \$1,000

## **Nover OHS Sparkplug Award**

Andrew Dallas - \$500

## **Martin & Leona O'Brien Scholarship**

Kaddi Gewirtz - \$500

## **Owosso Education Association's Mary Harper Scholarship**

Daniel Clevenger - 1,000

Mallory Irelan - \$1,000

Kennedy Krantz - \$1,000

Samuel Stechschulte - \$1,000

## **OHS Leadership Scholarship**

Kayla Manley - \$300

Andrew Pond - \$200

## **Paul Penjaska Family Scholarship**

Jake Bacigal - \$4,000

Gwynneth Coselman - \$1,500

Gabriel Gaskin - \$4,000

Brendan Glennie - \$4,000

Joseph Quaderer - \$4,000

Morgan Raley - \$4,000

Dylan Vincke - \$4,000

## **Michael Anthony Randolph Memorial Scholarship**

Anna Raffaelli - \$650

## **David Reed Memorial Scholarship**

Jessica Nash - \$2,700

## **Evan James Reed Memorial Scholarship**

Molly Maynard - \$500

## **Andrew Rehmann Memorial Scholarship**

Jerod Fattal - \$1,000

Lauren Quenneville - \$1,000

Sarah Vreibel - \$1,000

## **Owen & D. Arlene Rood Journalism Scholarship**

Kaitlyn Albert - \$500

## **Erwin Ryckman Memorial Scholarship**

Anastasia Gulyaeva - \$500

## **Bill & Kay Scarlett Family Memorial Scholarship**

Katelynn McMillin - \$750

Abigail Svarc - \$500

Nicholas Williams - \$1,000

## **Ronald Seelhoff Memorial Scholarship**

Lauren Quenneville - \$1,300

## **Shiawassee Bar Association's Patricia Carmody Memorial Scholarship**

Sarah McFarland - \$1,000

## **Joseph Sierzenga, III Memorial Scholarship**

Kaitlyn Albert - \$500

## **Robert Skinner Memorial Scholarship**

Stephanie Coselman - \$1,000

## **Stephen & Pauline Smith Family Scholarship**

Emmalee Juve - \$500

## **Devin Allen Swatman Memorial Scholarship**

Jenna Grubb - \$2,500

## **Roger & Marian Talbot Family Scholarship**

Madison Pellman - \$500

## **Brad Van Pelt Memorial Scholarship**

Danielle Gregoricka-Colby - \$1,200

Sidney Voss - \$1,200

## **Troy Vincke Memorial Scholarship**

Michael Kieffer - \$1,000

## **Mary Bea deBoom Wasper Scholarship**

Grace Stuart - \$500

## **Merijo Wieber Memorial Scholarship**

Kayla Manley - \$1,000

Hannah Norton - \$500

## **Carl Woodbury Memorial Scholarship**

Ryan Weber - \$1,000

## **Kevin Zmitko Agricultural Scholarship**

Hanna Dutcher - \$500

Grant Hart - \$500

## **Zonta Club of Owosso Scholarship**

Taylor Betts - \$1,000

Alexis Martin - \$1,000

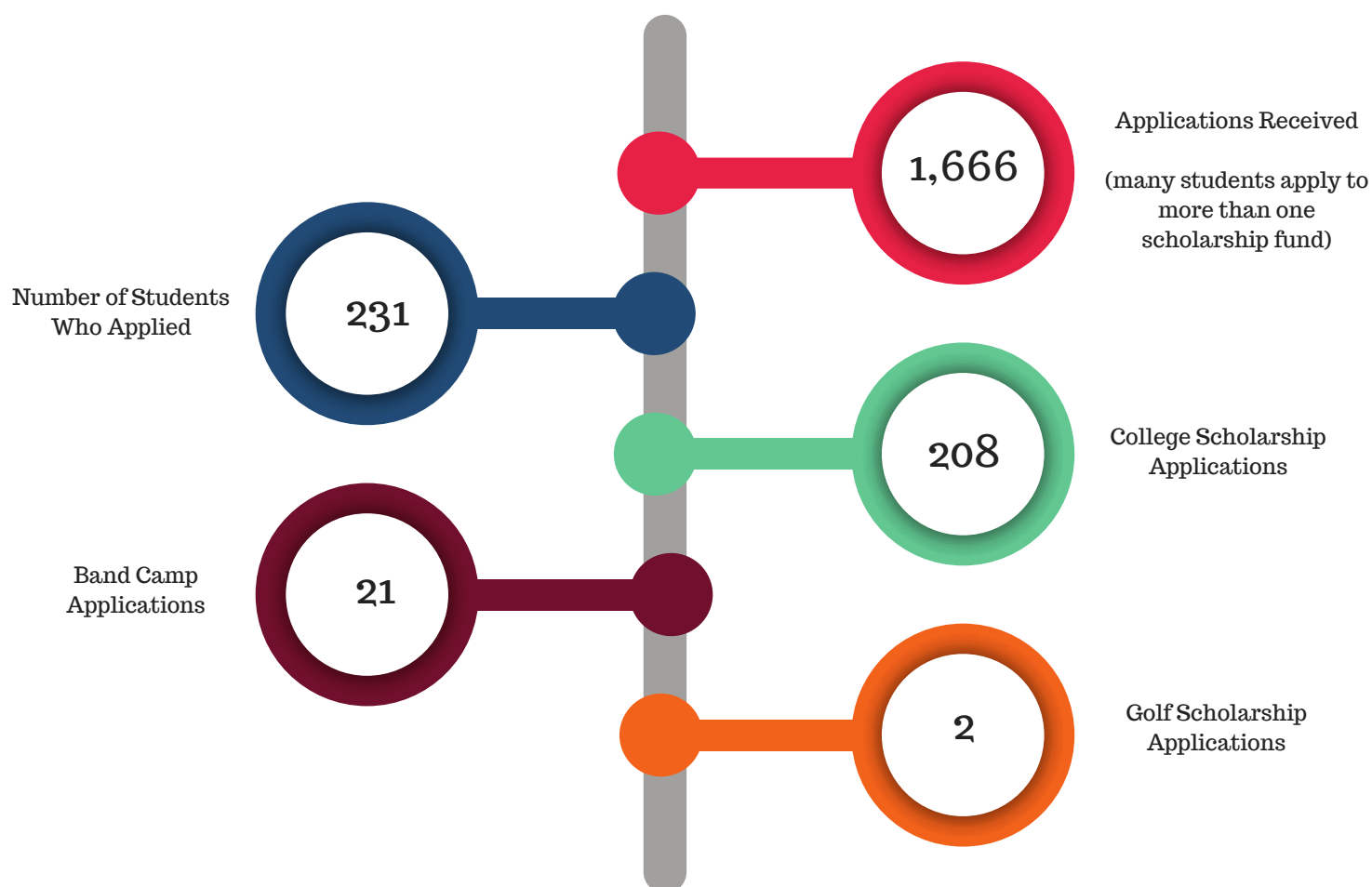
Hannah Norton - \$1,000

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Scholarships Awarded



# SCHOLARSHIP NUMBERS



Total Scholarships Awarded:  
\$156,415

# GRANTS

The following is a complete list of the grants that were awarded in 2018:

**American Red Cross Mid-Michigan Chapter**

Annual Grant to Agency: \$352

**Frances L. & Joseph R. DeVries, DVM,  
Nature Conservancy Fund**

DeVries Nature Conservancy: \$50,177

**Durand Union Station, Inc.**

Annual Grant to Agency: \$1,858

**Alford & Alice Emmert Youth Fund**

Boy Scout Troop 85 of Owosso: \$1,000

Camping equipment

Shiawassee Family YMCA: \$465

Camp Shiawassee Conservation Education

**Gerald Gilbert Memorial Endowment Fund**

Shiawassee Arts Council: \$1,500

**Ryan Jones Memorial Fund**

Community Cats of Owosso: \$1,000

Trap/Neuter/Return programs for cats

John's Home Improvements: \$425

ALS Grant for Joe Odenbaugh

Shiawassee Humane Society: \$1,000

Cat towers

Stalls Medical, Inc: \$2,500

Electric wheelchair for Greg Easter (ALS Grant)

**Kailey Elizabeth Jordan Memorial Fund**

Cheff Therapeutic Riding Center: \$300

Therapeutic Horseback Riding Lessons, Isaiah Beard

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Therapeutic Horseback Riding Lessons,

Mary Rose Beard

**W.K. Kellogg Youth Advisory Council Fund**

Action for Child Care: \$2,000

Safeguarding Children in Shiawassee County

Byron Middle School: \$350

Shiawassee Ambassadors, Salmon Release Program

Byron Robotics 5641: \$350

Byron Robotics 2019 Season

Capital Area Community Services: \$1,000

Walk for Warmth

Catholic Charities of Shiawassee & Genesee Counties:  
\$1,725

Owosso Community Closet

Girls on the Run Mid-Michigan: \$750

Laingsburg Clothesline: \$500

Operation Connection

Looking Glass Community Outreach: \$500

Book Partners Mentoring Program

Meijer Corporate: \$3,401

Christmas Wishes purchases

NCG Cinemas: \$494

Random Acts of Kindness Day, 76 movie tickets

Owosso Community Players: \$700

Summer Youth Theatre 2018

Perry High School: \$350

Perry Rambots 6548 2018 Season

Shiawassee County 4-H Council: \$275

4-H Pie Day supplies

Shiawassee Goodfellows: \$750

Wrap a Child in Warmth

The Arc Shiawassee: \$750

Teen Summer Day Camp 2018

# GRANTS, CONTINUED

## **Memorial Healthcare Community Health & Education Fund**

Make-A-Wish Foundation of Michigan: \$3,500  
Make-A-Wish for Shiawassee County

Muscular Dystrophy Association, Inc.: \$4,000  
MDA Summer Camp

Respite Volunteers of Shiawassee: \$4,000  
Respite Services for the Elderly

Shiawassee Arts Council: \$3,500  
Shiawassee Mobile Arts for Seniors

## **Montgomery Family Fund**

Curwood Festival, Inc.: \$435  
Special Day for Special Kids

Shiawassee County Agricultural Society: \$435  
Special Day for Special Kids

Michigan State Trust for Railway  
Preservation, Inc.: \$1,284  
Project 1225 Annual Grant to Agency

## **Gweneth B. Osborne Memorial Fund**

Respite Volunteers of Shiawassee: \$442  
Annual Grant to Agency

## **Playground Restoration & Maintenance Fund**

Shiawassee County Agricultural Society: \$1,000  
Recycled Fun! project to refurbish a playground

## **Owosso Citadel of the Salvation Army Fund in Memory of Alvin E. Honke**

Annual Grant to Agency: \$499

## **Shiawassee County Humane Society Fund**

Annual Grant to Agency: \$5,769

## **Unrestricted Fund**

Baker Pathways Adult Education: \$3,000  
GED Testing

Council of Michigan Foundations: \$2,650  
Annual Membership Grant

Council of Michigan Foundations: \$1,000  
Robert S. Collier Public Policy Endowment Fund

## **Mackenzie L. Watts Memorial Fund**

Sparky Defibrillator Challenge: \$1,000  
AED for Durand St. Mary Church

## **Russell & Annabelle Woodard Family Fund**

Shiawassee County Agricultural Society: \$750  
Family Friendly Fun

Shiawassee Family YMCA: \$550  
Camp Shiawassee Conservation Education



Photo courtesy of Noah Clayton



## YOU CAN BE A PHILANTHROPIST

It doesn't take a million dollars to give back to your community. Even small donations add up to support powerful programs that improve the quality of life for people in Shiawassee County. Donating to any existing scholarship or grant fund at the Foundation has a meaningful impact in the lives of your neighbors.

You can also start your own fund; it's easier than you may think! Allocating a portion of your estate to the Foundation is one of the easiest ways to give back to your community. You can bequeath cash, property, stocks, and bonds. You can also name the Foundation as a beneficiary on your 401(k), IRA, or life insurance policy to make a lasting gift that may not be possible in your lifetime. If you'd like more information about starting a fund at the Foundation, please call (989) 725-1093 or email [kim@shiacf.org](mailto:kim@shiacf.org).

## NEW FUNDS

Below is a list of the new funds that were established at the Foundation in the 2017-18 fiscal year:

**Larry F. Arendt Memorial Scholarship**

*(Added to Bill & Kay Scarlett Family Memorial Scholarship Fund)*

**Bancroft Lions Club Scholarship**

**June Caponi Memorial Fund**

**Cheryl Gapinski Memorial Scholarship**

**Knights of Columbus Councils 7955 & 12186 Scholarship**

*(Formerly Durand St. Mary Knights of Columbus 7955 Scholarship)*

**Eugene & Joyce Moiles Memorial Scholarship**

**Shirley (1936) & Joseph Poirier Scholarship**

**Debra Wegman Memorial Fund**

## A PARTING GIFT

Jennie DeNolf loved her community of Durand, so when it was time to create an estate plan, she bequeathed 80 percent of her assets to local organizations.

Her gift supported three funds at the Shiawassee Community Foundation:

- \*Durand Union Station, Inc.
- \*Shiawassee Humane Society
- \*Memorial Healthcare Community Health & Education Fund

Jennie's generous donation will provide an ongoing stream of income to these organizations. The money is invested in a permanently endowed fund and will never be touched, but the earnings can be used and will go on forever.



Jennie DeNolf

## YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL

Composed of middle school and high school students from all over Shiawassee County (including Ovid-Elsie and Chesaning), the YAC's mission is to improve our community through volunteerism and philanthropy. Each year, the YAC awards money to youth-based community programs through a competitive grant process.

### YAC GRANTS, 2017-18

AWARDED FROM THE W.K. KELLOGG YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL FUND

#### Owosso Community Players

Summer Youth Theatre - \$700

#### The Arc Shiawassee

Teen Summer Day Camp - \$750

#### Looking Glass Community Outreach

Book Partners Mentoring Program - \$500

#### Capital Area Community Services

Walk for Warmth - \$1,000

#### Laingsburg Clothesline

Operation Connection - \$500

#### Girls on the Run Mid-Michigan

GOTR 5k Curriculum- \$750

#### Shiawassee 4-H Council

Pie Day - \$275

#### Perry High School

Perry Rambots 6548 2018 Season - \$350

#### Byron Robotics 5641

2019 Season- \$350

#### Byron Middle School

Shiawassee Ambassadors - \$350

#### Shiawassee Goodfellows

Wrap a Child in Warmth - \$750

#### Action for Child Care

Safeguarding Children in Shiawassee County - \$2,000

#### Catholic Charities of Shiawassee & Genesee Counties

Owosso Community Closet - \$1,725

### VOLUNTEER PROJECTS

Random Acts of Kindness

North Pole Express

DeVries Fall Festival

Downtown Owosso Litter Cleanup

Corunna Easter Egg Hunt

Christmas Wishes

YACers Josie and Tyler shop for the Christmas Wishes project, a program benefiting low-income families and coordinated by Capital Area Community Services



# \$14,000

was awarded from the YAC fund for various grants and activities



The YAC assembled complete Thanksgiving dinners for 40 local families, with the help of community volunteers. These "Caring Cornucopias" were the YAC's special event for Family Volunteer Day 2017.



# FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

## ASSETS

Cash and equivalents	\$37,158
Grant receivables	\$0
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Investments	\$9,571,452
Prepaid expense	\$7,353
Office equipment	\$3,283
Accumulated depreciation	(\$3,283)
 TOTAL ASSETS	 \$9,615,963

## LIABILITIES

Accounts payable	\$0
Grants payable	\$1,000
Payroll-related liabilities	\$5,281
Funds held as agency endowments	\$228,272
 TOTAL LIABILITIES	 \$234,553

## NET ASSETS

Unrestricted	\$3,277,225
Restricted	
Temporarily	\$6,025,924
Permanently	\$78,261
 TOTAL NET ASSETS	 \$9,381,410
TOTAL NET ASSETS & LIABILITIES	\$9,615,963



Photo courtesy of Carol Soule

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GROWTH OVER LAST FY



# OUR DONORS

We would like to thank our donors for their generosity over the years. Below is a list of donors who contributed to any of our funds in FY 2017-18:

Kim and Lee Aho	Blackmore Rowe Agency, Inc.	Laura and Joseph Cocozzella
Alderman's Incorporated	Mandell and Irene T. Bookman	Yvette Collard
Shawn Alexander	Tom and Maureen Booth	Rob and Diane Collier
Paula Alexander-Livermore and	Paul and Alina Borkosh	Cook Family Foundation
Richard Livermore	Dutch and Rita Bouwman	Dana Cook
Diane and Tim Allen	James and Joyce Bowles	Cooper Farms
James B. Anderson	Michelle Bowles	Dale and Judy Cooper and Tammy Goodwin
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Ronald and Loraine Baker	Rex and Donna Calder	Susanna and Donald Daugherty
Nancy Balko	Maureen Cannon	Debbie and Ralph Decker
Bancroft Lions Club	Cheryl Carpenter	Ron DeHaas
Jeffery and Terry Barancik	Richard and Vicky Cesar	Robert and Bonnie Delaney
Dewey and Kelsie E. Beacham	Chesaning Knights of Columbus	Bob and Loretta Delbridge
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Big John Industries, Inc.	Ward and Ann L. Clarkson	Ronald and Linda Dorn
Eugene and Frances Birchmeier	Clearwater Pools and Spas	Mark and Ruth Dubiel
Colleen Bishop	CLH Insurance Agency	Durand Area Schools Educational
G.R. Bishop Masonry, Inc.	Kim Clough	Foundation



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New donors this year

# OUR DONORS, CONTINUED

Durand Lions Club  
Durand Rotary Club  
Robin Durepo  
Janeen A. Dvorak  
Dale and Mary Edgington  
Larry and Margaret Edgington  
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Kristen Ellison  
Duane Everett  
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### NEW AND RETIRING BOARD MEMBERS

The Foundation welcomed three new board members in the 2017-18 fiscal year: Bruce Wenzlick (Senior Manager at AHP), Marlene Webster (Executive Director at Shiawassee Hope and pastor at Owosso City Church), and Dr. Julie Creighton (pediatrician at Memorial Healthcare). please join us in welcoming them to our team!

We also said goodbye to Roger Zick, who resigned his position from the board after eight years of service. The Foundation appreciates his involvement and wishes him well in his future endeavors.



# VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT

At the beginning of the 2017-18 fiscal year, the Foundation had a newly developed Strategic Plan and a lot of work ahead. Many of the most pressing tasks centered around marketing: updating the image of the Foundation and getting the word out about the role this organization plays in the local community.

To that end, we enlisted the help of marketing mavens Barb Holland (Truscott Rossman) and Vicki McKay (Memorial Healthcare), who steered us to success over the course of the year. We launched a new website and logo, including updated signage and letterhead. We also started a digital and print newsletter, ramped up our presence on social media, and coordinated a year-end giving campaign. We are so grateful for their generous help and expertise as we continue to nurture the growth of this organization. **Thank you, Barb and Vicki!**

*We would also like to thank the following vendors who helped us with these efforts: Our new website was built by the Council of Michigan Foundations. Our logo was designed by Amber Fuller. New signage was created by Agnew Graphics. Our letterhead and business cards were printed by MS Designs.*



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