



ANNUAL SUMMARY 2024

# Give back. Move ahead.



COMMUNITY FOUNDATION  
FOR THE ALLEGHENIES





## MISSION

We empower all people to make a permanent impact and leave a lasting legacy in our region.

## VISION

We envision an inclusive and engaged culture of philanthropy that grows an abundance of resources, achieving perpetual impact in a thriving region.



The Community Foundation for the Alleghenies maintains the highest rank for transparency through GuideStar by Candid, a nationally established source of information about U.S. charities and nonprofit organizations.

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# The Community Foundation for the Alleghenies

It is an honor and a privilege to be able to report on yet another strong year for the Community Foundation for the Alleghenies.

Year after year, CFA has received tremendous support from our community, which has allowed us to improve our ability to serve our region. Throughout the years, we have found that the best way to serve is by listening. In doing so, we have been able to match the needs of our region with the passions of our donors, creating paths that we invite them and you to walk with us.

How is it working? This past year our total assets grew by nearly \$20 million, to \$143 million. We distributed over \$23 million on behalf of our donors.

We like the image that we create paths and invite people to walk along. We see this idea of paths as a way to talk about the continued growth of our region—paths that set more students up for success in higher education, bring more people out of poverty, put more children in daycares that teach, build up talented artists, and eliminate blight and create more greenspace, and more.

We also recognize the need to set up funds for specific areas of interest that can be available for donors and wealth advisors to discuss with their clients. For the first time in our organization's history, the board has provided distributions from our unrestricted assets to establish a new group of funds that are designed to focus on the following areas of interest: the arts, animal welfare, alleviation of poverty, and the environment. We are calling them Pathfinder Funds. Learn more about our Pathfinder Funds on page 4.

For the past 34 years, CFA has been proud to support the work of the donors, leaders, and volunteers who have had an unwavering hope in our community and the things we can accomplish together. We look forward to all that awaits us on our shared paths ahead.



**Mike Kane**  
President and Executive Director



**Mark Pasquerilla**  
Board Chair

## THANK YOU

This past year we had a bit of turnover as some of our board members' terms expired and we had some staffing changes. We thank our outgoing board members, Randy Stager, Michele Beener, Jeff Stopko, and Colleen Tretter. We are glad to say that Jeff is staying on our Executive Committee, Michele is joining the Somerset County Advisory Committee, and Colleen is staying on as chair of our Marketing Committee. We also welcome our new board member, Michael Kiel. This year, we promoted George Bivens and Emily Wood to program officer and Namita Gallo to communications coordinator. We also added Hannah Ernest and Linda Geiser to our staff.

Along with our board and staff, the Foundation would not be able to do what we do without the support of our many committees. At last count over 130 volunteers serve on various board and scholarship committees and their guidance is invaluable. We also thank Mark Thomas in Bedford for providing us with office space and AmeriServ for hosting us at our Johnstown office.

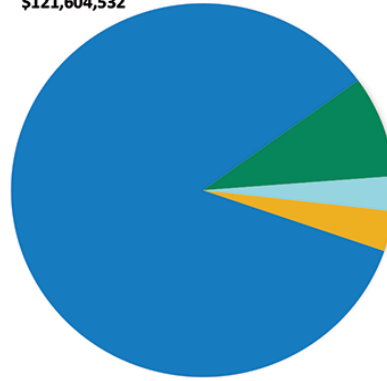
Lastly, we would like to thank those who provided photos for our annual report cover: Marlene Singer from the Johnstown Walk of Hope and her longtime friend Pauline (Sissy) McDaniel and Ashlynn Berkebile of AZ Oilscapes.

See full lists  
of grants,  
funds, donors,  
and financial  
activity at  
[cfalleghenies.org/annualreport](http://cfalleghenies.org/annualreport)



Total Assets  
\$143,544,626\*

Endowed Funds  
\$121,604,532



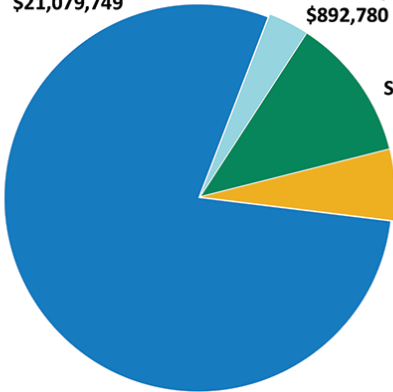
Non Endowed Funds  
\$12,618,984

Administrative  
\$4,311,609

Supporting Organizations  
\$5,009,500

Grants & Charitable Distributions, Scholarships &  
Expenses \$26,718,581\*

Grants & Charitable Distributions  
\$21,079,749



Scholarships  
\$892,780

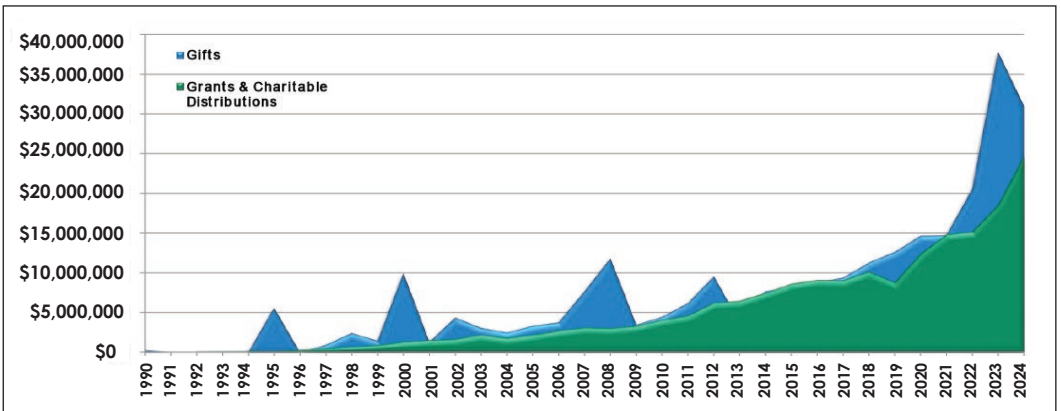
Supporting Org Activities  
\$3,176,943

Administrative Expenses  
\$1,569,109



\*Unaudited

## 34 Year Gifts, Grants & Charitable Distribution History



# Fiscal Year 2024\* at a Glance

\*Unaudited



## Grants & Distributions

**\$26,718,581**

(2023 - \$17,649,840)



## Scholarships

**\$892,780**

(2023 - \$705,234)



## Gifts Received

**\$30,864,366**

(2023 - \$37,758,214)

**602 Grantees**

**417 Students**

**7,424 Donors**

**994 Funds**



## Year-End Total Assets

**\$143,544,626**

(2023 - \$123,852,490)

# Permanent Paths for Our Community

At the Community Foundation, our mission is to help people support the local causes they care most about. In other words, we create paths and invite you to walk along with us.

This past year our Board of Directors has provided an opportunity for us to create more defined community paths. The board allocated \$400,000, or \$100,000 each, from our unrestricted assets to establish four new funds dedicated to specific areas of interest: the arts, animal welfare, alleviation of poverty, and the environment. We are calling these our Pathfinder Funds. Additionally, the board granted \$100,000 each to our existing area of geographic interest funds for Somerset and Bedford counties, bringing the total board-designated allocations this year to \$600,000. These funds add to our existing area of interest funds for early childhood care and community and economic development, which each total approximately \$8 million in permanent endowment.

Our Pathfinder Funds allow anyone to easily donate to a cause that matches their

own personal interests. These funds are a permanent resource that will help respond to the changing needs of our community not only today, but for generations to come.

We believe that everyone should have the opportunity to become a philanthropist for the causes that are most important to them. The Pathfinder Funds help make that possible. For a full list of the Pathfinder Funds and more information, visit our website at [cfalleghenies.org/pathfinders](http://cfalleghenies.org/pathfinders).



Connecting personal values  
to high impact opportunities  
**Pathfinder Funds**



# Forging Partnerships: A Focus on the Arts

The Community Foundation is excited to continue growing our support for the arts in our community. Through our partnerships with the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts (PCA) and the Alliance for Creative Rural Economies (ACRE), we have been able to provide more opportunities for our local artists to thrive.

“It has long been established that a healthy arts community promotes economic growth for our region,” said Executive Director Mike Kane. “The arts not only improve our quality of life, but they also attract people who want to live in and support our community.”

In January 2023, we became a Pennsylvania Partner in the Arts (PPA) for Region 12, which serves Bedford, Blair, Cambria, Fayette, Somerset, and Westmoreland counties. As a PPA Region 12, we work with the PCA to administer two grant programs—the Creative Sector Flex Fund and the Creative Entrepreneur Accelerator Program. This year we distributed more than \$129,000 between the two programs.

The Creative Sector Flex Fund offers a \$5,000 grant to support the administrative, programmatic, and project-related expenses of nonprofit arts organizations. The Creative Entrepreneur Accelerator Program provides consulting services and a \$2,000 grant to creative entrepreneurs who aspire to start their own for-profit business or who operate an existing for-profit micro business.

In addition to being a PPA, we are also proud to be an ACRE Johnstown Partner. ACRE supports a cohort of creative entrepreneurs each year in Johnstown, allowing them to network and build relationships, develop a business plan to help meet their goals, and gain visibility for themselves and their business.

“Our partnership with the PCA and with the ACRE program is really important to us because it has given us the opportunity to focus on the creative community and creative entrepreneurs in our region,” said Program Officer Emily Wood. “These artists really have so much to offer, and we are happy to have this additional funding stream to support them. We hope to see these partnerships grow moving forward.”

To learn more about our grant opportunities, visit our website at [cfalleghenies.org/our-grantmaking](http://cfalleghenies.org/our-grantmaking).



Matthew Lamb of Hero Works Publishing



Marcene Glover of Windscape Artventure LLC



Kimberly Williams of Kim Williams Fine Art



## Somerset County Updates

As I reflect on another amazing year of giving and service in Somerset County, I find myself thinking that it only gets better in this county. And I am not surprised! As you will see in your review of this annual report, our donors, fund holders, and volunteers are amazing. They are the reason that the Community Foundation’s reach into each county we serve is deep and wide.

Somerset County donors give, and then they give more. As I regularly review the donations we receive, I see so many people and organizations that give to multiple projects, multiple times, each year. Donors continue to open new funds that benefit the community—17 this year to support grantmaking and scholarships in our county. These funds benefit nonprofits who are serving the underserved in our communities, youth programs, firefighters and first responders, parks and trails, playgrounds, veterans projects, environmental programs and protection of our natural resources, current and future celebrations of our heritage and history, community and economic development, scholarships for our students, and so much more.

Please take the time to review all of the Somerset County names who serve on our many committees. You will see individuals whose names you recognize, who dutifully work behind the scenes to advocate, plan, and advise in all areas of the Community Foundation. We value the hours that they put into being the face of our

organization in our community. And they are your voice in our work.

Last December, the Community Foundation Board of Directors, in honor of the work of our Somerset County volunteers, challenged our Somerset Advisory Committee with a \$100,000 match opportunity for the Somerset County Community Fund. We are fortunate to have this fund, as it provides annual grantmaking support to nonprofits serving Somerset County.

This year, the fund distributed over \$37,500 in grant awards, bringing its grand total of nonprofit support to nearly \$420,000 since 2002. Every dollar donated to the Somerset County Community Fund before December 31, 2024, will be matched until we hit the \$100,000 goal. I can assure you we are close and the Somerset Endowment Committee will be making an announcement well before that date! The team of Allie Hoffman, Vickie Beer, Bob Portante, and Ted Deskevich have worked very hard to achieve this goal using the campaign slogan “Give where you live, give where you love.”

Thank you, Somerset County, for once again giving, volunteering, advocating, and serving your community. It is truly an honor to work alongside you as you keep “America’s County” a wonderful place to live, work, recreate, and raise your family.

Learn how you can join us in making a change in Somerset County at [cfalleghenies.org/somersetcounty](http://cfalleghenies.org/somersetcounty).



**Lladel Lichty**  
Somerset County  
Director





## Bedford County Updates

The Community Foundation for the Alleghenies shows up all over Bedford County. In the past year, more than \$92,000 was awarded through our Spring and Fall grant rounds to Bedford County nonprofits that support a wide range of projects. Some grants supported historic preservation projects, while others purchased equipment for emergency services. Educational organizations and schools received funding for a weekend backpack program, upgrades to daycare facilities, and literacy and audio-visual equipment. Libraries benefited with story walk boards and internet accessibility.

The Bedford County Change Makers giving circle continues to support the county they love. Over \$8,800 dollars was raised through monthly recurring donations from members, half to support the Bedford County Community Fund and half awarded as a grant decided by the Change Makers. This year's recipient was Reimagine Everett for the continued restoration of the Everett Theatre.

In addition to our grantmaking, our funds have also been growing this year. We opened four new funds with Bedford County donors. The Bedford County Pink Ribbon Fund, established with CFA in 2017 to help Bedford County residents with breast cancer, reached and surpassed over half a million dollars in total donations. They have also

distributed more than \$300,000 to Bedford County women and men in the form of gas cards, hotel stays, chemo kits, and the paying of medical and household bills.

The Veterans Grove Fund, formed by a group of people calling themselves "The League of Pretty Good Guys," is nearing completion of a historic brick sidewalk and timeline in downtown Bedford. The bricks honor men and women who have served in the military from 1775 to the present. There is also a special designation for those killed in action.



**Dina McGee**  
Bedford County  
Director

Currently, the Bedford County Community Fund is gearing up for a \$100,000 match campaign for the coming year, thanks to the CFA Board of Directors.

Our Bedford County Advisory Committee and a newly formed Bedford County Endowment Committee are working diligently to promote the match opportunity to our friends and neighbors. The fund reached its first \$100,000 goal in 2020, so if the match campaign is successful, it could more than triple the amount of grant dollars available for nonprofit organizations that serve our county.

Learn how you can make a donation to the Bedford County Community Fund or become a Change Maker at [cfalleghenies.org/bedfordcounty](http://cfalleghenies.org/bedfordcounty)

# CFA Opened 70 New Funds in 2024

## **458th Alumni Memorial Fund**

To provide support for the creation and installation of a memorial to honor all those who have honorably served with the 458th Engineer Battalion.

## **Agnes Scollins Carey Scholarship Fund**

To provide support for qualified undergraduate students from Johnstown High School with limited resources, who may not be able to apply to post-secondary schooling without financial assistance, to attend Saint Francis University in Loretto.

## **America's County 25/250 Fund**

To provide support to all activities associated with conducting the 25/250 celebrations in Somerset County, as well as the 2026 Western Pennsylvania Firefighters Convention. All residual funds will be donated to the Somerset County Firefighters School.

## **Animal Welfare Fund**

To provide support for causes related to animal welfare in the Community Foundation's service area.

## **Annette Gully Scholarship Fund**

To provide scholarship support for students graduating from Portage Area High School with financial need, with a priority given to students who plan to major in education.

## **Arts Fund**

To provide support for causes related to arts and culture in the Community Foundation's service area.

## **Baskin Foundation Scholarship Fund**

To provide scholarship support for students who have graduated from a high school located in Indiana County, PA and who are pursuing post-secondary education in nursing or physical education.

## **Brownstown Improvement Group Fund**

To provide support for uniting Brownstown neighbors to revitalize their community.

## **Cambria County Clothing Boutique Fund**

To provide dress and hygiene items to children so that they are adequately clothed for school.

## **Cambria County Cultural Fund**

To provide support for arts and cultural organizations in Cambria County.

## **Can-Do Clayworks Foundation Fund**

To provide support for Patton Park and Pool, and the community of Patton.

## **Capacity Building Initiative Fund**

To provide support for a multi-funder effort to investigate regional capacity building needs and develop promising programs in fund development and financial strategy and management.

## **Car Seats 4 Christmas Fund**

To provide support for families in Bedford County and surrounding areas, who are in need, with a safe and appropriate car seat for babies and children.

## **Casebeer Family Endowed Scholarship Fund**

To provide financial support for a deserving student graduating from the Somerset County Technology Center.

## **Celebration Johnstown Fireworks Fund**

To provide support for fireworks and entertainment for the 4th of July holiday.

## **Cheryl and Michael Akers Fund**

To provide support for charitable causes as advised by the donors.

## **Citizens to Save the Allegheny Mountain Fund**

To provide support to protect the Allegheny Mountain from the current "Grey Cut" proposal, as well as any future proposals that would endanger, or harm, any natural resources including the following, but not exclusive to: the mountain view line, all watershed and recharge areas, all wildlife and habitats, flora, fauna, historical sites and items, currently known or yet to be discovered.

## **Conemaugh Township Activity Fund**

To provide support for students in need to participate in sports and extra-curricular activities within the Conemaugh Township Area School District.

## **Custer Family Foundation Fund**

To provide support for charitable causes, as advised by the donor.

## **David A. Snyder Scholarship Fund**

To provide scholarship support for students graduating from North Star Area High School who will be attending Penn State University.

## **DeFelice Scholarship Fund**

To support scholarships for graduating senior students at Punxsutawney High School pursuing any type of post-secondary education.

## **Douglas W. and Rina J. Kemerer Scholarship Fund**

To provide scholarship support for graduating senior students from Salisbury-Elk Lick School District who are pursuing an associate's program or other post-secondary trade or technical education or cash awards for students immediately entering the workforce after graduation.

## **Dr. Brad Puckey Memorial Scholarship Fund**

To provide scholarship support for students who have graduated from a high school in Cambria or Somerset counties, have military experience, and are interested in furthering their education in an economics or business major.

## **Empowering Women Scholarship Fund**

To provide scholarship support for graduating senior female students at United High School.

## **Environmental Stewardship Fund**

To provide support for efforts that protect the environment and help conserve natural resources within the Community Foundation's service area.

## **Esther M. and J. Clyde Martin Scholarship Fund**

To support scholarships for graduating senior students at Dubois Area School District who are pursuing post-secondary education.

## **Frances Hesselbein Legacy and Leadership Fund**

To provide support for initiatives that continue the legacy of Frances Hesselbein and educate the people of the Johnstown region on her leadership principles.

## **Friends of Mary S. Biesecker Public Library Fund**

To support the work of the Mary S. Biesecker public library.

## **Gabriel Allan Nginyo Memorial Scholarship Fund**

To provide scholarship support for graduating students from Forest Hills High School who are pursuing post-secondary education in the field of engineering, especially aerospace engineering.

## **Grant and Vindy Scholarship Fund**

The purpose of the Fund shall be to provide three scholarships annually. The Hugh Grant Jeanjaquet Medical Scholarship will be awarded to a Bishop McCort senior who will be pursuing post-secondary education in a healthcare field. The Vindematrix A. Kohan Sports Leadership Scholarship will be awarded to a Bishop McCort senior participating in at least one varsity sport (including cheerleading) who demonstrates a history of leadership and good sportsmanship. The Grant and Vindy Academic Award will be awarded to a senior attending a school in Cambria County who has a history of academic excellence and community service.

## **Humane Society of Somerset County Fund**

To provide support for all efforts and activities of the Humane Society of Somerset County.

## **IRA Implementation Fund**

To provide support for identifying and interviewing market movers that are most likely to drive the implementation of the Inflation Reduction Act and that will set the stage for key state-wide efforts and drive local projects forward.

## **Janet Bittner Nursing Scholarship Fund**

To provide scholarship support for graduating seniors from Salisbury-Elk High School who are planning to pursue post-secondary education in the nursing field.

## **Johnstown Culture Crawl Fund**

To provide support for the Johnstown Culture Crawl, a culture event for the public held annually in downtown Johnstown and made possible by a collaboration of businesses and organizations.

## **Jon C. and Sharon S. Clapper Fund**

To provide support for charitable causes as advised by the donors in their lifetime. After passing, all designated monies received from their estate/trust will be placed into the Somerset County Endowment Fund annual distribution by the distribution committee.

## **K9 Titan's Watch Foundation Fund**

To provide support for Cambria County K9 units. The foundation's mission is to serve the needs of Cambria K9 officers and retired K9's through financial assistance, training support, and retirement benefits. K9 Titan's Watch Foundation Fund aims to honor the service and sacrifice of these loyal companions.

## **Karen Starchok Scholarship Fund**

To provide scholarship support for a graduating senior student at Greater Johnstown High School who is pursuing post-secondary education.

## **Laurel Highlands Athletic Conference Fund**

To provide support for activities for the member schools of the Laurel Highlands Athletic Conference.

## **Marion Center Education Foundation Fund**

To provide support for students attending Marion Center Area School District.

## **Melanie Beckner Memorial Scholarship Fund**

To provide scholarship support for graduating senior students at Admiral Peary AVTS, Greater Johnstown Career and Technology Center, and Somerset County Technology Center who are planning to pursue post-secondary education in culinary arts or business.

### **Melvin Family Fund**

To provide support and encourage economic development in Uptown Somerset (defined as within a two-block area around the Diamond - exceptions will be considered).

### **Mr. Jodon Educational Scholarship Fund**

To provide scholarship support for students in Bedford, Cambria, Indiana, Somerset and Westmoreland Counties who will be pursuing a post-secondary degree in education. Eligible applicants can include high school seniors, students already attending college, or non-traditional adult learners.

### **Nanty-Glo Tri Area Museum and Historical Society Fund**

To provide support for preserving and exhibiting the history of the tri-area region, which includes the communities of Vintondale, Nanty Glo Borough, Jackson Township, and Blacklick Township.

### **N. Robert Moore Charitable Scholarship Fund**

To support scholarships for graduating senior students at Dubois Area High School.

### **Ohio River Valley Participatory Fund**

To provide support for a collaborative effort to advance a comprehensive and coordinated strategy in the Upper Ohio Valley to address threats posed by petrochemical activity and to support environmental and economic-based sustainable alternatives as advised by a steering committee made up of a diverse group of local experts.

### **Ohio River Valley Regional Climate Action Project Fund**

To provide support for the Ohio River Valley through climate action work.

### **Pat and Paul Detwiler Family Fund**

To provide support for charitable causes as advised by the donors.

### **Pat and Paul Detwiler Family Scholarship Fund**

To provide scholarship support for two scholarship awards per year. One scholarship/monetary gift will be given to a Bedford County Career and Technical Center (BCCTC) student. This may be a monetary gift or scholarship. The student can be from any of the sending schools to BCCTC. The second scholarship will be for a Bedford High School student who is continuing his/her education at a post high school/university. The recipient(s) must be entering the field of business or some type of entrepreneurial business start up.

### **Pets for Vets Fund**

To provide support for training service dogs for veterans.

### **Portage Area High School Dr. Andrew J. Kittell, Jr. Power of Positive Student Award**

To support scholarships for graduating senior students at Portage Area High School.

### **Poverty Alleviation Fund**

To provide support for efforts that help to alleviate poverty in the Community Foundation's service area.

### **Rapid Response Fund**

A fund to allow the Community Foundation to quickly respond to community needs, as directed by the Distribution Committee.

### **River Alert Information Network Fund**

To provide support for River Alert Information Network, a volunteer source water protection collaborative of public drinking water utilities using major rivers as their source in Western Pennsylvania.

### **R. John Dawes Clean Water Fund**

To provide support for the Foundation for Pennsylvania Watersheds.

### **Rumble Through the Valley Fund**

To provide support for Rumble Through the Valley, now and in the future, through fundraising, sponsorships, and community support.

### **Small Town Challenge Fund**

To encourage local communities to build endowments.

### **Somerset Aero Club Scholarship Fund**

To provide scholarship support for Aviation Career education for a Somerset County resident, including, but not exclusive to: Aviation Mechanics, Pilots, Aviation Management, or Aviation Engineering.

### **Somerset Area School District Educational Travel Fund**

To provide support for students who attend Somerset Area School District to have the opportunity to go on educational travel experiences.

### **Somerset Hometown Heroes Project Fund**

To provide fundraising support of all aspects of the Somerset Hometown Heroes Project.

### **Southwestern PA Municipal Project Hub Fund**

To provide support for a regional coordination hub across a 10-county region of southwest Pennsylvania to bolster federal grant coordination efforts related to equitable and sustainable projects.

### **Southwest PA Combat Bots Middle School League Fund**

To provide support for Indiana Area Junior High students to experience hands-on STEM education competition.

### **Stoystown Volunteer Fire Company Fund**

To provide support for all efforts and activities of the Stoystown Volunteer Fire Company.

### **TCC Group Sustainable Environmental & Economic Transition Fund**

To provide support for an initiative to catalyze a sustainable environmental and economic transition for southwestern Pennsylvania.

### **Thomas L. Barletta Scholarship Fund**

To support scholarships for graduating senior students at Punxsutawney Area High School who are pursuing post-secondary education at college, university, or vocational technical school.

### **Ticket Wish Fund**

To provide support for the Ticket Wish program, which offers unique, safe experiences, such as attending a show, learning how to skate, public skating, and hockey, while helping families overcome the financial obstacles associated with these opportunities to keep kids active and engaged in the community.

### **True Transition Fund**

To provide support for True Transition, an initiative that works to support clean energy policy and the durability of American energy jobs.

### **Union Street Playground Fund**

To provide support for the Union Street Playground located in Somerset, Pennsylvania.

### **Wellington Fund**

To provide support for charitable causes as advised by the donors.

### **Wildcat Select Athlete Support Fund**

To provide support for charitable programs of Wildcat Select, including free events and camps, community outreach, community giveback, mentorship, and free in-season tutoring.

### **Wings of Hope Western PA Fund**

To provide support for people who are battling cancer, cancer research, and cancer care employees. The organization was founded over 15 years ago by Tina Honkus in memory of her mother, Evelyn Miller, who passed away from pancreatic cancer.





## LEGACY SOCIETY 2024

The power of a person's life is in the memories they leave behind. Have you thought about the story you're writing? The Legacy Society is made up of people who have made philanthropy through the Community Foundation a part of their estate planning. Their thoughtful intentions will live on far beyond their lifetimes as our staff carefully administers their funds and helps share their passion for giving with future generations. According to the Center for Rural Pennsylvania, approximately \$5.3 billion will be passed down from one generation to the next from now until 2033 in the four-county CFA coverage area. If just 5% of this money could stay in our region to support charity through an endowed fund at the Community Foundation, there would be an annual distribution of nearly \$12 million every year to support local nonprofits and scholarships for students, forever. We invite you to join other Legacy Society members on a path forward of enduring community good. It's your story to write. To find out more, visit [cfalleghenies.org/legacy](http://cfalleghenies.org/legacy).

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Walter C. Allen, Jr.\*  
Anonymous (43)  
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Lynn and Craig\* Ashe  
Ridley Banks\*  
Abe Beerman\*  
Beverly Berkebile\*  
Susan Berkstresser\*  
Dr. Frank T. Carney \* and Mrs. Kathryn Carney  
Jon C. and Sharon S. Clapper  
Brad Clemenson  
George\* and Eve Cook  
Harry Henderson Cornell\*  
Jinnie Davis\*  
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Ann R. Deitle\*  
Jack and Barbara\* Demuth  
Raymond E. DiBattista\*  
George Dooley\*  
Michael Dorosh\* and Mary Locke Dorosh\*  
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Terry Dunkle  
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Melinda Grass\*  
Donald L. Green  
George A. Griffith\*  
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Bill and Doris Horner  
Mike Kane and Elizabeth Mayer  
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John and Donna Venzon  
James C.\* and Shirley\* Wagner  
Anna Marie Weinzierl\*  
Walter Wood\*  
Jane Hauger Zeigler

\* Deceased  
*New for this year*

# PLAN 2024

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