Strengthen Annual Report 2022

Together, we inspire generosity and strengthen communities.



Letter from the President

Dear Friend:

This 2022 annual report covers activity from July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022. It was a year of visioning, planning, and strategizing as our Board and staff thought through how best to accomplish our mission to **inspire generosity** and **strengthen communities**.

After a six-month strategic planning process, we adopted new mission and vision statements, articulated our values, and approved a new five-year strategic plan. You can read more about this work on page 1 of this report.

Some highlights of the year include:

- Over \$4 million in grants from all funds.
- Nearly \$702,000 college/university/vocational scholarships awarded to 184 students.
- The completion of a county-wide comprehensive plan that helped small towns within our county assess their strengths and needs in order to plan and prioritize for their futures.
- 29 new funds were created and funded by donors.
- Grant investments in priority areas including child care, workforce housing, job training, and talent attraction and retention (see grant listing on page 5).

Our donors inspire us every day with their generosity. Our grantees inspire us with their commitment to meeting community needs. Our community members inspire us with their willingness to work together to be stronger. This report shares just a few of the stories of donors, grantees, and community members who are making a difference. We hope you will be inspired too.



Warmest Regards,

Kevin Deardorff Board President

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Mapping Our Future

The Community Foundation adopted a new five-year strategic plan after a board and staff retreat that resulted in updated mission and vision statements. "The process began with interviews with Foundation stakeholders and community leaders," explained Jane Wear, board member and strategic planning committee chair.

Restated Mission:

The Kosciusko County Community Foundation brings caring people and charitable endeavors together to inspire generosity and strengthen communities. We accomplish this by:

- · Serving as the vehicle for donors' charitable dreams
- · Awarding grants to charitable projects and organizations
- · Addressing community needs as a catalyst and convener

Restated Vision:

The Kosciusko County Community Foundation will serve as a trusted catalyst to strengthen connections, engage and build communities, and achieve quantifiable impact.

Our Values:

The Kosciusko County Community Foundation is committed to equity in the delivery of our grants, scholarships, programs, and services. We value all people. To inspire generosity and strengthen communities, the following values guide our work.

- Donor-driven We value all donors and their gifts, no matter the size.
- Community-focused We are committed to addressing current and emerging needs of our communities.
- Collaboration We ask for feedback and learn from one another.
- Diversity We encourage and welcome diverse thoughts, ideas, and backgrounds.
- Compassion We care about the needs of our neighbors and communities.
- Responsiveness We help guide resources to where they are needed most in our community.
- Inclusivity We invite others into our work as partners.
- Integrity We are honest and ethical.
- Stewardship We responsibly manage and invest donor funds.
- Trust We are transparent in our work.

For access to the Executive Summary of our strategic plan, please visit: kcfoundation.org/about-us/publications

Philip Paseka, cancer survivor, poses with his four grandchildren.

Lifting Burdens

Personalized care from Cancer Services lifts burdens from cancer patients

At first, Philip Paseka thought he was having acid reflux. A well-intentioned doctor suggested he start taking aspirin ... but rather than feel better, Philip felt significantly worse.

"I went back to the doctor. They sent a scope down my throat and found an ulcer in my stomach," Philip remembers. "There was a tumor on the ulcer. By not ignoring the first health issue, I found out I had stage two cancer."

So began a journey through chemotherapy and surgery. The surgeon removed 50 percent of Philip's stomach; thankfully, his doctor is confident this is the only surgery he will need. **At 62 years old, father to three and grandfather to four, Philip still has a full life ahead of him.**

Philip credits Cancer Services of Northeast Indiana for greatly helping him and his family handle his diagnosis, surgery and recovery. Cancer Services works with patients in 11 northeast Indiana counties. They serve over 4,300 individuals every year. In 2021, more than 250 Kosciusko County residents secured aid, including Philip.

"Our mission is to offer supportive care to people battling cancer," said Dianne May, president and CEO of Cancer Services. "We come alongside families to address nonmedical needs, including emotional support, practical help, financial assistance and more." Individuals meet regularly with their assigned client advocate, who works to understand the needs of each patient and provides personalized solutions.

From the very beginning, Philip was struck by how attentive Cancer Services truly is. "They offer so many services – even lawncare," he said. "There are needs I didn't realize I was going to have, but Cancer Services knew what to provide." **In a single word, Philip called his experience with Cancer Services** *assuring*.

Cancer Services has stayed true to its roots. The organization was started by a group of friends and neighbors who knew they could do more to strengthen the people in their community. Cancer Services recently received a Nonprofit Sustainability grant to reach more potential supporters with their mission. "Our founders figured out how to help cancer patients get to their doctor appointments, receive personal care items and pay bills," Dianne said. "Seventy-five years later, Cancer Services' relational approach continues to empower and encourage."

Both Philip and Dianne offered the same piece of advice: If you or someone you know is facing a new cancer diagnosis, reach out and see what is available. There is an army of people ready to serve you. In Philip's words: **You are not alone.**

Nonprofit Sustainability Grants

In 2021, the Community Foundation, in partnership with the K21 Health Foundation and the Dekko Foundation, invited area nonprofits to meet with them so that collectively, the foundations could better understand each organization's needs.

As a result of those meetings, the Community Foundation announced a special Nonprofit Sustainability Grants initiative using funding set aside by our Board, along with funding from the K21 Health Foundation and the Dekko Foundation. These grants could be used to 1) hire fundraising consultants, 2) purchase or upgrade donor management software or technology, or 3) match operating campaign gifts.

"We understand how important it is for nonprofits to have a reliable, consistent stream of revenue to support their mission," said Community Foundation CEO, Stephanie Overbey. "This grant initiative was aimed at helping nonprofits strengthen their ability to build and maintain relationships with donors."

Grantee	Purpose	Grant Amount
Animal Welfare League	Purchase donor software and data conversion	\$4,228.00
Baker Youth Club	Matching funds for operating campaign and purchase donor software	\$11,480.00
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northeast Indiana	Matching funds for operating campaign	\$10,000.00
Cancer Services of Northeast Indiana	Service to help identify donor prospects	\$3,000.00
CASA of Kosciusko County, Inc.	Matching funds for operating campaign	\$12,500.00
City County Athletic Complex	Matching funds for operating campaign and purchase donor software	\$6,200.00
Combined Community Services	Matching funds for operating campaign and purchase donor software	\$19,939.00
Fellowship Missions	Update donor software and fundraising consultant	\$15,000.00
Girl Scouts of Northern Indiana-Michiana	Matching funds for operating campaign	\$5,000.00
Habitat for Humanity of Kosciusko County	Support to hire fundraising consultant	\$8,000.00
Heartline Pregnancy Center, Inc.	Matching funds for operating campaign	\$12,500.00
Joe's Kids	Video story and production consultant for fundraising	\$4,286.00
Kosciusko County Shelter for Abuse, Inc.	Matching funds for operating campaign	\$20,000.00
Live Well Kosciusko	Matching funds for operating campaign	\$10,000.00
The Magical Meadows, Inc.	Matching funds for operating campaign and purchase donor software	\$11,500.00
North Webster Community Center, Inc.	Matching funds for operating campaign	\$10,000.00
Rose Garden Recovery Community	Matching funds for operating campaign	\$10,000.00
Wagon Wheel Center for the Arts, Inc.	Support to hire consultant and upgrade current donor software	\$9,500.00
The Watershed Foundation	Matching funds for operating campaign	\$12,500.00
World Compassion Network, Inc.	Support to hire fundraising consultant and purchase donor software	\$4,720.00

Total \$200,353.00



Mission Training

At the Y, inclusive child care begins with well-equipped adults

Ask any parent; there is a need for high-quality child care in Kosciusko County. The Kosciusko County YMCA seeks to meet that need by doing what they do best: Put Christian principles into practice through programs that build a healthy spirit, mind and body **for all**.

"This past summer, we had over 200 students in summer camp," said Rachel Hardy, child care director at the YMCA. "In our before-and-after school care program, Kids Club, we have almost 300." The students represent a wide variety of backgrounds, grades and ages. They also range in physical ability and emotional maturity.

But that does not daunt the YMCA child care staff. They are moved to care for and connect with each student.

"After they get dropped off, our child care staff are the first people the kids see before the school day," said Stacy Thomas, director of operations. The staff are there at the end of the day, too. "Our team has done an excellent job of finding routines for the kids, so they know they're in a safe environment and can emotionally regulate," Stacy explained.

In 2021, the Y received a Working Together Fund grant from the Community Foundation. As part of their grant, their staff began Inclusive Training provided by Lisa Drennan through MERGE Consulting. They learned how to engage with students of all abilities. As they applied what they learned to the 2022 camp season, the staff noticed an almost-immediate difference. **They were able to better connect with, discipline and teach the students trusted to their care.** Perhaps most importantly, the staff found meaningful ways to engage children with physical limitations.

As a result, the YMCA's 2022 summer camp met the needs of all students.

"The training has given the staff confidence; it's also helped us to work together better," Rachel said. "Everyone is trying new things and isn't afraid to fail. It's even helping the kids self-regulate and positively influence one another."

One student blossomed as the recipient of such care. As a 7-year-old limited by physical challenges, the student had struggled to find friends. She simply could not keep up with her peers. While at summer camp, encouraged by the tone set by the staff, the student's peers lovingly surrounded her and made sure she was involved.

"The training has helped us meet our mission," said Stacy. "We say that we're 'for all'. We're able to make adaptations for kids so families can continue to work and be successful – **it's huge for our community.**" The ripple effect on families throughout Kosciusko County is already making a difference.

Working Together Fund

The following grants were made possible through a grant from Lilly Endowment Inc. to the Community Foundation and are part of the Community Foundation's Working Together initiative aimed at reducing barriers to employment in Kosciusko County.



Grantee	Purpose	Grant Amount
High Performance Government (HPG) Network	Workforce housing program implementation	\$30,000.00
Kosciusko Chamber of Commerce Foundation, Inc.	LaunchPad mentoring to help Pleasant View Bible Church start child care/early learning program	\$20,000.00
	LaunchPad mentoring to help Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation start a child care/early learning program	\$20,000.00
Kosciusko Community YMCA	YMCA child care program support for children with disabilities	\$54,252.30
Kosciusko Economic Development Corporation, Inc.	KEDCO Talent initiative	\$30,041.63
Kosciusko Workforce Housing Corporation	Establishment of a community housing development corporation	\$71,300.66
Pleasant View Bible Church	Start up and operations support of a child care program	\$180,000.00
Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation	Start up and operations support of a child care program	\$180,000.00





An act of providence

"Projects like this one require teamwork

and collaboration at

every level, from the

said Abisha Gross,

executive director. In

from the Kosciusko

County Community

Foundation and the

support of several

key stakeholders.

Together, they made

the cricket field at

Lakeland Christian

Academy a reality.

this case, EOE received

a Community Fund grant

EOE founder and

boardroom to the field,"

Warsaw Cricket Academy gets a new home

Cricket is synonymous with India. It is played competitively and casually by both children and adults. But to enjoy the sport, players need two things: a smooth pitch and a wide-open, graded field.

The Warsaw Cricket Academy is no exception. When Ends of the Earth (EOE), a nonprofit organization based in Warsaw, learned of the academy's need, they decided to act.



Left to right: Gaurav Molankar and Abisha Gross

"This project has been many years in the making," said Gaurav Molankar, vice president of the Warsaw Cricket Academy. "We've played cricket in Warsaw for almost a decade but without a dedicated, regulation-sized field. To reach this point is a major accomplishment. It means we can promote, practice and educate others on this sport."

The circular playing ground is about 460 feet in diameter, slightly wider and longer than a regulation soccer field. At its center is a rectangular pitch. Since the cricket ball must bounce off a smooth, flat surface, the field behind Lakeland was graded and a concrete pitch was poured in early 2022.

"Before having this field, players had to drive as far as Chicago every week to compete," Abisha said. Despite that, **more than 100 people from Kosciusko County played season after season.** "Having this field means local families can retain an important piece of their culture," Abisha explained. "They can teach their children the sport they played at home, in India."

The Warsaw Cricket Academy is growing in popularity. In fact, the club hopes to host clinics for children and adults who might not have played cricket before. "It's an easy sport to learn," Guarav said. "We want the whole community to have a chance to participate."

When Indian families move to Warsaw, they naturally search for the restaurants and grocery stores that offer a taste of home – and in recent years, Warsaw has provided the resources they need. "Now they can also play the sport they love and teach it to their children," Abisha said. "Our hope is that families will see this cricket field as another reason to stay." In Abisha's words: **the field is truly an act of providence.**



Community Fund Grants

The following grants were made possible by donors who directed us to use their gifts wherever local needs are greatest. Typically, these funds are accessed by nonprofits through a grant application process.

Grantee	Purpose	Grant Amount
American Red Cross of Northeast Indiana	Home Fire Relief program	\$7,500.00
Animal Welfare League	Exterior renovation of cat house	\$1,454.00
Baker Youth Club	County-wide after school programs	\$10,000.00
Beloved Not Forgotten	S.A.A.F.E. Circle support group for survivors of sexual assault	\$2,793.00
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northeast Indiana	Recruit and train volunteers and provide professional casework	\$10,000.00
Brightpoint	Covering Kids and Families insurance program	\$8,000.00
Cancer Services of Northeast Indiana	Client advocate program for Kosciusko County	\$7,500.00
Chautauqua-Wawasee	2022 Chautauqua-Wawasee life enriching programs	\$10,000.00
Children's Hope House	Overnight accommodations for Kosciusko County families	\$10,000.00
Edgewood Middle School	Sand carver to be used in integrated learning STEM project	\$8,400.00
Ends of the Earth Outreach, Inc.	2022 Cricket Program	\$9,500.00
Fort Wayne Philharmonic, Inc.	Holiday performances in Kosciusko County	\$20,000.00
Girl Scouts of Northern Indiana-Michiana	Girl Scout Leadership Experience	\$5,000.00
Grace College and Seminary	2022 Festival of Music	\$10,000.00
Habitat for Humanity of Kosciusko County	Box truck for Habitat ReSale Outlet	\$12,000.00
High Performance Government (HPG) Network	Marketing of Club 720 Workforce Housing app	\$7,500.00
The Honeywell Foundation, Inc.	Arts In Education programs in Kosciusko County	\$5,000.00
Hoosiers Feeding the Hungry, Inc.	Processing meat donations for Kosciusko County	\$2,500.00
Ivy Tech Foundation	Lawn mowing and snow removal equipment	\$10,000.00
Joe's Kids	Therapy services for kids	\$20,000.00
Junior Achievement Serving Wawasee	Our Families elementary school program	\$2,406.00
Kosciusko Community YMCA	Provide financial assistance for YMCA programming	\$10,000.00
Kosciusko County Council on Aging & Aged, Inc.	Transportation and home delivered meals for senior citizens	\$15,000.00
Kosciusko County Government	Master parks and trails plan	\$7,600.00
Kosciusko Home Care and Hospice, Inc.	Administrative support to the Help Center	\$30,884.00
Kosciusko Water & Woodland Invasive Partnership	Study of invasive plants in Kosciusko County lakes	\$3,000.00
Lakeland Christian Academy Association, Inc.	Expansion of preschool program	\$1,553.00
Lakeland Youth Center	Preschool scholarships and STEAM center supplies	\$12,000.00
LifeTouch Ministries & Counseling Center	UNgarage sale giving to local families in need	\$6,600.00

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Grantee	Purpose	Grant Amount
Little Lambs Preschool/Daycare Ministry, Inc.	School-age summer program	\$10,000.00
Live Well Kosciusko	Kosciusko County Well-Being initiative	\$15,000.00
Lost Sparrows, Inc.	Trauma training programs and conference	\$19,000.00
McMillen Center for Health Education, Inc.	Preventive health education programming	\$2,500.00
The Mom of an Addict, Inc.	Support groups and events for families of addicts	\$5,000.00
National Philanthropy Week	Grants to charities in honor of National Philanthropy Week radio quiz show winners	\$1,000.00
Raise The Dough, Inc.	Financial assistance for families in the adoption process	\$11,000.00
REAL Services of Kosciusko County	Food for Senior Nutrition program	\$5,000.00
Ronald McDonald House Charities of NE IN	Lodging and support for Kosciusko County families	\$3,500.00
Ryan's Place, Inc.	Grief support for children in Kosciusko County	\$5,000.00
Sacred Heart Catholic Elementary School	Replacement booster seats for student transportation	\$390.00
Science Central, Inc.	Science education programs for Kosciusko County	\$5,500.00
Spoonful Studio, Inc.	Process art workshops in the Warsaw Community elementary schools	\$9,975.00
SWCC Foundation, Inc.	Syracuse mural project	\$2,300.00
Teen Parents Succeeding, Inc.	Child care and teen services	\$3,825.00
Tippecanoe Audubon Society	Waterfowl spotting scope to be used in bird surveying	\$800.00
Town of Pierceton	Downtown Christmas light displays	\$3,000.00
Town of Winona Lake	Winona Lake Limitless Park phase 5	\$17,500.00
Wagon Wheel Center for the Arts, Inc.	2022 Symphony of the Lakes July concert and holiday field trip program	\$20,000.00
Warsaw Community Development Corporation	First Fridays coordination	\$2,400.00
Warsaw Community School Corporation	Certified personal trainer program at WACC	\$3,500.00
Warsaw Parks & Recreation Dept.	2022 Summer Concert Series	\$5,000.00
WNIT 34 Michiana Public Television	Education Counts, Michiana weekly television program	\$10,000.00

Total \$427,380.00

Jenny (top image) and Michelle (bottom right image), Performing Arts Club members, participate in a warm-up exercise before the class's lesson begins.

Performance Art

How Cardinal Services inspires individuals through theatre

With their suite of special programs for Intellectual/ Developmental Disability (I/DD) individuals, Cardinal Services emphasizes the importance of the individual – identifying and encouraging that specific person's interests and gifts. For some, this comes in the form of a cooking class. For others, it is health and wellness or technology.

Thanks in part to a Kosciusko REMC Operation Round Up grant, the people served by Cardinal Services have a new opportunity: Performing Arts Club. **This one-of-a-kind program gives participants a new way to meaningfully express themselves.**

"We understand how vital a program like this can be," said Vickie Lootens, executive director of Cardinal Services. "When you think of performing arts, it could be several things: singing, dancing, playing instruments, performing drama or comedy, reciting poetry. There is so much potential for growth and opportunity." Participants are already finding purpose, commonality and meaning. "We can't wait to see where it goes," Vickie added.

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Allison Ballard engages with Performing Arts Club members during a recent lesson.

The weekly classes are taught by Allison Ballard, an expert in performing arts programs for people with developmental disabilities. Allison will stay with Cardinal Services for a full year as she teaches both participants and staff how to develop the club. They explore theatre, music, dance, storytelling, animation, improvisation and visual arts. The lively lessons are open to anyone who wants to come; **already a loyal core group is forming.**

Donnie is one such participant. "I enjoy singing the most," he said. "And I like that I get to play guitar. I have an acoustic guitar that I've been playing for a couple years." He can already tell that his skill is improving under Allison's guidance.

At a recent meeting, another Performing Arts Club member brought a song she had composed (music and lyrics) about forgiveness. She played a ukulele while she sang, and the group layered the song with a percussion ensemble. Afterward, the group talked about their experiences forgiving themselves and others.

"Everything we do at Cardinal is customized to **meet the needs of each individual,**" Vickie said. "The performing arts program fulfills the 'elevating communities' part of our purpose. Through the program, the people we serve will have a chance to be a part of their community and to build meaningful relationships."

In early 2023, the first year of Performing Arts Club will culminate with an original performance co-created by participants and teachers. The program will weave together teaching sessions as well as the participants' personal experiences, ultimately enabling them to use creative tools for self-expression long into the future.

Kosciusko REMC Operation Round Up Fund Grants

Grants from the Kosciusko REMC (KREMC) Operation Round Up Fund are made possible by KREMC members who choose to round up their monthly electric bills. The extra cents generated are deposited into the KREMC Operation Round Up Fund here at the Community Foundation and used to support local charitable projects.

Grantee	Purpose	Grant Amount
American Red Cross of Northeast Indiana	Home Fire Relief for Kosciusko County	\$2,500.00
Animal Welfare League	Abandoned cat sterilization project	\$1,500.00
Baker Youth Club	Before and after school programs and summer camp	\$5,000.00
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northeast Indiana	Kosciusko County youth mentoring programs	\$2,500.00
Cancer Services of Northeast Indiana	Client advocate program for Kosciusko County	\$2,000.00
Cardinal Services, Inc. of Indiana	Performing arts project for people in the day services program	\$3,000.00
Charis Women	Sisters Mentoring with a Mission afterschool program	\$2,000.00
Children's Hope House	Overnight accommodations for families of hospitalized children	\$5,000.00
Girl Scouts of Northern Indiana-Michiana	Girl Scout Leadership Experience program	\$1,000.00
Grace Lutheran Church	Monthly meals for Enchanted Hills residents	\$3,000.00
HearCare Connection, Inc.	Screenings and hearing aids for the underserved in Kosciusko County	\$3,000.00
Hoosiers Feeding the Hungry, Inc.	Providing meat to hunger relief agencies	\$2,500.00
Joe's Kids	Therapy services for children	\$5,000.00
Junior Achievement serving Warsaw and TVHS	Economics curriculum at Warsaw Community High School	\$2,500.00
Junior Achievement serving Wawasee	Our City elementary school program	\$2,807.00
Kate's Kart, Inc.	New books for hospitalized children	\$3,000.00
Kosciusko Community YMCA	Financial assistance for YMCA programming	\$4,000.00
Kosciusko County Council on Aging & Aged, Inc.	Home delivered meals for senior citizens	\$5,000.00
Kosciusko County Sheriff's Department	Updated underwater rescue dive equipment	\$4,986.00
Lutheran Social Services of Indiana, Inc.	Cup of Kindness program	\$2,500.00
McMillen Center for Health Education, Inc.	Preventive Health Education programs for preschool	\$1,250.00
North Webster Community Center, Inc.	Food and Fun for Fall Break program for Wawasee students	\$2,000.00
Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church	Food backpacks for children at Claypool Elementary	\$4,000.00
Presby Preschool	Preschool nature summer camps	\$2,500.00
Servants at Work, Inc.	Wheelchair ramps for Kosciusko County residents confined at home	\$3,320.00
Teen Parents Succeeding, Inc.	Childcare, preschool and teen services	\$2,000.00
The Time is Now	Housing and programs for human trafficking survivors	\$1,000.00
Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation	Viking Vittles backpack program for middle school students	\$2,500.00
Town of Winona Lake	Winona Lake Limitless Park	\$5,000.00
Turning Point, Inc.	Subsidize family counseling costs to aid in child/adolescent treatment	\$5,000.00
Wagon Wheel Center for the Arts, Inc.	Wagon Wheel Conservatory keyboards	\$5,000.00
Warsaw Parks & Recreation Dept.	2022 Family Carnival	\$1,500.00
Winona Lake Volunteer Fire Department	Ice rescue equipment	\$4,500.00

Total \$102,363.00

KEYS Grants

Kosciusko Endowment Youth Services (KEYS) is our youth philanthropy group representing junior high and high school students from four area school corporations. KEYS students learn about philanthropy, teamwork, nonprofit governance and leadership. KEYS recommended the following educational grants, which our Board of Directors approved.

Grantee	Purpose	Grant Amount
	Ukeleles for music program	\$1,329.00
Akron Elementary School	Books and materials to help meet the social emotional needs of students	\$520.00
Jefferson Elementary School	Sensory items for students with special needs	\$600.00
•	Osmo app for 2nd grade reading and writing	\$450.00
Kosciusko County Head Start	Books and supplies for KEYS visit to Head Start	\$1,000.00
	Supplies for Henry Moore sculpture project Copies of <i>The Giver</i> for 7th Grade	\$492.00 \$304.00
	English department novels	\$60.00
Lakeland Christian Academy Association	Programmable robots for interactive learning	\$600.00
	Materials for 6th grade STEM instruction	\$535.00
	Supplies for STEAM and project- based learning	\$500.00
Lakeland Early Learning Academy	Child care and early learning programs	\$2,000.00
Lakeview Middle School	Materials for the "Amazing Human Race" project	\$1,135.00
Little Cats Early Learning Center	Child care and early learning programs	\$2,000.00
Mentone Elementary School	Materials and books for preschool curriculum	\$250.00
Mentone Kindergarten Readiness Center	Child care and early learning programs	\$2,000.00
North Webster Elementary School	Rhythm sticks for music class	\$349.00
Operation Read	Books for Read Across Kosciusko County program	\$4,500.00
	Dreambox learning math software for K-6 Applied Skills students	\$225.00
Pierceton Elementary School	Purchase updated nonfiction books for K-6 students	\$800.00
Soured Hoart Catholic Flomentary School	Nonfiction library books	\$1,000.00 \$54.00
Sacred Heart Catholic Elementary School	Books for kindergarten library	
Tippecanoe Valley High School	Electric circuit kits for hands-on science instruction	\$429.00
Tippecanoe Valley Middle School	Wipeboard flipcharts for math class Vacuum cleaner for life skills class	\$135.00 \$55.00
Wagon Wheel Center for the Arts, Inc.	Wagon Wheel Conservatory keyboards	\$1,000.00
Warsaw Community High School	Materials to create social emotional reset space	\$524.00
Warsaw Community School Corporation	Registration for elementary summer STEM enrichment program	\$800.00
Warsaw Early Learning Academy	Child care and early learning programs	\$2,000.00
Washington STEM Academy	Supplies for classroom makerspace	\$350.00
Wawasee Early Learning Center	Child care and early learning programs	\$2,000.00
Wawasee High School	Materials to build a CNC router	\$637.00

Keys to the Future

In KEYS, this high school student unlocked her potential as a leader

As she entered eighth grade, Ashaya Martinez had no idea what KEYS was ... but boldly decided to join anyway.

"In seventh grade, our teachers nominate students who might be a good fit for KEYS," Ashaya remembered. "I just knew it was community-based, and I'd always been interested in serving the community. It was an even better way to get involved."

Kosciusko Endowment Youth Services (KEYS) is the youth philanthropy program of the Community Foundation. Every year, four new eighth grade students are selected to represent each of the four school corporations in Kosciusko County. The students remain active members from eighth grade until they graduate high school.

Ashaya, who attends Tippecanoe Valley High School, joined KEYS despite her fears. "In the beginning, I was very shy. Although I noticed and observed things throughout my community, I never had the courage to voice my opinion or speak out. **But when I got involved in KEYS, I learned how to be a leader.** I was taught how to take thoughts from my mind and put them out into the open," she said. Four years made a big difference. As she entered her senior year in 2022, Ashaya was elected Secretary of KEYS, as well as appointed to be a leader of a committee. Her activities committee is responsible for all things to do with volunteering and service opportunities.

"People aren't as scary as they seem," Ashaya said. "If I could talk to my younger self, I'd tell her that being more open helps. When you have to make big decisions as a group, your input needs to be out there."

KEYS works to impact and improve education in Kosciusko County. Through KEYS, the Community Foundation offers grants for education projects. All grant applications are reviewed and selected by KEYS members, giving the students first-hand experience in the process.

Throughout the year, KEYS students also go on site visits to local nonprofits to learn, serve or bond as a team. One program, called Read Across Kosciusko County (RAKC), holds a special place in Ashaya's heart. "Reading is important, but not a lot of kids like to read. Through RAKC, we can bond with the teachers and students while we're at their school," Ashaya said. "I feel like the kids are mostly used to talking with teachers, so it's important to have a connection with someone who's just a few steps ahead of them."

After high school, Ashaya is torn between pursuing a career in elementary education or philanthropy. Both fields are important to her. Either way, she will take the lessons she learned in KEYS and be unafraid to step outside her comfort zone.

Gifts in Memory

The following donors memorialized someone important by making a gift in their name.



Kent Adams

Kent Adams

Anonymous Bruce Albert Craig and Carol Allebach Bruce and Beth Alter Linda Arch Roger and Sally Bair & Family Karen Baum David and Melissa Bottorff Edward and Sara Bridwell Sue Charlton Corv and Deborah Colman Larry and Nancy Crabb Denny and Karen Cripe Marilynne Curtis and John Stauffer Ken and Carolyn Davidson John and Elaine Elliott Lana Griswold John and Maureen Hall Brian and Cheryl Jennings John and Joy Jennings Scott and Kathy May Bruce Shaffner Twin Lakes High School Maury and Paulette Waymouth Luann Woodward

Paula Ames

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Established to honor Nancy Derry's valiant battle with ALS by providing annual support in her memory to the ALS Association Indiana Chapter. Nancy was a graduate of Warsaw High School and Parkview School of Nursing in Fort Wayne. She worked as a nurse for Miller's Merry Manor and Grace Village, serving both entities as Director of Nursing.



Ronald C. and Doris A. Everson Scholarship Fund



Established by Doris Everson, in memory of her husband, Ron Everson, to provide scholarships for students pursuing a degree in Business or Education. Ron was born in Fort Wayne and graduated from Purdue, Fort Wayne with a degree in Chemistry. He later earned

a Master's in Business Administration. Doris grew up in Waldron, Indiana, and received undergraduate and graduate degrees in Education from Ball State University. The couple and their daughter, Heather, lived in Kosciusko County for many years; Doris continues to call the county her home. Ron retired from Winona Corporation, where he was President.

Bob and Marge Gast Community Fund

Established in honor of Bob and the late Marge Gast and in celebration of Bob's 100th birthday to meet needs in Kosciusko County. Bob is a World War II veteran where he was awarded a Silver Star and a Purple Heart. Bob served on the Warsaw City Council and served on the Board of Public Works and Safety. Marge was a homemaker and avid community volunteer. She was cofounder and past president of the Salvation Army Women's Auxiliary. She passed away in 2012. Bob and Marge were married 65 years and had two sons and five daughters.

Guardian Angel Fund

Established by Rebecca (Becky) Watson to provide support to nonprofit organizations serving Kosciusko County children in need. Becky and her late husband, Steve, were longtime residents of Warsaw. Steve worked as a pilot for Zimmer.





Robert and Elizabeth Harkness Law Enforcement Canine Fund

Established by Robert (Bob) and Elizabeth (Liz) Harkness to provide support for the acquisition, maintenance, support, and training of canines for police departments serving Kosciusko County. Bob and Liz moved to Kosciusko County in 1978. The couple met at Manchester College. Bob spent the majority of his career in teaching. Liz worked as treasurer for Warsaw Community Schools. The couple loves dogs and wanted to help local law enforcement support canine officers, which is not always fully funded with taxpayer dollars.

Heartline Pregnancy Center Mission Fund

Established by an anonymous donor to provide permanent support to Heartline



Pregnancy Center as they provide support and free services during pregnancy and parenthood.



Paul, Gloria and Judy Heiman Scholarship Endowment Fund

Established by Judy Heiman to provide scholarships for graduates of Warsaw Community High School with preference given to students who participate in community service and extracurricular activities. Judy was the only child of Paul and Gloria Heiman. Paul was a World War II veteran. The Heimans owned a construction company in Warsaw that was responsible for building many homes in the community. Judy graduated from Warsaw Community High School and later from the University of St. Francis. She retired from Zimmer after a 36-year career there. Judy is an active volunteer, a value she learned from her parents.

*K21 Health Foundation Building Nonprofit Capacity Fund

Established to help Kosciusko County nonprofit organizations build internal capacity, including consultant services aimed at improving sustainability and



effectiveness. The K21 Health Foundation is a private foundation that focuses on improving health and wellness for the residents of Kosciusko County.

LifeTouch Ministries & Counseling Center Endowment

Established by an anonymous donor to provide support to LifeTouch Ministries & Counseling Center. LifeTouch Ministries is a nonprofit



that provides counseling services through Masters-level counselors and trained professionals.



James & Deborah Ann Lotz Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by James and Deborah Lotz to provide scholarship opportunities for students pursuing a skilled trade such as welding, plumbing, electrical, masonry, etc.



*James and Debra McFadden Faith and Community Advised Fund

Established by Jim and Deb McFadden to provide support for faith-based and community activities

that occur primarily in Kosciusko County near Mentone, Indiana. Jim and Deb are longtime Mentone residents. Jim is a former Community Foundation board member.

Troy Murphy Memorial Fund

Established by the family of Troy Murphy to provide support to Tippecanoe Valley High School's Life Skills Class, which benefits special needs students. Troy graduated from Tippecanoe Valley High School. He lived



most of his life in Akron, Indiana where he worked at Viking Foods. He was active in his church and as an athlete with the Special Olympics of Fulton County, where he earned many medals. He was known by many friends and neighbors as a kind and generous gentleman.

*OrthoWorx Strategic Planning Fund

Established through a grant from Lilly



Endowment Inc. to fund strategic planning for the Orthopedics Capital Foundation and Orthoworx.

Reach Higher Scholarship Fund

Established by Wil and Kristi Boren and as an advised scholarship endowment to benefit Kosciusko County graduates who have overcome learning challenges.

Max E. Reed Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by Max's family and friends to provide scholarship assistance to Kosciusko County residents who are pursuing a law degree. Max graduated from Warsaw Community High School and served in the U.S. Navy during the



Korean War. After graduating from Indiana School of Law, Max began practicing law in Warsaw, Indiana which he continued for 52 years until his retirement. He is pictured with his wife, Jean Reed.

Dave and Diana Reinhart Tuition Scholarship Fund



Established by the Estate of Charles David Reinhart for educational scholarships to benefit graduating high school seniors from Pierceton or Washington Township in Kosciusko County who are pursuing a

degree in education, or electrical, electronic or digital technology career paths which reflect the interests of both Dave and Diana Reinhart. Dave Reinhart was a selftaught electronics technician and life-long innovator and entrepreneur. Diana held a master's degree in Elementary Education and taught at Pierceton Elementary School.



Spurgeon-Young Family Fund for Lake Wawasee Water Quality

Established by Kay and Jim Young to provide support for the Lilly Center for Lakes and Streams for programs that impact and protect Lake Wawasee. Spurgeon is Kay's maiden name. Jim and Kay wanted to honor Kay's parents and grandparents by including their name in the fund. Kay is a realtor and Jim is self-employed in the tool business. Kay is a Community Foundation board member.

Coach David Stookey Memorial Scholarship Fund



Established to provide support for educational scholarships for Wawasee High School graduates. David Stookey was a longtime, well-loved cross country and track coach at Wawasee High School. His wife, Linda, and his children, Eric and Lisa, created this fund to celebrate his life and perpetuate his legacy.

Brendyn Stump Memorial Scholarship

Established in memory of Brendyn Ryan Stump, son of Cy Stump and Kristie Culp. Brendyn was a Sophomore at Tippecanoe Valley High School where he excelled in academics and athletics. After Brendyn tragically passed away as a result of injuries suffered in an automobile accident, his many friends and the community-atlarge demonstrated their love



for Brendyn in numerous ways. The establishment of this scholarship fund serves as another way to remember and honor Brendyn. The scholarship will assist Tippecanoe Valley High School seniors who have participated in high school athletics and who demonstrate excellent character and financial need.

Steve Watson Aviation Scholarship Fund

Established by Rebecca Watson, in memory of her husband, Steve Watston, to provide scholarships for students studying for a career in aviation. Becky and her late husband, Steve, were longtime residents of Warsaw. Steve worked as a pilot for Zimmer.





*Zentz Family Foundation Fund

Established by Dean and Debra Zentz to provide support for charitable purposes that align with their values. Dean and Debra have lived on Chapman Lake since 2005. They have four children and 10 grandchildren. Dean is a local business leader and has been a coach for many youth sports teams. Debra is originally from Monticello, Indiana, and is an avid crafter.

Funds

A more detailed list of funds, including fund descriptions and the names of donors who established the funds, is available at www.KCFoundation.org.

Community Funds

Donors who establish Community Funds enable us to meet the community's emerging needs, usually in response to grant applications from local nonprofits. For a listing of grants made from Community Funds, see pages 9-10.

Avalon Community Fund

Archibald (Arch) and Della Baumgartner Community Fund

Blackburn and McFadden Fund

Board of Directors Community Endowment Fund

*Board Rapid Response Fund

Neal and Joy Carlson Community Fund

Celebration Gift Fund

Community Funds

Gidieon Orion Cook Memorial Fund

Dekko Enhancement Fund

Byron C. Doran and Jo Ann Doran Charitable Endowment

Archie and Betty Ferguson Community Endowment Fund

Jerry and Norma Ferguson Community Fund

Findlay Family Community Fund

Carol Forbes Memorial Community Fund

Donald and Mildred Frantz Discretionary Endowment Fund

Herman Frauhiger Memorial Community Fund

John S. Frederich Endowment Fund

The Helen and Dave Gast Endowment Robert and Ann Gephart Memorial Fund

Glover Family Fund

John G. and Florell Hand Community Fund

The Claude C. Hartman and Sarah R. Hartman Endowment Fund

Roy F. Hauth, Jr. and Joellen Hauth Charitable Endowment Fund

Hollar Family Community Fund

Aiden William Katip Memorial Fund

Kosciusko County Community Foundation Memorial Endowment Fund

Kralis Community Funds

The Thomas J. LeHew Endowment Fund

The George and Patricia Lenke Community Fund

Light House Community Fund

Lilly Unrestricted Endowment Fund

Mariposa Fund

Seth and Kathleen Mason Charitable Fund

The J. Alan Morgan and Lucy Morgan Community Endowment in Kosciusko County

MutualBank Charitable Foundation

Rob and Renee Parker Community Fund

The Rudolph C. Schobert & Rita J. Schobert Charitable Endowment

Carl N. Wendel Fund

The Wood Family Charitable Fund

Field of Interest Funds

Field of Interest Funds specify that income from the fund supports a donor's particular area of interest, such as the arts, education, care of the elderly, etc. without naming a specific organization to which grants will be made.

Ag Cares Fund

*ArtFULLY Warsaw Fund

Jimmy Baker Memorial Diabetes Fund

Bibs Memorial Fund

Steve Bradford Memorial Fund to Assist Kosciusko County Children

Edward and Huldah Brandenburg Charitable Endowment

Judy A. Buehle Music Endowment Fund

- Child Care & Early Learning Scholarship Endowment Fund
- Child Care Compensation Fund

Sonja Easterday Fund

Fostering Hope Endowment Fund

*Fostering Wellness Fund

*Friends Across Borders Fund

The Richard, Evelyn and Jane Glover Charitable Endowment

Good Samaritan Fund

Heart of Gold Endowment Fund

*Helping Hands Fund

*The JEM Fund

*K21 Health Foundation Good Samaritan Fund

Kosciusko Civil Services Fund

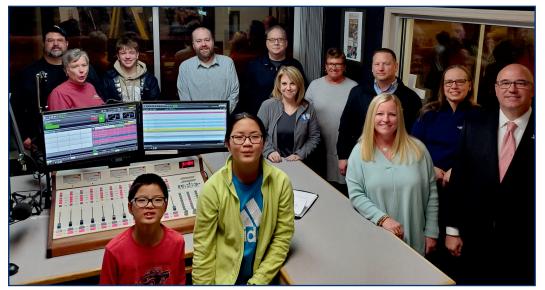
*Kosciusko County Addiction & Recovery Fund

Kosciusko County Mental Health Services Fund

Kosciusko County Patriotism Endowment



Amelia Emley and her mom, Courtney, delivered a generous donation to the Helping Hands Fund. Courtney's small group at Warsaw Community Church made the donation in honor of Amelia, who wears a prosthetic hand made possible through the Helping Hands Fund.



The annual KC Riley Radiothon, hosted by WRSW 107.3 FM, raised over \$62,000 for the KC Riley Kids Fund this spring. The fund provides financial assistance to families who have a child being treated at Riley Children's Hospital and supports hospital programs not covered by insurance.

- Kosciusko County Riley Kids Fund
- Sarah Krizmanich Memorial Fund
- Lake Wawasee Community Fund
- *LaunchPad Coalition Fund
- *LaunchPad Initiative Fund
- Vivian B. Light Bicycle Safety Education Fund
- Suzie Light Nonprofit Leadership Excellence Fund
- Suzie Light Visual and Performing Arts Fund
- Mary Louise Lowe Charitable Fund
- Greg Sasso Memorial Fund
- Syracuse Community Child Care Fund Child Care
- The Syracuse/Wawasee Community Fund
- *Tracey's Trails Fund
- *Vast Difference Fund
- The Way Maker Endowment

The Virgil E. Wise and Jewel A. Wise Fund for Children

- Women's Fund
- *Women's Health Fund

- *The Working Together Fund
- Youth Recruitment & Retention Hunting, Fishing, Trapping, and Shooting Sports Education Fund

Advised Funds

Advised Funds allow a donor or committee to recommend grant recipients to the Community Foundation's Board of Directors, which makes final grantmaking decisions in accordance with Treasury regulations. With the exception of the Kosciusko REMC Operation Round Up Fund, grant applications to these funds are not accepted.

- John Anglin Jr. and Jeremiah J. Anglin Memorial Fund
- Ghean M. Arnolt Education/ Philanthropic/Opportunities Endowment #1

*Be a Light Upon My Path Fund

- *Be Beautiful Feet -Romans 10:15 Fund
- Bishop Family Agriculture Endowment Fund
- *Wil and Kristi Boren Charitable Fund
- John R. and Joan Bradway Fund
- Howard and Myra Brembeck Fund
- *Clevenger Charitable Fund
- Daniel and Jane Coplen Charitable Endowment Fund
- *Creighton Brothers Charitable Fund
- Eddie and Louise Creighton Family Fund
- *Ron and Sandra Davis Memorial Fund
- *Kevin and Amy Deardorff Charitable Fund

- *Michael and Jeanine DeGeeter Charitable Fund
- *Dos Abuelas Fund
- The William and Helen Dye Endowment Fund
- The Evergreen Fund
- *The Fuller Family Charitable Fund
- Steve and Lori Grossnickle Family Foundation Fund
- The Grossnickle Foundation
- *H & P Investments Charitable Fund
- John R. and Maureen D. Hall Family Charitable Giving Fund
- The Terry and Terese Hand Family Endowment Fund
- The William F. Hand Family Endowment
- Russell L. and Patricia L. Heyde Endowment Fund
- *Steven and Jennifer Hollar Charitable Foundation
- *Kosciusko County Community Foundation Charitable Endeavors Fund
- The Kosciusko County Soil and Water Conservation District Fund
- *The Kosciusko REMC Operation Round Up Program Fund
- *Savina Kralis Charitable Fund
- *James J. Jr. & Dixie D. Kraus Charitable Fund
- Leon and Doris Kubacki Charitable Endowment Fund



Presby Preschool received a grant from the Kosciusko REMC Operation Round Up Fund to provide 5-day nature camps that allowed exploration of the outdoors.

- *Alice J. Levinson Advised Charitable Fund
- *Francine M. Levinson Advised Charitable Fund
- *Frank and Becky Levinson Advised Charitable Fund
- *Henry E. Levinson Advised Charitable Fund
- *The Frank Levinson Family Foundation Fund
- *James and Jo Manwaring Fund
- *Matthew 28:19 Charitable Fund
- Austin McCleary Missionary Fund
- Mentone Community Fund
- Jeremy and Oxana Mullins Family Charitable Fund
- *Our Father's Guiding Hands Fund
- *Peterson Family Charitable Fund
- *The Philippians 4:13 Fund
- *Professional Advisors Fund
- *Rex and Barbara Reed Donor Advised Fund
- *Scott and Lisa Reinholt Family Charitable Fund
- Rowland Donor Advised Fund

- Clifford E. Scholl and Thelma J. Scholl Advised Fund
- *Shoop Sports & Youth Foundation Community Fund
- *Cameron and Misty Silveus Charitable Fund
- *Scott and Cindy Silveus Charitable Fund
- *Skimming Stones Foundation Fund
- L. Howard Smith Endowment for Compassion International
- *Stichter Family Charitable Fund
- *Kevin and Megan Stone Charitable Fund
- Craig and Sue Tidball Charitable Foundation
- Valley Hometown Endowment Fund
- *Robert Westerhof Family Fund
- *Mark & Janice Workman Charitable Fund
- *Jerry and Michelle Yeager Charitable Fund

Scholarship Funds

Scholarship Funds help students achieve their educational dreams.

Catherine Abbitt/Jefferson School Memorial Scholarship Fund

- The Bob and Kay Ahrns Scholarship Fund
- American Association of University Women Scholarship Fund
- American Teen Scholarship
- Cecil Armstrong Educational Endowment
- The Beattie Scholarship Endowment
- Fred and Nedra Beebe Scholarship Endowment
- The Max and Kathryn Beigh Educational Endowment Fund
- The Helen and Carl Berkey Educational Endowment
- The Everett and Fern Besson Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Ben Bibler Body for LIFE Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Scott "Bibs" Bibler Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Big Brother Big Sisters Scholarship Fund
- Lisa Anne (Boggs) Fawley Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Darrell Boling Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Bott Science Scholarship Fund
- The Priscilla and George Bowser Educational Endowment
- Edward and Huldah Brandenburg Scholarship Endowment
- Breakfast Optimist Club of Warsaw, IN Scholarship Fund
- Robert E. and Susan R. Brennan Scholarship Fund
- Payton David Brettell Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Camelot Scholarship Fund
- David L. Carey Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Carlson Family Educational Fund
- The William J. and Louese B. Chinworth Scholarship Fund

Claypool Knights Legacy Scholarship

- *Deborah M. Cooley Memorial Scholarship
- Donny R. Craw Memorial Scholarship Fund
- **DePuy Memorial Scholarship Fund**
- Berniece Hollar Dwyer Charitable Endowment
- The Megan Easterday Harrison Elementary Scholarship
- Mary O. Elsbury Memorial Scholarship Endowment
- William E. Farrar Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Robert and Julia Ferguson Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Archie and Betty Ferguson Workforce Skills Scholarship Fund
- Ralph & Lucetta Frantz Scholarship Fund
- Dorothy Frauhiger Memorial Art Scholarship
- Lance Cpl. David Fribley Memorial Scholarship Fund
- The Edward B. & Mary Edith Funk Educational Endowment
- The Gasaway Education Fund
- Merl M. and Jean M. Gibson Scholarship Fund
- Gill Family Charitable Endowment - General Scholarship
- Gill Family Charitable Endowment - Vet Scholarship
- Gill Family Charitable Endowment - Vocational Scholarship
- The Robert T. and Emma Gilliam Memorial Fund Endowment
- Chauncey L. Griffith Educational Fund
- Steve Grossnickle Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Mary (Leedy) Hand Memorial Scholarship Endowment
- Jeanette Harvuot Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Roy Hine Performing Arts Foundation Fund
- *Phillip D. Hochstetler Scholarship Fund
- The Deborah Hohman Animal Care Scholarship Fund

Brady Houck Scholarship Fund

Indiana Vac-Form Inc., Scholarship

Stephen G. Jones Memorial Scholarship Fund

Teresa K. Jones Memorial Scholarship Fund

K21 Health Scholarship Endowment Fund

KCH Medical Staff Scholarship Fund

The Kay A. Kindig Memorial Scholarship

Dan Kinsey Memorial Scholarship

*Kosciusko County Community Foundation Scholarship Fund

Andy Kryder Memorial Scholarship Fund

Ruth Ladd Medical Scholarship Fund

Glen "Jug" Leek Scholarship Fund

Seth V. Lewis Advised Scholarship Fund

David F. Lichtenauer Memorial Scholarship Fund

Martee Mitchell Lollar Memorial Scholarship Fund

The Ralph J. and Aleta F. Long Memorial Scholarship Endowment Fund

Felipe A. and Azucena F. Lopez Memorial Scholarship Fund

LeRoy Markley Scholarship Fund

Dr. Harold Mason Memorial Scholarship Endowment

*McDonald Memorial Scholarship Fund

Selma McKrill Brown Educational Fund

The Paul K. and M. Magdalene Miller Scholarship Fund

Ray and Jan Monteith Scholarship Fund

Winston "Win" and Carolyn Morrison Scholarship Fund

The Rob Morton Scholarship Fund

Judy Mugg Scholarship Fund

Murphy College Fund

Deborah J. Nelson Memorial Scholarship Fund

Robert & Lenny Nichols Scholarship Elmer E. Ostrom Scholarship Endowment

Marcia and Homer Ousley, Jr. Fund

Dennis Overmeyer Memorial Scholarship

Kenneth and Cecile Parks Memorial Scholarship for Nursing

Bruce V. Petro and Janet H. Petro Education Endowment

Pfeiffer-Rarick Scholarship Endowment

The Danny Pitzer Memorial Scholarship Endowment Fund

Larry and Shirley Polk Endowment Fund for Agriculture

Sergeant Terry Polston Memorial Fund

Janet Marie Rager Memorial Scholarship Fund

Margaret Reafsnyder Memorial Scholarship Fund

June Reed Nursing Scholarship Fund

The B. Franklin and Eleanore Ringle Educational Endowment

Sacred Heart Scholarship Fund for Post Secondary Education

Shirley and Wendell Sadler Memorial Scholarship Fund

The Lyn Sasso Memorial Scholarship Fund

Dr. Richard Sasso Memorial Veterinarian Scholarship Fund

Gertrude and George Schiff Charitable Endowment Scholarship Fund

Shane Family Memorial Scholarship Fund

Jackie Rae Shilling Tucker Memorial Fund

Tim & Nancy Shoemaker Art & Physical Education Endowment Fund

Karo Smith Coy Nursing Scholarship Fund

Richard and Gladys Stewart Nursing Scholarship

Jaden Stout Memorial Scholarship Fund

Sue Sutton Memorial Scholarship Fund Pete & Fay Thorn Educational Fund

Max Truex Memorial Scholarship Fund

Everett & Ethel Vandermark Scholarship Fund

The Fleda C. Vandeveer Educational Endowment Fund

The Thomas R. Walter and Anne Marie Walter Educational Endowment

Carl N. Wendel Scholarship Fund

Wilson-Rhodes Memorial Scholarship Fund

*Dallas Winchester Memorial Scholarship Fund

Tracey Ann Yeager Memorial Scholarship Fund

Kailey Lynn Zehr Memorial Scholarship Fund

Zimmer Biomet Scholarship Fund

Agency Funds Agency Funds are created by a nonprofit to provide a stream of income for their organization.

ACRES Endowment Fund

Animal Welfare League Fund

Atwood Community Building Fund

Baker Youth Clubs Equipment Endowment Fund

Baker Youth Clubs Operating Endowment Fund

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northeast Indiana Fund

Boy Scouts of America Jim Molebash Endowment Fund

Camp Mack Operations Endowment Fund

Cancer Services Kosciusko County Endowment Fund Cardinal Center Endowment Fund



Amy Cannon, Senior Program Officer, delivers scholarship award packets to the post office for 2022 recipients.



KEYS member Anna Gustafson reads to second graders at Jefferson Elementary as part of Read Across Kosciusko County. The program encourages reading and provides books to classrooms and students throughout the county.

The City-County Athletic Complex, Inc. Endowment

Combined Community Services Endowment Fund

Court Appointed Special Advocate Fund

Dixie Sternwheeler, Inc. Fund

Girl Scouts of Northern Indiana and Michigan Endowment Fund

Grace Village Retirement Community Endowment Fund

Habitat for Humanity Operating Endowment Fund

*Jim Hocking Legacy Fund

The Honeywell Arts Education Partnership for Kosciusko County Endowment Fund

Housing Opportunities of Warsaw, Inc. Endowment Fund

Joe's Kids Endowment Fund

Junior Achievement Endowment for Kosciusko County

Kosciusko Community YMCA Endowment Fund

Kosciusko County 4-H Endowment Fund

Kosciusko County 4-H Youth Educational Programs and Opportunities Endowment Fund Kosciusko County Boy Scouts Endowment

Kosciusko County Center for the Arts Endowment Fund (to benefit Lakeland Art Association)

Kosciusko County Chapter of American Red Cross Endowment

Kosciusko County Community Fair, Inc. Endowment Fund

Kosciusko County Community Foundation Operating Endowment

Kosciusko County Council on Aging and Aged, Inc. Endowment Fund

The Kosciusko County Freedom Academy Fund

Kosciusko County Historical Society, Inc. Endowment Fund

Kosciusko County Jail Ministry Endowment Fund

Kosciusko County United Way, Inc. Endowment

Kosciusko Crime Stoppers Endowment Fund

Kosciusko Home Care and Hospice Endowment Fund

Kosciusko Lakes and Streams Endowment Fund

Kosciusko Literacy Services, Inc. Endowment Fund Lakeland Christian Academy Endowment Fund

Lakeland Youth Center Endowment Fund

Levinson-LaBrosse Lakes & Wetlands Education Center of Wawasee Area Conservancy Foundation Endowment Fund

*Mentone Historical Museum Fund

Milford Public Library Fund

C.O. Mollenhour Conservation Camp Endowment Fund

New Beginnings Child Care Endowment Fund

North Webster Community Public Library Endowment Fund

Potawatomi Wildlife Park Endowment Fund

Quaker Haven Foundation Endowment Fund

Right to Life of North Central Indiana Endowment Fund

Sacred Heart Catholic Church Endowment Fund

The Salvation Army "Friends of the Army" Fund of Kosciusko County

The St. Anne's Episcopal Church Endowment

Symphony of the Lakes Endowment Fund The Syracuse Community Center Endowment

Syracuse-Turkey Creek Public Library Fund

Tippecanoe Watershed Foundation Endowment Fund

Warsaw Community Public Library Endowment Fund

The Warsaw Education Foundation Endowment Fund

Warsaw Little League Endowment

Warsaw Rotary Community Fund

Water for Good, Inc. Fund

Wawasee Area Conservancy Foundation Endowment Fund

WCDC Warsaw Biblical Gardens Endowment Fund

Westminster Endowment Fund

Winona Lake Free Methodist Church Endowment

Designated Funds

Designated Funds benefit a specific nonprofit. Typically, a donor establishes a designated fund to benefit a favorite church or organization.

AgrIInstitute Fund of Kosciusko County

Alan and Kristine Alderfer Fund

The Dr. John E. Arford & Harriet E. Arford Family Charitable Endowment

The Forrest W. Bouse and Kathryn I. Bouse Charitable Endowment

Jay Bower Estate Endowment for United Way of Kosciusko County

Boys & Girls Club of Kosciusko Co. Fund

John R. Bradway & Joan Bradway Endowment for the Atwood Aldersgate Church & the Etna Green United Methodist Church

*Sheila Burner Fund for Saint Anne's Episcopal Church

Jo and Doyle Butler Memorial Fund

Chinworth Award Recognition Endowment Fund

Marna D. Clouser Memorial Scholarship Fund Reuben F. and Betty Jane Clover Charitable Fund

*Community Scholarship Enhancement Fund

Clarence and Louise Cook Endowment Fund for Mobile Meals

Robert and Peggy Corson Charitable Endowment Fund

Phil Dick Memorial Grace College Women's Softball Scholarship Fund

Georgianna Easterday/Tri Kappa Scholarship Fund

The Etna Green Community Endowment Fund

*Etna Green Museum Fund

*Firefighters Communication Fund

First United Methodist Church Endowment Fund in Memory of Marilyn Phillips

Wayne E. and Phyllis J. Fribley Fund

Gill Family Charitable Endowment

Girl Scouts of Northern Indiana and Michigan Endowment Fund

Glover Operating Endowment

Grace Village Retirement Community Endowment Fund

Mary L. Hand Memorial Library Endowment

Heartline Pregnancy Center, Inc. Endowment Fund

*Helping Honduras Fund

Jack and Anne Hosier Fund

Brenda Houtz Innovation in Science and STEM Education Fund

Kelby Jones Technology Fund

KCCF Operating Endowment Fund

The Thomas E. Kelson & Harriet Searls Kelson Endowment Fund

Dave Kistler Memorial Scholarship Fund

Kosciusko County Boy Scouts Endowment

*Kosciusko County Community Foundation Smoke Detector Program

*Kosciusko County General Educational Development (GED) Fund

Kosciusko County United Way, Inc. Endowment Kosciusko Crime Stoppers Endowment Fund

*Kosciusko Endowment Youth Services

Kosciusko Endowment Youth Services Permanent Fund

Kosciusko Home Care and Hospice Endowment Fund

Kosciusko Leadership Academy Northenor Award

Savina Kralis Nursing Scholarship Fund to Benefit Ancilla College

Lakeland Christian Academy Association Endowment Fund

Lakeland Kiwanis, Rex Miller Fund

*The Louise LeHew Endowment Fund

*Rebecca L. Linnemeier Student Success Fund

Dale and Karen Long Charitable, Memorial, and Scholarship Endowment

Vance F. and Deborah A. Lopp Charitable Endowment Fund Robert D. Maish and Roma J.

Maish Education Endowment

LeRoy Markley Designated Endowment Fund for the Bell Memorial Library

LeRoy Markley Designated Endowment Fund for the First Baptist Church

*Miller Sunset Pavilion Capital Fund

Kurt Miller Ag Scholarship Fund

Kurt Miller Memorial Fund

Mikesell Endowment Fund for MasterWorks

*C.O. Mollenhour Conservation Camp Capital Fund

C.O. Mollenhour Conservation Camp Endowment Fund

John and Martha Mugg Memorial Scholarship Fund

The Eldora Neher Charitable Endowment

North Winona Church of the Brethren Fund

J.P. and P.A. Oppenheim Fund

*Orthopedics Capital Foundation

Dr. William C. Parke Memorial Fund

The Parker Family Charitable Endowment Fund Pequignot Donor Development Endowment

Pierceton School Alumni Association Endowment

*Pierceton School Alumni Association Non-Permanent Fund

William M. and Delores A. Pittenger Memorial Endowment Fund

Mitchell J. Price Memorial Scholarship Fund

Rita Price-Bill Patrick Basketball Coaches Award Fund

Frank and Virginia Putt Endowment Fund

Sacred Heart Catholic Church Endowment Fund

Sacred Heart Elementary School Tuition Endowment

The Salvation Army "Friends of the Army" Fund of Kosciusko County

Mark and Jean Sanders Endowment Fund for the Warsaw Biblical Gardens, Inc.

The Pamela Schumm Excellence in Biology Education Fund

Payton Slaymaker Love of Llamas Memorial Fund

Peter M. Smith Family Charitable Fund for the Lilly Center for Lakes and Streams at Grace College

Frank D. and Geraldine "Jerry" L. Smith Memorial Fund for the Lawrence D. Bell Aircraft Museum, Inc.

Frank D. and Geraldine "Jerry" L. Smith Memorial Fund for the Bell Memorial Library

SMITHSTRONG Foundation Fund

Stavropulos Family Memorial Fund

J. Raymond and Mary S. Steenhausen Family Scholarship Fund in Memory of Joan M. Steenhausen

Dorothy Hogan Sweeney Pipe Organ Maintenance at Sacred Heart Church Fund

The Syracuse Community Center Endowment

Cyndi Thornburg Memorial Fund

The Mitch Titus Memorial Firefighter Training Fund

The information on this page reflects activity during the fiscal year, July 1, 2021 – June 30, 2022.

*Denotes a non-permanent fund in which both the principal and the income earned are available for grantmaking.

Margaret Ann Voirol Memorial Endowment

Wagon Wheel Theatre Endowment Fund

The Reverend Warren Walmer and Josephine Walmer Designated Endowment Fund

Warsaw Performing Arts Center Endowment Fund

Warsaw's Central Park Gardens Endowment

*Wawasee Community Education Foundation

Wawasee High School Class of 1989 Memorial Scholarship Fund

Westminster Endowment Fund

Winona Lake Free Methodist Church Endowment

Winona Lake Parks, Trails and Recreation Endowment Fund

Charitable Trusts

Charitable Remainder Trusts (CRT), Charitable Remainder Annuity Trusts (CRAT), Charitable Remainder Unitrusts (CRUT) or Charitable Lead Trusts (CLT) meet a donor's charitable dreams while providing a lifetime income for the donor or the donor's spouse, children or grandchildren.

Neal & Joy Carlson CRUT

Edson L. Finkenbiner & Valencia V. Finkenbiner CRUT

Peter D. Hess CRUT

N. Bruce & Ann S. Howe CRUT

Jerome G. Kralis and Savina Kralis CRUT

Darrell E. Phillips, Connie Atkinson CRUT

Darrell E. Phillips, Jo Phillips CRUT

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Rudolph C. Schobert & Rita J. Schobert CRUT

Marilyn S. Wolferman CRUT





The Neal & Joy Carlson Legacy Society is named for our first executive director, the late Neal Carlson, and his wife, Joy. The Carlsons committed many years of service to our community and they have generously established several endowments at the Community Foundation, the impact of which will be felt forever.

The Legacy Society recognizes those who have left a gift to the Community Foundation as part of their estate planning. We consider it a great privilege and responsibility to honor the legacies of the donors who have entrusted a gift in their will to us.

Legacy Society Members

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We are grateful to the many professional advisors - attorneys, trust officers, accountants and financial planners - who help connect their clients to the Community Foundation in order to realize their charitable dreams. We extend our sincere thanks to the following:

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If you have facilitated a gift from a client to the Community Foundation, please let us know so that we can include your name for future recognition.

Sample Bequest Language

Language for IRA or insurance beneficiary designation

Beneficiary: Kosciusko County Community Foundation (Tax ID# 35-6086777) for the _____ Fund.

Language for Bequest

I give and bequeath _____ (describe gift) to Kosciusko County Community Foundation, 102 E. Market Street, Warsaw, IN, to be held as a component fund known as the _____ Fund. This fund was separately created for the charitable purposes agreed to by me and the Kosciusko County Community Foundation.

I'd Like to Know More

The Kosciusko County Community Foundation is honored to be your partner in philanthropy. If you or your professional advisor would like to learn more about our giving options, please contact us by calling 574-267-1901 or by emailing kcf@ kcfoundation.org. You may also visit our website at www.kcfoundation.org.

2021–2022 Volunteers

Thank you to the many volunteers who donate their time and talent to help us achieve our mission!

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Why Give through the Community Foundation?

- 1. Your charitable legacy is secured with a gift that lasts forever.
- 2. You can give any type of asset, in any amount from cash and securities, to crops and real estate. Your gift receives the maximum tax advantage because we are a public charity.
- 3. You can support your favorite causes and explore unlimited possibilities with our highly customized philanthropic options, including options that allow you or your family members to be involved in the grantmaking process, if you choose to be.
- 4. You get the expert advice you need to make important decisions about the type of gift to make and the areas of need your gift could meet.
- 5. You experience the fulfillment of giving while we take care of the administrative side of philanthropy like grant reporting, tax receipts and government regulations.

Ways to Give

- Cash
- Beneficiary designation on a retirement account or pension plan
- Appreciated assets such as stock or property
- Estate gift (in your Will)

- Life insurance
- Crops or livestock
- Charitable Lead and Remainder Trusts
- Charitable Gift Annuities
- Private Foundation Transfers

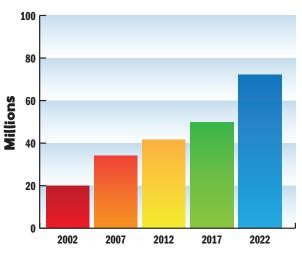
If you would like more information about how we can help you achieve **more impact**, **greater purpose**, and **endless possibilities**, contact us. We encourage you to work with your tax advisor or attorney to determine the kind of gift that makes the most sense for you.

KOSCIUSKO COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, INC. AND AFFILIATE ORTHOPEDICS CAPITAL FOUNDATION, INC. SELECTED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

SUMMARY OF CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS OF JUNE 30,

ASSETS:	2022	2021
Cash, Receivables and Other Assets	\$ 4,237,309	\$ 2,064,869
Investments and Charitable Remainder Trusts	67,684,104	77,015,626
Property and Equipment – Net	270,107	295,352
TOTAL ASSETS	\$72,191,520	\$79,375,847
LIABILITIES:		
Agency Liabilities	\$ 2,401,914	\$ 2,702,303
Other Liabilities	1,605,350	1,120,028
TOTAL LIABILITIES	4,007,264	3,822,331
NET ASSETS:		
Without donor restrictions	2,769,806	2,687,003
With donor restrictions	65,414,450	72,866,513
TOTAL NET ASSETS	68,184,256	75,553,516
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$72,191,520	\$79,375,847

Assets

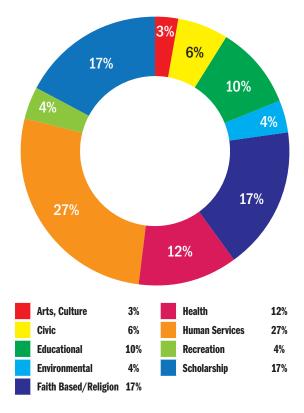


SUMMARY OF CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30,

REVENUE:	2022	2021
Contributions	\$ 5,570,179	\$ 7,957,296
(Less) Amounts Received for Agency Endowments	(114,827)	(18,689)
Contributions – Net	5,455,352	7,938,607
Administrative Fee Income	1,061,602	989,965
Investment Return, Net	(7,526,329)	18,528,654
Change in value of split-interest agreements	(274,524)	515,535
Discount on pledge receivable	633	315
Other Income	1,000	0
	(1,282,266)	27,973,076
EXPENSES:		
Program Services – Grants and Scholarships	4,015,118	6,321,120
Program Services – Other	751,218	604,184
(Less) Grants Made From Agency Endowments	(92,154)	(71,814)
Program Services – Net	4,674,182	6,853,490
Management and General Operating	942,222	863,873
Fund Raising and Promotion	470,590	482,583
	6,086,994	8,199,946
Change in Net Assets	(7,369,260)	19,773,130
Net Assets at Beginning of Year	75,553,516	55,780,386
Net Assets at End of Year	\$68,184,256	\$75,553,516

The selected information listed above has been derived from the consolidated financial statements audited by Estep Burkey Simmons, LLC. Copies of the complete financial statements and related notes are available by contacting the Kosciusko County Community Foundation, Inc. office.

Grants (From all Funds)



Rate of return information for the one year period ending June 30,	2022	2021
Permanent endowment funds (PE)	-11.0%	37.4%
PE Balanced Index*	-11.0%	37.4%
Non-permanent funds (NP)	-8.1%	18.9%
NP Balanced Index (30/70)*	-7.7%	18.6%

*For more information on the composition of the benchmark indices contact the Community Foundation office.

Our Mission

The Kosciusko County Community Foundation brings caring people and charitable endeavors together to inspire generosity and strengthen communities. We accomplish this by:

- Serving as the vehicle for donors' charitable dreams
- Awarding grants to charitable projects and organizations
- Addressing community needs as a catalyst and convener



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