



*Downtown
Candlersport*



Art Dubois - Philanthropist



Fall Foliage



PICTURING OUR PASSIONS



COMMUNITY FOUNDATION
FOR THE TWIN TIERS

2021 ANNUAL REPORT



Scholarship Recipient



PHYLLIS RYNONE

Dear Friends

Great challenges can inspire great opportunities. Our citizens met 2021 with the tenacity, resilience, care, and spirit that were needed the most.

The stories of generosity—including record-setting giving and receiving of time, talent, and treasure, illustrate a compelling response to the profound and ongoing impacts of the pandemic and the complex challenges confronting us.

The passion, determination, empathy, and hard work we've shared together are inspiring and worth celebrating, as you will see in the faces and voices that picture our passions and their impacts in this year's annual report.

With our collective energy, we can reunite, rebuild, and reconnect. Won't you join us in keeping our communities' spirit of generosity alive?

At CFTT, we celebrate engaged donors of all shapes and sizes and multigenerational communities of champions of the towns and counties and the region. We strive toward CFTT's vision of an area where we all can thrive.

We remain ever grateful to the volunteers and donors who support our communities. We hope that as you read the stories behind our very successful annual numbers, you will see that we are turning your passions into a reality through every fund, every grant, and every donor.

Thank you,

Phyllis Rynone
Board Chair

Suzanne H. Lee
President and CEO



Pet Rescue



William Ransom Community Service Award



SUZANNE H. LEE



Bradford County Farm



Library



Sullivan County



Lake Macoma dock and home view

County

FACILITATING THE GIVING CYCLE THROUGH LIFELONG DONATIONS



*Fire Department Brotherhood
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Learn, explore, grow, and give back, always.

That's the simple, yet powerful message we believe donors Arthur (Art) and Phyllis DuBois would give to today's younger generations, especially those in their hometowns of Coudersport and Waverly. It's also exactly how the couple spent their very full lives together.

A native of Coudersport, Art worked at IBM for many years where he met his loving wife, Phyllis. Their dedication to donating, specifically through Community Foundation for the Twin Tiers, was measured in decades. Even now, after they've passed, their gifts continue funding the future for local organizations and students in Potter County.

"Art and Phyllis gave to a number of charitable organizations, but often did so anonymously," said Pat Larsen, friend and legal counsel to the DuBois family. "Today, many of the charities that are benefiting from their most recent donation are ones they had previously established funds for as anonymous donors."

Their latest gift holds the record for the largest donation in CFTT history. The \$3,131,996 donation continues the DuBois' lifetime support of the Potter County Historical Society, Eulalia Cemetery Association, Hearts Response (The Christmas House), Teacher's Pet Rescue, Coudersport Fire Department, Coudersport Ambulance Association, and the Austin Fire Department.

The DuBois' connections to these organizations ran deep. Art spent 55 years of his life serving as a volunteer firefighter at the Coudersport Volunteer Fire Department. Beyond his own direct connections, Art's family history is rooted in the Coudersport area. His family had ties with the historical society, formerly a library, and his family members are buried together in the Eulalia Cemetery.

Beyond the generational connections to the area, Art and Phyllis had an affinity for helping underprivileged members of the community through The Christmas House, which operates out of their home church.

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- Pat Larsen

"Art and Phyllis were world travelers who performed critical work for a large corporation," said Larsen. "However, they always stayed true to their roots and never lost appreciation for what they considered one of life's most precious gifts – education."

Through their generous donation, Art and Phyllis established scholarship funds at their respected high school alma maters. The Wright Family Scholarship will support graduating seniors from Waverly High School with a gift of \$313,000. Additionally, the DuBois Family Scholarship Fund was established with a gift of \$940,000 for graduating seniors from the Coudersport Area High School, with a preference for studies in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics.

Both scholarships highlight the DuBois' strong appreciation for education. The funds will open the doors for others to further their education and careers, a dream the DuBois family prepared for through their well-planned donations.

"From the scholarships established by Art and Phyllis DuBois, I know their hope would be for people to take advantage of the educational opportunities given to them," Larsen said. "With those opportunities, they would want them to further themselves, learn from those experiences, and then hopefully one day find themselves in a position where they too can give back to the community."

Financial Highlights

Total grants and scholarships awarded **\$279,551**

108 grants and scholarships awarded

Total assets **\$12,229,249** and increase of **52.4%** from 2020

\$3,609,632 in new donor contributions

7 new funds

Total number of funds **174**

1 year investment return **10.2%**

The Community Foundation for the Twin Tiers

Hope lives here.

The Community Foundation for the Twin Tiers (CFTT) works to improve the quality of life in five counties: Bradford, Potter, Sullivan, and Tioga, PA; and Tioga, NY. We address community needs with sustainable, long-term solutions. We believe in the power of neighbors helping neighbors, residents solving local problems, passionate people showing compassion for the region we all love. We believe action solves problems – and creates hope. And with hope, anything is possible.

CFTT develops a spirit of philanthropy, supports nonprofit organizations by connecting donors to community needs, and builds permanent charitable funds. But we can't do it without you.

Ways to help.

Everybody can help. Anybody can be a philanthropist. Individuals, families, nonprofits, and businesses all support CFTT – and you can, too. You can donate to an existing fund or create your own. We'll be happy to work with you, your financial advisor, and your attorney to ensure that, whatever plan you choose, it will achieve your philanthropic goals.

You can donate by:

- IRA Charitable Rollover
- Planned Giving
- Appreciated Securities
- Cash

Financial Statement

Investment Strategy

The Foundation has adopted investment and spending policies to support current as well as future grant making and administrative needs. The goal of the investment strategy is to protect the inflation-adjusted spending power of the Foundation's charitable assets over time.

Financial Partners

The Foundation utilizes certain financial institutions to manage portions of our charitable pool.

They include:

Citizens & Northern Bank
Vanguard

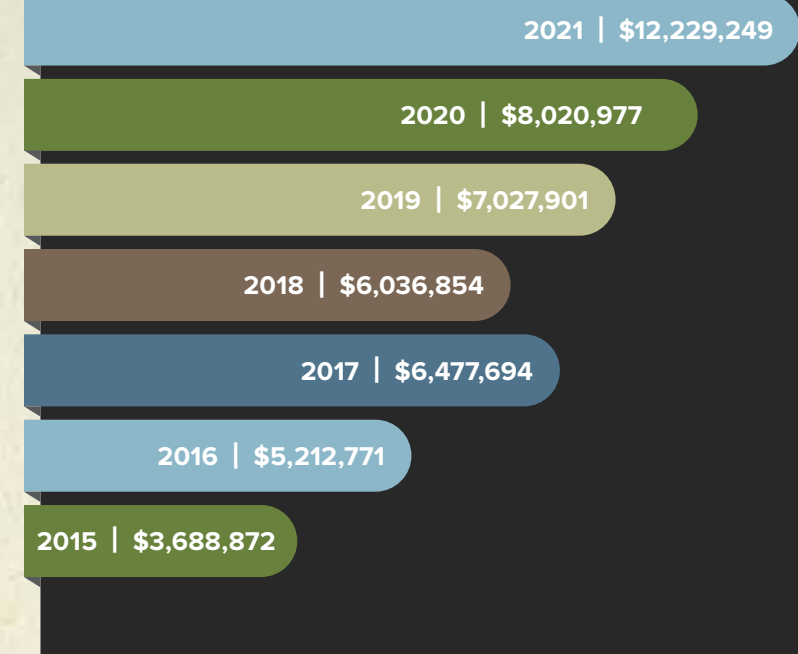
Investment Return

2021 Return
one year: 10.2%

Auditor's Report

The Foundation's financial statements are audited by an independent public accounting firm. The audit for the years ended December 31, 2020, and 2021 has been performed by Lochen & Chase, Certified Public Accountants of Tunkhannock, Pennsylvania. Copies of the audit are available upon request at the Foundation's offices and on CFTT website at www.twintierscf.org.

Net Assets Since 2015



Assets	2021	2020
Cash	\$ 227,793	\$ 242,614
Investments	\$ 11,983,104	\$ 7,769,543
Prepaid Expenses	\$ 2,999	\$ 2,504
Total Assets	\$ 12,213,896	\$ 8,020,977

Liabilities	2021	2020
Grants Payable	\$ 42,003	\$ 22,764
Payroll	\$ 3,300	\$ 3,547
Total Liabilities	\$ 45,303	\$ 26,311

Net Assets	2021	2020
Without Donor Restrictions	\$ 847,507	\$ 579,247
With Donor Restrictions	\$ 11,336,439	\$ 7,415,419
Total Net Assets	\$ 12,183,946	\$ 7,994,666

Total Liabilities & Net Assets	2021	2020
	\$ 12,229,249	\$ 8,020,977

Fiscal year: January 1, 2020 - December 31, 2020

How To Give

Step 1 Decide when you want to make your gift



Make your gift today

OR



Make a planned gift in your will

Step 2 Identify what you want to give



Cash



Stock



Real Property



Other

Step 3

Choose where your gift will be directed

Give to Community Foundation to support our vision for a vibrant region

Give to a fund listed in this publication

Give to a fund that you create

Call Suzanne Lee, President and CEO, at 570.888.4759 to discuss options

Types of Funds

Community Foundation for the Twin Tiers directs 18 funds that have been established by individuals, families, nonprofits, businesses, and Community Foundation itself for charitable purposes.

Competitive Community Grant Funds

Increase the impact of your gift, and put it to work solving our community's most pressing problems, not just alleviating symptoms. Competitive grant applications are carefully vetted by our Grants Committee, and, after thorough due diligence, grants are awarded based upon community need, impact, and organizational capacity. Gifts may be designated to specifically support certain areas, such as animals, arts & culture, human services, education, conservation & environment, civic engagement, or recreation.

Community Impact Funds

Community Impact Funds have been established for each county in our five county areas. These funds may be added to and will meet the most pressing issues in that county.

Donor Advised Funds

Donor advised funds offer the advantages of a private foundation, yet have greater tax benefits. They are especially useful for donors who make a charitable deduction one year and make distributions from income or principal in future years. Donors are able to participate actively in the giving process by recommending organizations to receive grants.

Field Of Interest Funds

Field of interest funds allow a donor to invest in specific causes. These funds can support a broad array of interests such as the arts, education, or health. The donor specifies his or her interest at the time the fund is created and may rely on Community Foundation to identify organizations capable of making the greatest impact.

Designated Funds

Designated funds ensure long-term support for a specific nonprofit organization identified by the donor at the time the fund is established. The named organization receives an annual disbursement from the designated fund.

Organization Funds

Nonprofit organizations may place their endowed funds at Community Foundation, thus assuring their donors that funds earmarked for the future will be invested wisely and used appropriately. Community Foundation manages the funds as part of its investment portfolio and distributes payments.

Scholarship Funds

Community Foundation's scholarship funds bring together students in need and individuals who care about postsecondary education to enable more students to reach their educational goals. Scholarship funds may be established to benefit a specific student.

Fund Structures

After identifying the appropriate fund type to achieve your goals, a fund structure is subsequently selected to align with the anticipated size, activity level and life span of your fund. The fund structure determines the applicable administrative fees and how the fund's assets are invested.

Spend Down

With a Spend Down fund, gift principal is wholly available for granting. Spend Down funds can be thought of as charitable checking accounts, where there is regular, ongoing grant activity.

Endowment

Endowment funds provide stable, perennial financial support. An endowment operates similarly to a private foundation, yielding a set percentage for granting each year while eliminating administrative duties. You may recommend grant recipients or pass your charitable legacy to your children. Investment income accrues to the fund, and a quarterly administrative fee based on a percentage of assets supports the Foundation's operations.

Blended Option

Blended option funds offer fund holders the ability to participate in the investment returns of the Foundation's portfolio. These funds may function like a Spend Down fund or an endowment fund, depending on the needs of the fund holder, but are not formally endowed. Investment income accrues to the fund, and a quarterly administrative fee based on a percentage of assets supports the Foundation's operations.

Get a Grant

There are two ways to get a grant from the Community Foundation:

Donor-Recommended Grants:

The Community Foundation stewards a variety of donor advised funds. Grants are awarded from a donor advised fund based upon recommendations from the donors who set up the fund or their designated representatives.

Competitive Grants:

The Community Foundation has several funds that award grants on a competitive basis. Each competitive grant fund has a unique focus area, like youth or strengthening vulnerable families. Each fund also has different application requirements.

Please see our website for competitive grant deadlines for grant programs.

Scholarships

Education changes a person's life.

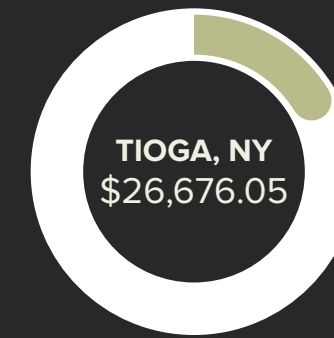
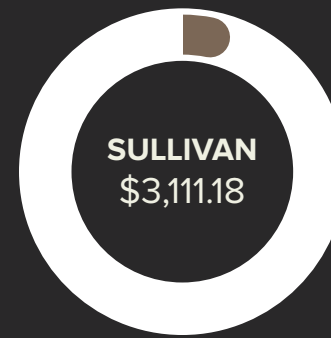
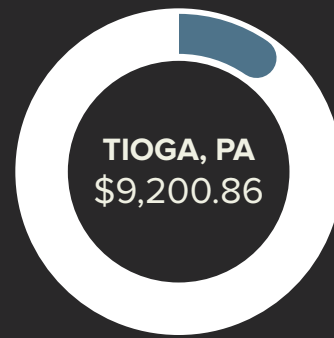
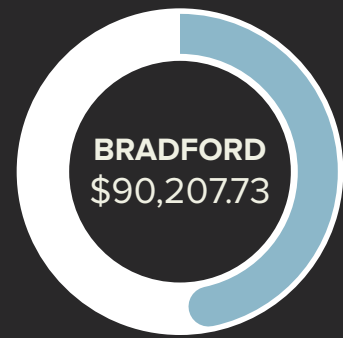
The Community Foundation working with donors empowers students to realize their potential and achieve success.

It's no secret that higher education is the ticket to a better life. Students who attain degrees — two-year, four-year or postgraduate — earn more and live longer. College helps families pull out of poverty, and the effects of education are felt across communities and through generations.

A college or technical school education is becoming increasingly more crucial. Scholarships are an important way to pay for that education. And creating a scholarship fund is one of the most effective ways to contribute to scholarships.

If you are seeking a scholarship, please visit our website at twintierscf.org.

Grants by County



Funds by County

Administrative Endowment

CFTT Administrative Endowment Fund. *Bradford*

Designated Funds

Frances Laymen Redman Spalding Memorial Library Fund. *Bradford*

Frances Laymen Redman Tioga Point Museum Fund. *Bradford*

Howard & Olynda Smith - Troy Foundation Fund. *Bradford*

Kenneth and Marguerite Shaner, Troy Food Pantry Fund. *Bradford*

Robert & Susan Storch, Allen F. Pierce Free Library Fund. *Bradford*

Troy Trojans Athletic Memorial Fund. *Bradford*

William "Bill" Ransom III Community Service Award Fund. *Bradford and the Valley*

Austin Volunteer Fire Department Fund. *Potter*

Barbara Joy Olney Community Harmony Fund. *Potter*

Darlene Sitler Music Fund. *Potter*

Christmas House Fund. *Potter*

Northern Potter Athlete of the Year Fund. *Potter*

Northern Potter Athletic Endowment Fund. *Potter*

Potter County Historical Society Fund. *Potter*

Teacher's Pet Rescue Fund. *Potter*

Friends of the Sullivan County Library Fund. *Sullivan*

Catholic Charities Tompkins/Tioga Fund. *Tioga, NY*

Katherine P. Kerrigan Tioga County Rural Ministry Fund. *Tioga, NY*

Linda A. Gerace Memorial Fund. *Tioga, NY*

Katherine Ann Brennan Memorial Scholarship-Hamilton Gibson Productions Fund. *Tioga, PA*

Katherine Ann Brennan Memorial Scholarship-Trinity Lutheran Fund. *Tioga, PA*

Discretionary Funds

Bradford County Community Impact Fund. *Bradford*

Community Impact Fund. *Bradford*

Robert J. Sullivan Fund for Bradford County. *Bradford*

Benjamin Franklin Trust Fund. *Bradford, Potter, Sullivan, Tioga, PA*

Potter County Community Impact Fund. *Potter*

Sullivan County Community Impact Fund. *Sullivan*

E. James Robinson Fund. *Tioga, NY*

Tioga County NY Community Impact Fund. *Tioga, NY*

Tioga County PA Community Impact Fund. *Tioga, PA*

Donor Advised Funds

Dennis J. & Ruth S. Craig Donor Advised Charitable Fund. *Sullivan*

Frank R. Comfort and Grandchildren's Donor Advised Fund. *Sullivan*

Tioga Tae Kwon Do Academic Fund. *Tioga, NY*

Oliver Richard Bartlett Donor Advised Fund. *Tioga, PA*

Field of Interest Funds

Rekindle the Spirit Fund. *Bradford*

The David and Carol Keeffe Youth Fund. *Bradford*

Jordan Wilcox Pediatric Cancer Fund. *Bradford, Sullivan, Tioga, NY and Tioga, PA*

Coudersport Volunteer Ambulance Association Fund. *Potter*

Coudersport Volunteer Fire Department Fund. *Potter*

Eulalia Cemetery Fund. *Potter*

North Eastern Potter Economic Support Fund. *Potter*

Floyd "Vic" Hooker Youth Fund. *Tioga, NY*

Knoxville Fund. *Tioga, PA*

Organization Funds

Area Agency on Aging Fund. *Bradford*

Beth Israel Congregation Fund. *Bradford*

Big Brothers Big Sisters Fund. *Bradford*

Bradford County Historical Society Fund. *Bradford*

Endless Mountains Heritage Region Fund. *Bradford*

French Azilum Fund. *Bradford*

LeRoy Heritage Museum Endowment Fund. *Bradford*

SERVE, Inc. Endowment Fund. *Bradford*

Carantouan Greenway Fund. *Chemung, NY and Tioga, NY and Bradford, PA*

Keystone Trails Association Endowment Fund. *Pennsylvania*

Austin Dam Memorial Association Fund. *Potter*

Coudersport Public Library Long-Term Sustainability Fund. *Potter*

E.O. Austin Home, Historical Society Fund. *Potter*

Galeton Public Library Fund. *Potter*

Susquehannock Trail Club Fund. *Potter*

Tri Town Fire Company Auxiliary Endowment Fund. *Potter*

Ulysses Library Fund. *Potter*

Eagles Mere-Laporte Lions Club Fund. *Sullivan*

Sullivan County Council on the Arts Fund. *Sullivan*

Sullivan County Recreational Association Endowment Fund. *Sullivan*

Sullivan County Scholarship Association Fund. *Sullivan*

Cornell Cooperative Extension of Tioga County New York Fund. *Tioga, NY*

Rotary Club of Waverly Endowment Fund. *Tioga, NY*

Hamilton-Gibson Productions Endowment Fund. *Tioga, PA*

School District Funds

Athens Area School District. *Bradford*

Scholarship & Awards Fund

Academic Achievement - American Association University Women

Academic Achievement - Joel Lubertowicz

Academic Achievement - Joseph White Scholarship

Academic Achievement - Marshall Van Scotten Memorial

Academic Achievement - Mary Grace Woodford Scholarship

Academic Achievement - Richard Marvin Memorial

Academic Achievement - Ronald & Stuart Gillette Memorial

Academic Achievement - Walter Loomer Memorial

Academic Achievement - Biagio Maio

Academic Achievement - George Levering Memorial

Academic Activity Fund

Academic Activity Fund - Artsfest

Academic Activity Fund - Band Boosters

Academic Activity Fund - Cross Country

Academic Activity Fund - Forensics

Academic Activity Fund - Future Farmers of America

Academic Activity Fund - Harlan Rowe Middle School

Academic Activity Fund - High School

Academic Activity Fund - Library

Academic Activity Fund - Lynch-Bustin Elementary

Academic Activity Fund - Robotics

Academic Activity Fund - SADD

Academic Activity Fund - Scholarship Challenge

Academic Activity Fund - Science Olympiad

Academic Activity Fund - SRU Elementary

Academic Activity Fund - Student Council

Academic Activity Fund - Swim Team

Academic Activity Fund - Wrestling

Athens High School Swimmer Scholarships Fund

Canton Area School District. Bradford

Academic Activity Fund
Academic Activity Fund - Fine Arts
Fallen Warrior Scholarship Fund
Guinevere Ritter Scholarship Fund
Scholarship Fund - Adam Metzger
Scholarship Fund - Irene W. Hurley Torch Award
Scholarship Fund - Jake Bellows
Scholarship Fund - Jake D. Jones Memorial
Scholarship Fund - James E. Holcomb
Scholarship Fund - Louis D. & Lareda J. Landon
Scholarship Fund - Paul Evans, Sr.
Scholarship Fund - Spencer & Sweithelm
Scholarship Fund - Stan and John Hite Memorial Prize
Scholarship Fund - Vicki Richart
Scholarship Fund - Viola Moyer
Academic Activity Fund - AmazonSmile
Academic Activity Fund - Athletics
Clark Wood Elementary Fund
Dr. John Kirkowski Scholarship Fund
H. Edmond Lund Jr. Memorial Science Award Fund
Herbert Blodgett & Claire Flora Eike Memorial Wildlife Award Fund
Jack Ward McNett Memorial Award - Technology Fund
Kathryn E. McNett Memorial Fund
Mary Harrison Memorial Reading Award
Michael Roupp Scholarship
Richard Neff Scholarship Fund
Weldon "Jake" Shaffer Memorial Award

Northern Tioga School District. Tioga, PA

Cowanesque Valley High School Academic Activity Fund
Northern Tioga School District Academic Activity Fund
R.B. Walter Elementary Fund

Southern Tioga School District. Tioga, PA

Academic Activity Fund - Academics
Benjamin Hutcheson Memorial Fund
Bogaczyk Memorial Fund
Ryan Ostrom Memorial Scholarship Fund
Westfield Area Elementary Fund
Williamson High School Fund

Scholarship Funds

Charles and Fern Thorp Family College Educational Grant Fund. *Bradford*
Donald & LaRene Ayres Scholarship Fund. *Bradford*
Dorothy Kemp Leonard Scholarship Fund. *Bradford*
Dr. Jean E. Brenchley Woman of Science Award. *Bradford*
Florence Bennett Memorial Scholarship Fund. *Bradford*

John H. Hyde, Jr. and Dr. Marcella M. Hyde Scholarship Fund. *Bradford*
Rockmans Apparel / Babe & George Tymoski Scholarship Fund. *Bradford*
Towanda Musical Society Scholarship Fund. *Bradford*
Tri-County Rural Electric Cooperative Scholarship. *Bradford, Potter and Tioga, PA*
Troy Lions Club Huck Scholarship Fund. *Bradford*
Victor & Carla Ross Scholarship Fund. *Bradford*
Darlene J. Sitler Memorial Scholarship Fund. *Potter*
DuBois Family Scholarship. *Potter*
Gerald F. Duffee, Sr. Scholarship Fund. *Potter*
Jon R. Cowburn Scholarship Fund. *Potter*
Major Lance A. Newton Scholarship Fund. *Potter*
Northern Potter Scholarship Fund. *Potter*
Patrick W. Ryan Creative Writing & English Scholarship Fund. *Potter*
Potter County Farm & Forestry Family Scholarship Fund. *Potter*
Reiman Family Scholarship Fund. *Potter*
Robert B. Merten Circle of Fifths Music Award Scholarship Fund. *Potter*
Rose Marie Tubbs Memorial Scholarship Fund. *Potter*
Ruth Agar Memorial Scholarship Fund. *Potter*
Tomb Family Scholarship Fund. *Potter*
Guthrie Community Credit Union Scholarship. *Regional*
David A. DeWire Scholarship Fund. *Sullivan*
Raymond and Betty Bahr Scholarship Fund. *Sullivan*
Thomas W. "Doc" Shoemaker & Stefana H. "Stevie" Shoemaker Scholarship Fund. *Sullivan*
Alice Walker Cooper Family Scholarship Fund. *Tioga, NY*
Bill Davis Scholarship Fund. *Tioga, NY*
Carl & Charlotte Lovejoy Scholarship Fund. *Tioga, NY*
Donald & Linda Jayne Scholarship Fund. *Tioga, NY*
Elizabeth Alamo Scholarship Fund. *Tioga, NY*
Finkle Rosenberg Scholarship Fund. *Tioga, NY*
Katherine P. Kerrigan Scholarship Fund. *Tioga, NY*
Owego Free Academy Alumni Scholarship Fund. *Tioga, NY*
R. E. Fraley Technology & Engineering Scholarship Fund. *Tioga, NY*
Tioga Tae Kwon Do Scholarship Fund. *Tioga, NY*
Wright Family Scholarship. *Tioga, NY*
Alan B. Carr Memorial Scholarship Fund. *Tioga, PA*
Dr. Donna L. Mettler Scholarship Fund. *Tioga, PA*
Dr. Harry S. Williams Memorial Scholarship Fund. *Tioga, PA*
John F. Bush Scholarship Fund. *Tioga, PA*
Kyle B. Lenhardt Scholarship Fund. *Tioga, PA*

Grants Awarded

Allen F. Pierce Free Library

Bradford \$1,409.96
Robert & Susan Storch, Allen F. Pierce Free Library Fund
- To provide support to the Allen F. Pierce Free Library.

LeRoy Heritage Museum

Bradford \$1,583.69
LeRoy Heritage Museum Endowment Fund
- LeRoy Heritage Museum preserves the history of southwestern Bradford County and educates visitors on the history of the region.

Spalding Memorial Library

Bradford \$446.02
Frances Laymen Redman Spalding Memorial Library Fund
- To provide a safe and free public space while meeting the educational and recreational needs of its patrons.

Tioga Point Museum

Bradford \$441.66
Frances Laymen Redman Tioga Point Museum Fund
- To provide annual support for Tioga Point Museum.

Troy Area School District

Bradford \$3,821.55
Howard & Olynda Smith - Troy Foundation Fund
- To promote student's learning through a positive culture with high expectations for success, fiscally sound practices and responsible stewardship with the help and input from parents, staff members, community members and students.

Troy Food Pantry

Bradford \$820.90
Kenneth and Marguerite Shaner, Troy Food Pantry Fund
- For the distribution of food to those who have difficulty purchasing enough to avoid hunger.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Twin Tiers

Bradford \$792.91
Big Brothers Big Sisters Fund
- To create and maintain mentoring relationships that provides positive experiences in the lives of children and mentors.

French Azilum

Bradford \$489.70
French Azilum Fund
- To support the buildings and programs of Azilum which provided a refuge for a group of French exiles in 1793.

Athens Area School District

Bradford \$4,750.00
Athens Area School District Academic Activity Fund - High School
- For the purchase of a scoreboard for the Athens athletic field.

Athens Area School District

Bradford \$20,000.00
Athens Area School District Academic Activity Fund - Band Boosters
- For the storage renovations for band instruments and uniforms.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Twin Tiers

Bradford \$2,000.00
Robert J. Sullivan Fund for Bradford County
- To recruit, train, support and maintain 70 new volunteer mentors.

Bradford County Historical Society

Bradford \$2,143.54
Bradford County Historical Society Fund
- To support local history museum programs.

Carantouan Greenway

Bradford \$1,570.51
Carantouan Greenway Fund
- To provide a variety of educational and outreach programs for all ages.

Endless Mountain Mission Center

Bradford \$2,000.00
Robert J. Sullivan Fund for Bradford County
- To give hope to the homeless by providing needs and helping them to help themselves.

Penn York Jewish Community

Bradford \$912.29
Beth Israel Congregation Fund
- To support Jewish causes.

Supporting Area Families Everyday

Bradford \$2,300.00
The David and Carol Keeffe Youth Fund
- To strengthen families and build a healthier community.

TACO Food Pantry

Bradford \$4,000.00
Robert J. Sullivan Fund for Bradford County
- To support those in need of food assistance.

Child Hunger Outreach Partners

Bradford \$1,000.00
Dennis J. & Ruth S. Craig Charitable Fund
- To support the Holiday Food Program in Sullivan County.

Troy Area School District

Bradford \$1,500.00
Troy Trojans Athletic Memorial Fund
- To purchase rib pads for the protection of football players.

Food Bank of the Southern Tier

Chemung \$2,500.00
Floyd "Vic" Hooker Youth Fund
- To support our child hunger programs in Tioga County.

Austin Dam Memorial Association, Inc.

Potter \$3,486.05
Austin Dam Memorial Association Fund
- To preserve the dam ruins of the 1911 flood and the papermill which served as the community's major employer in the early 1900s.

Austin Volunteer Fire Department

Potter \$1,296.07
Austin Volunteer Fire Department Fund
- To provide support to Austin Volunteer Fire Department.

Christmas House**Potter \$1,217.16**

Christmas House
 - To support low income households and house fire victims.

E.O. Austin Home - Historical Society**Potter \$5,434.92**

E.O. Austin Home, Historical Society Fund
 - To provide annual support for the E.O. Austin Historical Society.

Northern Potter School District**Potter \$20,329.10**

Darlene Sitler Music Fund
 - To provide support to the Northern Potter Children's School Music Program.

Northern Potter School District**Potter \$550.00**

Northern Potter Athlete of the Year Fund
 - To provide support to Northern Potter School District to recognize annually a senior athlete.

Potter County Historical Society**Potter \$1,235.65**

Potter County Historical Society Fund
 - To provide support to the Potter County Historical Society.

Teacher's Pet Animal Rescue**Potter \$1,225.87**

Teachers Pet Rescue Fund
 - To provide support for animal welfare and protection.

Coudersport Volunteer Ambulance Association**Potter \$1,322.94**

Coudersport Volunteer Ambulance Association Fund
 - To provide ambulance services to Coudersport and surrounding areas.

Coudersport Volunteer Fire Department**Potter \$1,252.46**

Coudersport Volunteer Fire Department Fund
 - To provide for the safety and health of Coudersport and surrounding communities and visitors through professional emergency response fire prevention and public education.

Eulalia Cemetery**Potter \$1,314.47**

Eulalia Cemetery Fund
 - To repair damaged historical markers that were vandalized.

Galeton Public Library**Potter \$779.54**

Galeton Public Library Fund
 - To provide quality materials and services which fulfill educational, informational, cultural and recreational needs of the entire community in an atmosphere that is welcoming, respectful and professional.

Susquehannock Trail Club**Potter \$880.22**

Susquehannock Trail Club Fund
 - To support the building and maintaining of trails, aiding in the conservation of wetlands and wildlife.

Ulysses Area Improvement Association**Potter \$1,000.00**

North Eastern Potter Economic Support Fund
 - Getting teens/kids involved in taking care of the community and help them to cultivate a sense of pride within our town.

Ulysses Library Association**Potter \$759.51**

Barbara Joy Olney Community Harmony Fund
 - To provide support to musical, artistic, theatrical and educational programs sponsored by the Ulysses Library.

Ulysses Library Association**Potter \$12,409.00**

Ulysses Library Fund
 - A free, public, nonsectarian library which serves the informational, educational and recreational needs of all the residents of the area by providing free access to an organized and currently useful collection of printed items and other materials.

Boys & Girls Club of Potter County**Potter \$600.00**

Potter County Community Impact Fund
 - Offers programs and services to promote and enhance the development of boys and girls by instilling a sense of competence, usefulness, belonging and influence.

Coudersport Senior Center**Potter \$600.00**

Potter County Community Impact Fund
 - To provide meals and entertainment to Senior Citizens.

CFTT Operating Fund**Regional \$387.21**

Oliver Richard Bartlett Fund
 - To provide annual support for the Community Foundation for the Twin Tiers.

Corning-Elmira Musical Arts, Inc.**Steuben \$2,600.00**

Floyd "Vic" Hooker Youth Fund
 - To make it possible for the chamber ensembles of the Orchestra of the Southern Finger Lakes to partner with the Tioga County Libraries to present narrated storybook concerts for children and families in their neighborhood libraries, promoting both music.

Sullivan County Action**Sullivan \$1,200.00**

Sullivan County Community Impact Fund
 - To support the health fair program and the dental clinic of Sullivan County.

Sullivan County Victim Services**Sullivan \$1,425.00**

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 - To help provide trauma focused cognitive therapy with a licensed therapist.

Friends of the Sullivan County Library**Sullivan \$486.18**

Friends of the Sullivan County Library Fund
 - To support Friends of the Sullivan County Library whose mission is to provide financial support to the Sullivan County Library that provides library services to residents and visitors to Sullivan County.

Tioga County Rural Ministry, Inc.**Tioga, NY \$4,264.37**

Katherine P. Kerrigan Tioga County Rural Ministry Fund
 - To provide funds for services to elderly shut-ins in Tioga County, NY.

Tioga County Rural Ministry, Inc.**Tioga, NY \$3,076.91**

Linda A. Gerace Memorial Fund
 - To serve the unmet needs of the poor, sick and elderly of Tioga County.

Cornell Cooperative Extension, Tioga County**Tioga, NY \$800.29**

Cornell Cooperative Extension of Tioga County New York Fund
 - To support bringing local experience & research based solutions together helping NYS families & communities thrive in our rapidly changing world.

Rotary Club of Waverly**Tioga, NY \$934.48**

Rotary Club of Waverly Endowment Fund
 - To support the mission of the Rotary Club of Waverly.

Catholic Charities Tompkins/Tioga**Tioga, NY \$3,000.00**

Floyd "Vic" Hooker Youth Fund
 - To purchase supplies for presenters to engage students in interactive afterschool activities and support for career field trips for the Youth Empowerment Support Services program in the Newark Valley High School and Spencer-Van Etten High School.

Friends of Waverly Cemetery Preservation, Inc.**Tioga, NY \$500.00**

William "Bill" Ransom III Community Service Award Fund
 - This grant is made in recognition of Ronald Keene for his work to restore local cemeteries and to preserve historical records.

Tioga County Rural Ministry, Inc.**Tioga, NY \$3,000.00**

Floyd "Vic" Hooker Youth Fund
 - To enable low income teens to purchase new back to school clothing and shoes so that they, like their peers, can feel confident and proud of their appearance as they return to school.

Trinity Lutheran Church & School**Tioga, PA \$540.15**

Katherine Ann Brennan Memorial Scholarship - Trinity Lutheran Fund
 - To provide support to Trinity Lutheran School in helping families with a financial need with assistance towards student(s) tuition.

Hamilton-Gibson Productions**Tioga, PA \$560.71**

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 - To provide support to Hamilton-Gibson Productions, specifically providing students in need with assistance in paying for participation in their special musical organization, Hamilton-Gibson Choirs.

Mansfield Area Food Pantry**Tioga, PA \$750.00**

Oliver Richard Bartlett Fund
 - To buy food and supplies for those in need in the Mansfield area.

Mansfield Free Public Library**Tioga, PA \$500.00**

Oliver Richard Bartlett Fund
 - To buy books and supplies for the public library.

Mansfield Methodist Shoe Bank**Tioga, PA \$750.00**

Oliver Richard Bartlett Fund
 - To buy shoes and sneakers for children to have footwear for school and to serve those in need.

Partners In Progress**Tioga, PA \$500.00**

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 - To cover expenses for nonprofit serving individuals with disabilities.

The History Center on Main Street**Tioga, PA \$500.00**

Oliver Richard Bartlett Fund
 - To help with expenses in preserving Mansfield area history.

Galeton Ministerium, Inc.**Tioga, PA \$600.00**

Benjamin Franklin Trust Fund
 - To provide assistance to people in need such as paying utilities, rent or supplying necessities in case of fire loss.

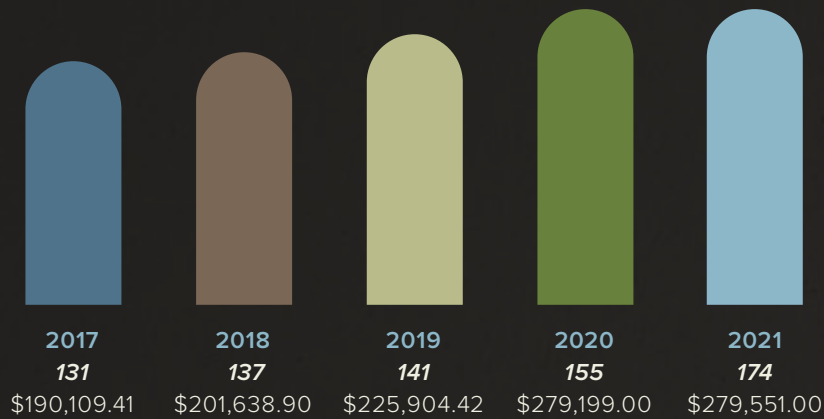
Knoxville Public Library**Tioga, PA \$4,500.00**

Knoxville Fund
 - To assist with furnishings, technology and historical preservation that will come with the addition and updating of the historical museum. It will also enable the library to have more shelving for materials and historical artifacts.

Christian Activities Network**Tioga, NY \$6,000.00**

Floyd "Vic" Hooker Youth Fund
 - To purchase part of the materials needed for the addition of a gazebo structure at the Court Complex equipped with benches for participant use in pre and post playing activities.

Total Grants & Scholarships Awarded



Scholarships Awarded

Alan B. Carr Memorial Scholarship

\$1,000.00
Awarded to Makayla R. Vargeson of Cowanesque High School to attend University of Cincinnati.

Alice Walker Cooper Family Scholarship

\$5,350.00
Awarded to Nathan A. Ryck of Waverly High School to attend Elmira College.

Alice Walker Cooper Family Scholarship

\$5,350.00
Awarded to Faith B. Hand of Waverly High School to attend SUNY Cobleskill.

Bill Davis Scholarship

\$2,500.00
Awarded to Camryn M. Kopalek of Owego Free Academy to attend Ithaca College.

Carl & Charlotte Lovejoy Scholarship

\$4,400.00
Awarded to Kaitlyn D. Clark of Waverly High School to attend SUNY Cortland.

Darlene J. Sitler Memorial Scholarship

\$1,000.00
Awarded to Audrianna J. Torrey of Northern Potter High School to attend Lindenwood University.

David A. DeWire Scholarship

\$500.00
Awarded to Benjamin J. Fry of Sullivan High School to attend Lycoming College.

Donald & LaRene Ayers Scholarship

\$4,700.00
Awarded to Evan R. Landis of Canton Area High School to attend Penn State University.

Dorothy Kemp Leonard Scholarship

\$4,000.00
Awarded to Ethan A. Engel of Canton High School to attend Pennsylvania Gunsmith School.

Dr. Donna L. Mettler Scholarship

\$5,000.00
Awarded to Sarah N. Mosher of Wellsboro High School to attend Mansfield University.

Dr. Donna L. Mettler Scholarship

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Awarded to Sydney O. Fitch of Wellsboro High School to attend Cairn University.

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\$1,150.00
Awarded to Brea J. White of Cowanesque Valley High School to attend Alfred State College.

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Awarded to Gabriella N. Stephens of Williamson High School to attend Bloomsburg University.

Dr. Jean E. Brenchley Woman of Science Award

\$1,000.00
Awarded to Lylah M. Smith of Canton Area High School to attend Wilkes University.

Elizabeth Alamo Nursing Scholarship

\$500.00
Awarded to Alexa P. Onsager of Waverly Area High School to attend Alfred State College.

Fallen Warrior Scholarship

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Awarded to Cameron J. Bellows of Canton Area High School to attend Susquehanna University.

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\$2,000.00
Awarded to Rebecca N. Hawkins of Owego Free Academy to attend Mansfield University.

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Awarded to Nickolas P. Kelly of Wyalusing High School to attend University of Pittsburgh.

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Awarded to Kylie M. Welsh of Austin Area High School to attend Bloomsburg University.

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Awarded to Evan R. Landis of Canton Area High School to attend Penn State University.

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Awarded to Catherine L. Brown of Wyalusing High School to attend University of Pittsburgh.

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Awarded to Makayla R. Vargeson of Cowanesque High School to attend University of Cincinnati.

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Awarded to Lillian E. Chamberlain of Canton High School to attend Messiah University.

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Awarded to Reagan Jewel Kelley of Canton Area High School to attend Mansfield University.

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Awarded to Mary J. Lincoln of Northern Potter High School to attend University of Pittsburgh at Bradford.

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Awarded to Kiyah M. Boyce of Wellsboro High School to attend Lock Haven University.

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Awarded to Carter W. Stedman of Oswayo Valley High School to attend Lock Haven University.

Northern Potter Scholarship

\$2,200.00
Awarded to Audrianna J. Torrey of Northern Potter High School to attend Lindenwood University.

Owego Free Academy Alumni Scholarship

\$1,000.00
Awarded to Mackenzie A. Struble of Owego Free Academy to attend Broome Community College.

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\$1,350.00
Awarded to Sarah M. Chambers of Coudersport High School to attend Skidmore College.

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Awarded to Leia E. Watson of Coudersport High School to attend Waynesburg University, PA.

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Awarded to Carter R. Route of Canton Area High School to attend Mansfield University.

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\$1,500.00
Awarded to Brooklynn Alexis Bourne of Troy High School to attend Mansfield University.

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\$1,600.00
Awarded to Sariannah B. May of Athens Area High School to attend Mansfield University.

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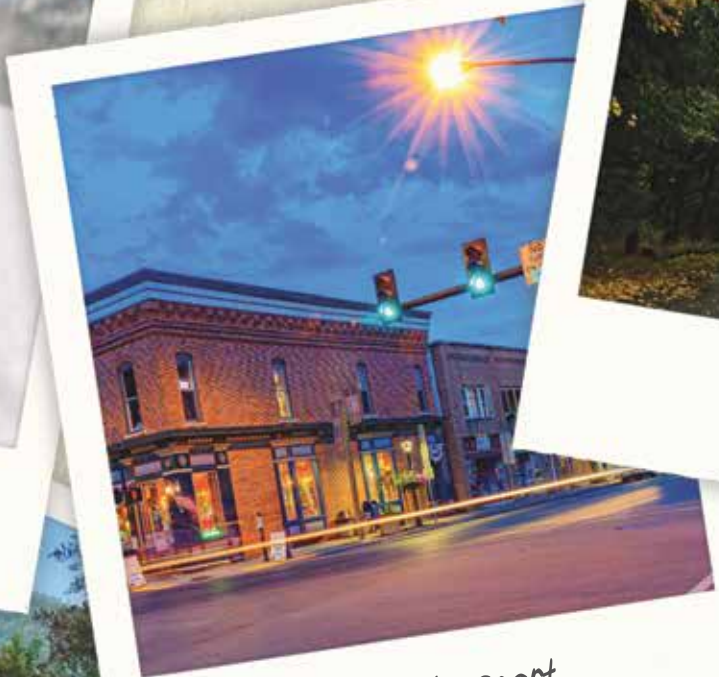
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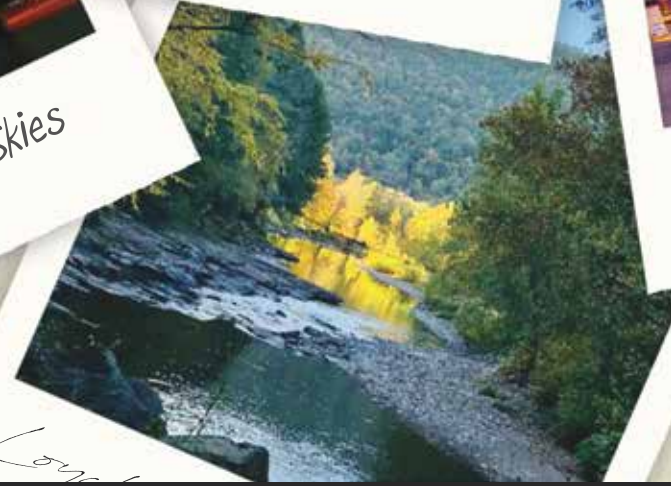
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