COMMUNITY FOUNDATION
of
ORANGE and SULLIVAN

INSPIRED GIVING
CREATING LEGACIES, ENRICHING LOCAL LIVES

2016 ANNUAL REPORT TO THE COMMUNITY
Greetings friends, neighbors and colleagues,

What an exciting year it has been at the Community Foundation of Orange and Sullivan! The generosity and philanthropic spirit of our many donor fund representatives enabled the Foundation to distribute a record number of grants and scholarships totaling $782,210 throughout 2015-2016. These distributions represent grants to valuable nonprofit organizations, educational scholarships and support of other essential charitable projects. Through the generosity of many thoughtful individuals and forward thinking nonprofits from throughout the region, 33 new charitable funds were established at CFOS this year. This is in addition to the over 200 funds that have been created since our founding in 1999.

This year, CFOS staff and the Board of Directors completed our 3-year Strategic Plan, achieving all goals ahead of schedule and within budget. However, our work is never-ending and the 2016-2019 Strategic Plan is already underway to ensure smart growth into the future as we continue to meet the needs of our many funds and donors.

This year, we bid farewell to Karen Minogue, CFOS President & CEO from 2005-2015, who grew the organization with strength and vigor while planting many seeds along the way. Derrik Wynkoop, Chairman from 2013-2016, completed his term this past July. His professionalism, attention to detail and broad network were and continue to be a tremendous asset to this organization. We thank the dynamic leadership that came before us and laid the strong foundation that we will continue to build upon for years to come.

We look forward to continuing to serve as a trusted resource to make our communities a stronger, healthier, more vibrant place for all. Your gift of money, resources and time is an opportunity to make a difference in the world, and we thank you for that!

Yours in service,

Elizabeth Rowley  
President & CEO

Josh Sommers  
Chairman, Board of Directors

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**MISSION STATEMENT**

Our mission is to enable charitable individuals and organizations to become meaningful donors by providing trusted support and expertise for their contributions to make a difference in our community, now and forever.

**OUR CORE VALUES**

1. Excellence in achieving the highest standard in all aspects of the organization.
2. Stewardship by ensuring the planned legacy of donors through sound financial management.
3. Strategic partnerships to understand and address the needs of individuals and organizations in our region.
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Oversees nominating process, by-laws and board development

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Oversees grant programs

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Oversees marketing and development program

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Oversees the finances and professional investment oversight.

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Committed to encouraging charitable giving in our community.

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NOTHING IS BETTER THAN THE HEART OF A VOLUNTEER
MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS

**DISTRIBUTED A TOTAL OF $782,210 IN CHARITABLE GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

**ACHIEVED $19.1M IN TOTAL ASSETS AS OF 6-30-16**

**COMPLETED 5TH PERFECT FINANCIAL AUDIT**

**Held 5th Annual Scholarship Reception for Fund Representatives, Scholarship Recipients and Their Families For Growing Crowd of 200 Guests**

**Held 2 Successful Seminars for the Professional Advisor Community**

**Established 33 New Charitable Funds**

**Completed 3 Year Comprehensive Strategic Plan Achieving All Objectives Ahead of Schedule and Within Budget**

**Benefits of Working With the Community Foundation**

**5 REASONS PROFESSIONAL ADVISORS (AND THEIR CLIENTS) LIKE US**

1. **It’s all about you.** Like your professional advisor, we want the best for you, period. We don’t represent a particular cause or charity; we encourage philanthropy in our region and beyond for the causes you care about.

2. **We specialize in philanthropy.** The laws — and opportunities — of charitable giving change daily. We are specialists your professional advisor can call on at any time for advice.

3. **We’re a great deal.** You never pay a start-up fee. Our low management costs are assessed on charitable funds only after they are established and you have received your full charitable deduction.

4. **We’re a stable and trusted partner.** Community Foundations are here for good, forever.

5. **We provide continuing oversight.** Your charitable gift should have the same due diligence as any other investment you make. Your gift is placed into an endowment that is invested over time and the earnings are used to make grants to match your charitable interests.
COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF ORANGE AND SULLIVAN
STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION: JUNE 30, 2016 & 2015

FISCAL YEAR
2015-2016 | GRANTS BY CATEGORY

ASSETS
Current Assets:
Cash and Cash Equivalents
$1,469,558
Prepaid Expenses
2,351
Investments
17,528,716
Total Current Assets
19,000,635

Fixed Assets, net
7,279
Intangible Assets, net
92
Other Assets:
Student Loans Receivable
67,468
Total Assets
$19,075,474

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS
Current Liabilities:
Agency Endowments
$3,459,276
Due to the Rockland Community Foundation
1,654,787
Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses
11,965
Deferred Revenue
15,375
Total Current Liabilities
3,549,834

Liability under Split-Interest Agreement
22,875
Total Liabilities
3,572,709

Net Assets:
Unrestricted
566,478
Temporarily Restricted
927,944
Permanently Restricted
10,208,786
Total Net Assets
11,704,208
Total Liabilities and Net Assets
$19,075,474

The report represents only the highlights of our financial activities. The Foundation’s complete audited financial statements, and public inspection of our Form 990 may be obtained during regular business hours or on the Foundation’s website at www.cfosny.org.
SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED

Anonymous Scholarship Fund #1
• The Storm King School
The Ashley & Sierra Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Danin Alborga
• Christina Poli
Lillian J. Bower Scholarship Fund
• Victoria Biancato
• Eliza Garcia
• Mackenzie Leroy Tanner Sexton
• Austin Wilson
The Ian Bennett/Situation Cares Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Alexia Zorov
The Matthew R. Berghof Scholarship Fund
• Robert Totten
The Samuel Beytin Fallsburg Central Community Scholarship Fund
• Mandatissa Fields
• Candace Forrest
• Charley Dills
• Carly Leveryott
• Madison Levine
• Ashlyn Nardi
• Alexes Shinn
• Tiffanly Suits
• Natallie Tejada
Sheila Birgitt Gift of Life Scholarship Fund
• Lauren Frey
Michelle Renee Bratton Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Samantha Smith
The Carly Fund
• Emi Hoarty
• Renato Meza
Chester Kiwanis Scholarship Fund
• Kiwanis Club of Chester NY Inc.
The Cornwall Central High School Scholarship Fund
• Megan Ognion
• Cristo Sidonis
• Kyle Sullivan
The David T. Cocks Walden Savings Bank Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Steven Branche
Scott F. Coan Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Nicho Montemurro
Edward C. Moulton, Jr., Cornwall Alumni Scholarship Fund
• Portia Mannix
The Edward R. and Jo Ann Scroce Crist Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Mary Sherman
Destinations of New York State Travel, Tourism, Hospitality & Culinary College Education Scholarship Fund
• Cameron Klein
• Russell Lowe
• Cynthia Pirco
The Justin T. Dimino Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Kurt Grimmer
• Matthew Weimer
The Taylor and Kyle Droge Academic Scholarship Fund
• Elizabeth Pizzina
• Kyle Wodarczyk
Windfall Dunwoody Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Robert Rojas
• Jennifer Hoffman
• Shelley Hoovler
• Trenton Santora
The Corrina Feller Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Casey Pritchard
FF Thomas J. Foley Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Catryn Genovese
• Emily Heggeman
• Shauna Kennedy
John D. Garrison Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Michael Coppola
• Adam Kimmel
The FF Denis P. German Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Michael Kopps
• Marissa Weitzman
Oscar B. Greenleaf Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Sarah Keen
• Garrett Reichert
• Diauna Shah
• Alexander Smith
Susan Gunther Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Lisa Weissburg
Calith M. Hammoren Memorial Foundation and Arts Institute Fund
• Andrea Sciatto
• Kevin Oriol
Hoops For Hoyes Fund
• Derek Decol
The Meyer and Lillian Jacobowitz Scholarhsip Fund
• Kylee Landeen (The Martin J. Schneier Scholarship Fund)
• Nicholas Piaquadio (Mayor & Lillian Jacobowitz Award)
• Jesse Shepperd (Meyer & Lillian Jacobowitz Business Award)
• Samantha Kuhn (Edward East Scholarships)
The Jodi’s Drive Scholarship Fund
• Kertaine Krailuk
• Casey Magie
• Kyle Sarkis
Lazarre and Charlotte Kaplan Foundation Fund
• Christine Balich
• Kyle Banks
• Rachel Bemhart
• William Brooasis
• Maggie May Coloro
• Teri Ann Chinesse
• Andrew Cummings
• Jonathan Davis
• Victoria Davis
• Justin Snepner
• Morgan Edgeltis
• Morgan Far Suits
• Courtney Evans
• Rhyanne Fiddler
• Linn Foryatio
• Joseph Freudenberg
• Andrew Galvez
• Philip Guzzo
• Michael Hadrick
• Robert Johnannen
• Kalsey Kalin
• Betar Kailis
• Everett Kunz
• Fuji Taxter
• Nicole Sac
• Jenna Lumbargar
• Taniaa Lockov
• Kylia Lucena
• Trina Lutz
• Joseph McDaid
• Faith McGown
• Farrah Mills
• Innni Miranda
• Someretha Mohamed-Mangus
• Heather Mustavo
• Tristan Parey
• Angelo Piscitelli
• Malena Polamat
• Jessicca Roser
• Kristin Sabatini
• Joseph Schwartz
• Samantha Scott
• Jordyne Shover
• Brian Simon
• Dillon Taggort
• Daniel Vanliten
• Tara Wurth
• Jenna Zayas
• Cindy Zheng
The Alison Kupper Memorial Fund
• Alexis Zorov
Charlene Kleverik Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Anthony C. Quinn Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Daniel Brunowsky
• Carly Lawless
• Jaiden Tonnusen
Elisa Lippin/Mathew Helm Scholarship Fund
• Charley Dills
• Yaressa Harris
The David E. Macc Farland Scholarship Fund
• Deanne Meke
John Mazur Memorial Scholarships Fund
• Joseph Grasso
The Rotary Club of Middletown Foundation Scholarship Fund
• Rotary Club of Middletown Foundation
The Rotary Club of Walden Foundation Scholarship Fund
• Meghan Sager Memorial Scholarship Fund
• The Skada Family Scholarship Fund
• Cornell Cooperative Extension, Sullivan County
• Mary Miller
• John C. Smith Fund
• Tyler Schwacke
Middletown High School Aft/Allot Scholarship Endowment Fund
• Trinianna Davoren
• Mitton Dorcelus
• Felipe Gross
• Daniel Mullic
• Maria Nacci
Newburgh Basketball Program
• Jennifer Newton Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Kayleece Francis
Sullivan Renaissance Scholarship Fund
• Nanthania Benzer
• Samantha Cohn
• Mark Dingman
• Deyno Felting
• Victoria Merton
• Shivani Patel
The Jane Unsworth Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Genefulica
Faruol Mayor Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Ginna Ficco
The Jane Unsworth Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Friends of Newburgh Crewe Inc.
• Adoree Ahmed
Boke & Dorothy Washington Scholarship Fund
• Lena Hotkey
• Lina Epislova
John P. Williamson Memorial Fund
• John Mancinill
Isidore and Ethel Wettberg Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Kyle DeCerreno
Women’s University Club of Middletown Endowment Fund
• Sub-Foundation Mentorship Fund
• Rose Alexander
Washingtonville S WTC Firefighters Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Ashley Foder
• Ryan Hammerton
• Kelli Neratd
• Jake Phillips
• Joseph Tackenberg
The Madison Memorial Fund
• Orange Regional Medical Center
EDUCATION LOANS
FF Thomas J. Foley Foundation
• FF Thomas J. Foley Foundation
FF Thomas J. Foley Scholarship Fund
• FF Thomas J. Foley Foundation
The Robert R. Dorley Education Fund
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AGENCY ENDOWMENT GRANTS
Charles Van I Cuddiffback Fund
• Neversink Valley Area Museum
• The Neversink Valley Area Museum
Temple Sinai Endowment Fund
• Leonard Weissman Education Endowment Fund
• The Neversink Valley Area Museum

DONOR ADVISED GRANTS AWARDED
Anne F. Boume Memorial Fund
• Mount Saint Mary College
Anonymous Fund #2
• Sullivan County Historical Society
The Daniel and Jason Cotey Memorial Education Scholarship Fund
• Adoneah Ahmed
Deepak Heritage Fund
• Town of Deepertown
Empire State Bank Charitable Trust
• Carve for a Cause
• Food Bank of the Hudson Valley
• Hoops Express, Inc.
• Independent Living, Inc.
• Legal Services of the Hudson Valley
• Make-a-Wish Foundation of the Hudson Valley, Inc.
• Meals on Wheels of Staten Island, Inc.
• New City Swarn Youth Sports
• On Your Mark Running-Back Community Services, Inc.
• Suzanne Rose Bob Foundation
• Rural Migrant Ministries
• Safe Harbor of the Hudson Valley
• Staten Island Children’s Museum
The Corrina Feller Memorial Fund
• Orange Regional Medical Center

DESIGNATED GRANTS AWARDED
Anonymous Designated Fund #1
• The Warwick Historical Society
Gummaer Cemetery/Pioneer Knoll Cemetery Fund
• Minisink Valley Historical Society
Hudson Valley Animal Shelter Fund
• The Friends of Green Chimneys
• Humane Society of Middletown
• Will Spay Pets Inc.
The Jacobowitz Family Trust Fund, a Charitable Lead Trust
• Community Foundation of Orange and Sullivan
Jacques and Florence Levin Sub-Fund of the OCL Endowment Fund
• Orange County Land Trust
The Harold and Carol Levine Sub-Fund of the Orange County Land Trust
• Orange County Land Trust
Tunnel Central Education Foundation
• Valley Central Education Foundation

Robert Van Etten, Jr. Fund
• The University of California, San Francisco Foundation
Bhag Matt & Leela Wanta Kumar Foundation
• Alzheimer’s Association
Richard P. O’Bello Memorial Foundation
• Greystone Programs, Inc.
The Irma Schwinger DeAngelie Fund
• Assumption Church
John C. Smith Fund
• The Research Foundation of the State University of New York
The Wesley-Krueger Family Foundation
• Orange County Arts Council

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SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS
AWARDED FISCAL YEAR | 2015-2016

FIELD OF INTEREST
GRANTS AWARDED
Doug Ackermann and Brenna Darling Memorial Fund
• Jewish Family Service of Orange County, Inc. (to assist on individual with catastrophic illness)

The Jay and Carol Anthony Foundation for Autism Support
• Mental Health Association in Orange County, Inc.

Congregation Ahavath Israel Perpetual Care Fund
• Congregation Ahavath Israel

The Justin T. Dimino Memorial Scholarship Fund
• American Foundation for Suicide Prevention

The Gerry Nennis Foundation Fund
• John Pintera
• John Walsh
• Wells Fargo Home Mortgage

The Joshua Stamm Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Allen’s Lemonade Stand Foundation for Childhood Cancer
• AT Children’s Project
• Camp Gahkurst
• Vermont Adaptive Ski and Sports

The Timothy J. Sweltzer Memorial Fund
• Alive And Kickin
• Daniel J. Edmondson Scholarship Fund
• Jewish Family Service of Orange County, Inc.
• Kevin Klass Athletic Scholarship
• Miles of Hope Breast Cancer Foundation
• Brian Nimmo Scholarship Fund
• S.S.eward PTA

UNRESTRICTED GRANTS AWARDED
Make A Difference Fund
• Big Apple Circus
• Boys & Girls Club of Newburgh, Inc.
• Girl Scouts Heart of the Hudson, Inc.
• Nana’s House Child Care Center, Inc.
• Safe Homes of Orange County, Inc.

Our Family of Funds
• C. B. Leonard, Inc.
• Citizens Savings Bank
• French’s Discount Furniture
• Greek Orthodox Church of the Visitation
• John Walsh
• KinderCare Learning Center
• Monroe-Woodbury School District
• Orange County Department of Health
• Orange County Library System
• Port Jervis School District

ACADEMIC
SCHOLARSHIP FUND
Kathy McMichael Memorial Foundation
• Jewish Family Service of Orange County, Inc. (to assist an individual with catastrophic illness)

The Gerry Nennis Foundation Fund
• John Pintera
• John Walsh
• Wells Fargo Home Mortgage

The Joshua Stamm Memorial Scholarship Fund
• Allen’s Lemonade Stand Foundation for Childhood Cancer
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ANONYMOUS SCHOLARSHIP FUND #1
Grants from the Anonymous Scholarship Fund #1 are made to support students who demonstrate financial need, are in good academic standing and are identified and recommended by the educational institution.

LILLIAN J. BAUER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND
Created through a bequest, this fund memorializes and celebrates the life of Port Jervis resident Lillian J. Bauer through scholarships awarded at Port Jervis High School.

IAN C. BENNETT/SITUATION CARES MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND
This fund was established in memory of Ian Bennett and awards a scholarship to an Orange County high school student who demonstrates a passion for the arts, in the form of design, music and/or performing arts.

MICHAEL BERTOLINI AND JERRY DUANE ARTS EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP FUND
This fund will distribute scholarships to students graduating from a school located in the Town of Warwick who are pursuing further education in the arts.

MICHÈLE RENEE BRATTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND
Created to celebrate the life of Michelle Renee Brattton who tragically lost her life on September 11, 2001, this fund provides a scholarship to a graduating student from Pine Bush High School who, like Michelle, is a member of the National Honor Society and who is an athlete, and/or a member of the chorus.

NEW! ELENA BRODMERKEL SCHOLARSHIP FOR THE ARTS FUND
Established in memory of Elena Brodmerkel, a talented artist from Cornwall, this fund will distribute grants and scholarships to students who demonstrate artistic talent and a desire to succeed.

OUR FAMILY OF FUNDS | ORANGE COUNTY

SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS
You can invest your gift in our community’s future and show students you care, all with the guidance and personal services of the Community Foundation. You determine the criteria students must meet to receive a scholarship from your fund. With your assistance, students achieve their academic and career-oriented goals. It is because of the generosity of those who established the funds listed below that the Community Foundation is one of the largest providers of scholarships in Orange and Sullivan counties.

DOROTHY BRONSON WICKER RE MEMORIAL ART SCHOLARSHIP FUND
Created in memory of this beloved artist, writer, teacher and historian by her daughter, Sandy Leonardi, this fund will award a scholarship to a graduating student with artistic talent at Monroe-Woodbury High School.

THE CARLY FUND
Created to celebrate the life of Carly Marie Sigelbaum and to keep her love for others alive and vibrant, this fund provides scholarships to graduating students from Newburgh Free Academy where Carly would have graduated in 2017, as well as grants to schools or non-profit organizations that focus on ‘random acts of kindness.’

ANTHONY CAVALIÈRE FOUNDATION
Established in memory of Anthony Cavaliere, a popular teacher, soccer coach, and mentor in the Middletown School District and at John S. Burke Catholic High School, this fund distributes scholarships to students from those districts pursuing higher education.

CENTER FOR BUSINESS INNOVATION SCHOLARSHIP FUND
This fund will distribute scholarships to students who have successfully completed an internship with the Center for Business Innovation.

CHESTER KIWANIS SCHOLARSHIP FUND
Created by the Chester Kiwanis to provide scholarships to students attending Chester Academy who exhibit leadership qualities through community service.

DAVID T. COCKS WALDEN SAVINGS BANK MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
Established by the board of Walden Savings Bank in memory of David T. Cocks, former president who passed away suddenly in 2011, this fund distributes scholarships to deserving students from throughout the region.
Our Family of Funds | Orange Established by Donors in | County

Scott F. Coen Memorial Scholarship Fund
Created to celebrate the life of Scott F. Coen, this fund provides a scholarship to a graduating student from Pine Bush High School who has participated in athletics and is planning to attend a two- or four-year college course of study in criminal justice.

Edward C. Moulton, Jr.; Cornwall Alumni Scholarship Fund
Created by former Cornwall Mayor Edward Moulton to provide scholarships to graduating students of Cornwall High School who have by his or her conduct, exemplified community service.

Cornwall Central High School Fund
Created by Cornwall native Jim Duff, Class of 1968, to recognize three top scholars in the graduating class. The overall top scholar in the graduating class, along with two additional scholars identified by the top math and science scholars, receive the scholarships.

Edward B. and J. Roscoe Crist Memorial Scholarship Fund
Created by the Crist family in honor of their parents and founders of Crist Brothers Orchards, this fund provides scholarships to graduates of Valley Central High School pursuing a major in a variety of fields related to agriculture.

New! Ross B. Decker Music Scholarship Fund
Scholarships are distributed in memory of Ross B. Decker to students graduating from Valley Central High School in the Highland Falls School District.

New! Taylor and Kyle Doce Academic Scholarship Fund
This fund provides annual scholarships to students who rank #5 and #6 in the senior class at Valley Central High School.

Winfred Dunwald Memorial Scholarship Fund
Established through a bequest from Joseph Dunwald, this fund was created to award scholarships to graduating seniors of the Port Jervis City School District, as well as children of graduates of Port Jervis City School District who have moved out of the Orange County area.

Corinne Feller Memorial Scholarship Fund
Created to celebrate the life of Corinne Feller who passed away at age 18 from ovarian cancer, this fund provides scholarships to graduating students of Valley Central High School who, like Corinne, are an active member of at least one interscholastic sports team through her senior year, have demonstrated leadership skills, and actively advocates concern for the less fortunate.

Ff Thomas J. Foley Memorial Scholarship Fund
Created to celebrate the life of Firefighter Thomas J. Foley who tragically lost his life on September 11, 2001, this fund provides scholarships to dependent children of either active or retired FDNY firefighters or officers.

John D. Garrison Memorial Scholarship Fund (WSB)
Established by Walden Savings Bank and friends of John D. Garrison as a lasting tribute to the former President of Walden Savings Bank, this fund distributes scholarships in the Valley Central and Wallkill Central School Districts to students who are of good character, exhibit community involvement, are service-oriented and plan to study Business, Finance, or Education.

Ff Denis P. Germain Memorial Scholarship Fund
Created by the family of FF Denis P. Germain who perished on September 11, 2001, this fund provides an annual scholarship to a graduating male and female student of Suffern Senior High School who are also members of the Suffern Senior High School Ski Team.

Oscar B. Greenleaf Memorial Scholarship Fund
Created through a bequest, this fund honors the legacy of Oscar B. Greenleaf through scholarships that are awarded annually at Port Jervis High School.

Susan Gunther Memorial Scholarship Fund
Established to honor and memorialize Susan Gunther, who taught the Gifted and Talented Program at the Monroe-Woodbury School District, this fund provides an annual scholarship to a high-performing, college bound Monroe-Woodbury student.

Caitlin M. Hammaren Memorial Foundation and Arts Institute Fund
Inspired by Caitlin’s love of the arts and created following Caitlin’s senseless death on the morning of April 18, 2007 at Virginia Tech, this fund awards grants in the areas of art, arts education, and cultural programs.

Honigsbaum-Caplan-Bensley Fund
Grants will be disbursed to area food pantries to support the purchase of cat food and supplies.

Hoops for Hayes Fund
Established in memory of Joseph Charles Hayes, this fund will support refurbishment of basketball courts at Moys Field in Washingtonville and will distribute scholarships to students graduating from Washingtonville High School.

Hudson Valley Builders and Remodelers Association Scholarship Fund
This fund awards a scholarship for post-secondary education to Hudson Valley Builders and Remodelers Association members, their employees and families in order to cultivate future leaders and dedicated employees for the building industry.

Hudson Valley Tuskegee Airmen Endowment Fund
Created to celebrate the legacy of the Tuskegee Airmen who overcame many obstacles as black servicemen in their quest for equality during World War II and beyond, this fund provides scholarships to all students throughout the Hudson Valley who exhibit leadership, academic excellence, and an understanding, as expressed through a written essay, of the “Tuskegee Airmen story.”

Marius Ivascu Aviation Foundation
Established in memory of Marius Ivascu who taught hundreds and hundreds of people how to face their fears, how to embrace the moment and spread their wings, this fund provides scholarships to individuals between the ages of 17-33 who are enrolled in an aviation program for flight or maintenance.

Jodi’s Drive Scholarship Fund
Established by family and friends of Jodi Ann Dennehey, who passed away in 2009 after a long and courageous battle with breast cancer, this fund awards scholarships to graduating students of Warwick Valley High School.

Alisson Klepper Memorial Fund
Established in honor and celebration of Alison Klepper, this fund awards a scholarship each year to a Warwick Valley High School senior and/or an Orange-Ulster BOCES student who plans to pursue higher education and major in photography, equine studies, graphic or media arts.

Charlene Kliever Memorial Scholarship Fund
Established in memory of Charlene Kliever, who played a major role in establishing the Goshen Science Olympiad Organization, this fund provides scholarships to graduating Goshen High School students who have participated in the Science Olympiad and are continuing their education.

New! Kiwanis Club of Middletown Scholarship Fund
Established by the Kiwanis Club of Middletown, this fund provides funds for scholarships to students from Middletown High School who have been an active member of Key Club and plan to attend college.

 Abraham, and Judith, and Jonathan R. Kopald Scholarship Fund
Created by the Kopald family in memory of Abraham, Judith, and Jonathan R. Kopald, this fund awards a scholarship at James I. O’Neill High School in the Highland Falls School District.

New! Timothy Lubitz Memorial Fund
Established in memory of Timothy Lubitz, this fund distributes scholarships to graduates of Valley Central High School, with a preference to students pursuing a career in science or mathematics.

David S. MacFarland Scholarship Fund
This fund was created to provide scholarships to students graduating from Newburgh Free Academy who plan to attend SUNY Orange and pursue a degree in business, finance or accounting.

The John Maher Foundation
Established in memory of John Maher, this fund will award scholarships to students who are employed at the Golf Club at Mansion Ridge and are in good standing, academically and professionally.

John Mazur Memorial Scholarship Fund
This fund awards scholarships to students at Valley Central High School who are taking classes and pursuing an occupation or vocation in various fields related to agriculture.

Richard G. McCoy Foundation
Established by family and friends in memory of Richard G. McCoy, this fund awards scholarships to Monroe-Woodbury High School and North Rockland student athletes who have made a strong commitment to community service, have displayed strong moral character and have met certain educational requirements.

Spencer McLaughlin Fund
Created by family, friends, and colleagues of Orange County Legislator Spencer McLaughlin in honor of his long term commitment to community service in Orange County, this scholarship is awarded annually to a student attending or planning to attend SUNY Orange.
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NEW! ERIC MEIER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND Established in memory of Town of Crawford Police Sergeant Eric Meier, this fund will award scholarships to graduates of Pine Bush High School planning to attend a college or university to study criminal justice or pursue a major related to law enforcement.

MIDDLETOWN HIGH SCHOOL AOE/AOIT SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT FUND Created to support the Academies of Finance and Information Technology at Middletown High School, this fund awards scholarships to program participants pursuing higher education.

JENNIFER NEWTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND Created to celebrate the life of Jennifer Newton, this fund awards a scholarship at Middletown High School to a student pursuing a career in creative writing at a part-time or full-time accredited college or university.

ORANGE COUNTY YOUTH FOOTBALL AND CHEERLEADING SCHOLARSHIP FUND This fund grants scholarships to students attending a two or four year college who have participated in Orange County Youth Football or Cheerleading for multiple years.

ERIN ORTIZ MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND Created by the family and friends of Erin Ortiz to honor her memory, this fund awards a scholarship to a graduate of Goshen High School who plans to pursue higher education and has excelled both academically and athletically.

DAVID E. PHILLIPS MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP FUND Created by family and friends to honor the life of David Phillips, this fund provides a scholarship award annually to music students in the Middletown Central School District.

PINE BUSH ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP FUND Created by R.J. Smith, an alumnus of Pine Bush High School, and former President of the Community Foundation, this fund provides an annual scholarship to a graduating student from Pine Bush High School.

PINE BUSH YOUTH SOCCER CLUB FUND Created to provide scholarships to seniors of Pine Bush Central School District who have participated in the Pine Bush Youth Soccer Club Program for at least one year in Grades K-12.

MICHAEL PURCELL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND Created by colleagues in memory of Washingtonville teacher Mike Purcell, this fund awards scholarships to graduating students at both Washingtonville High School and Valley Central High School who are ranked #9 and plan to pursue higher education.

ANTHONY C. QUINN MEMORIAL FUND Created by family and friends of Anthony C. Quinn, this fund awards a scholarship to a graduating student from Warwick Valley High School who has demonstrated consistent, outstanding, high school achievements during his/her four consecutive years of high school.

DAVID RACINE SCHOLARSHIP FUND Created as a lasting way to honor David Racine and to keep his memory alive and vibrant, this fund awards scholarships annually to a graduate of John S. Burke Catholic High School who plays on the football team, is a leader, and a team player.

RESCUE 3 FALLEN HEROES 9/11 SCHOLARSHIP FUND Created by September 11th widows and family members in honor and memory of FDNY firefighters Thomas Foley, Thomas Gambino, Ray Meisenheimer, Christopher Blackwell, Don Regan, Gery Schrager, and Joseph Spor, this fund awards a scholarship to children of any Rescue 3 firefighter who are survivors of a qualified disaster.

NEW! RICHIE REYNOLDS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND Established by family and friends of Richie Reynolds, a beloved member of the Montgomery community, this fund will distribute scholarships to students graduating from Valley Central High School.

ROCKY CLUB OF MIDDLETOWN GOLDEN GEAR EDUCATION FUND Established by the Rotary Club of Middletown, this fund provides awards to students graduating from an area high school or college who have overcome a significant obstacle in their life and who have demonstrated progress in turning their life around.

ROCKY CLUB OF WALDEN FUND Created by rotary club of Walden to provide educational awards, Rotary Youth Leadership Awards and support other worthy community organizations.

JEAN A. ROWE SCHOLARSHIP FUND IN MEMORY OF JOHN AND ANNA CULIK Created through a bequest, this fund awards annual scholarships in memory of John and Anna Culk to deserving community-minded students graduating from Pine Bush High School.

JEAN A. ROWE SCHOLARSHIP FUND IN MEMORY OF THOMAS AND JEAN A. ROWE Created through a bequest, this fund will award annual scholarships in memory of Thomas and Jean Rowe to deserving students who have volunteered in an animal shelter and are graduating from Pine Bush High School.

JEAN A. ROWE SCHOLARSHIP FUND IN MEMORY OF THOMAS AND WINIFRED ROWE Created through a bequest, this fund awards annual scholarships in memory of Thomas and Winifred Rowe to deserving students graduating from Pine Bush High School pursuing a major in engineering.

MEGHAN SAGER MEMORIAL FUND Created by family and friends, this fund honors the memory of Meghan Sager and distributes annual scholarships to graduates of Goshen High School who demonstrate academic success with an interest in sports, languages, music, theater, or volunteerism, but above all, has consistently displayed exceptional kindness and caring for their fellow students and community.

NEW! ELIZABETH SHELDON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND Established in memory of Elizabeth Sheldon, this fund distributes scholarships to students in the Highland Falls – Fort Montgomery Central School District.

THE ISAAC AND RUTHE SILBERMAN LEGAL ProfESSION/AVURITS AND RUTHE SILBERMAN MEDICAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND Created through a bequest, this scholarship fund will provide tuition assistance to Monticello High School students who are involved in the district’s “College in the Classroom” Program.

The E. BASH SODERLUND AND BARBARA SODERLUND (WOMEN’S UNIVERSITY CLUB OF MIDDLETOWN) MENTORING FUND Established in memory of E. Bash Soderlund and Barbara Soderlund, this fund provides an annual mentoring grant to a woman (or age group) returning to school for continuing education at SUNY Orange.

NEW! JUSTIN SPIEGELS SCHOLARSHIP FUND Established in memory of Justin Speights, a 2014 graduate of Pine Bush High School and member of the Silver Lake Fire District, this fund will distribute scholarships to graduates of Pine Bush High School.

JOSHUA STAMM MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND Created by family and friends to memorialize Joshua Stamm, this fund distributes charitable grants in the field of disabilities and medical research, as well as an annual scholarship to a graduating student of Goshen High School.

THE ARCHIE STEWART ROTARY SCHOLARSHIP FUND (NEWBURGH ROTARY CLUB) Created by the Rotary Club of Newburgh, this fund distributes scholarships to students graduating from Newburgh Free Academy who display a high degree of good moral character and community involvement.

THE TIMOTHY J. SWEITZER MEMORIAL FUND Created to honor the life of Timothy Sweitzer, this fund will offer a scholarship to an incoming freshman or transfer student at John S. Burke Catholic High School.

JIM TARAVELLA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP Fund Created to celebrate the life of beloved teacher and coach, Jim Taravella, this fund will distribute scholarships to students in need.

JANE UNHJEM MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND Created to celebrate the life of Jane Unhjem, this fund provides scholarships to graduating Goshen High School students who wish to study abroad. Jane’s love of life and her infectious energy will be celebrated and remembered through this scholarship fund.

RUDOLPH VALLET MEMORIAL SCIENCE AND EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP FUND Created by the family of beloved Chestertown Free School District teacher, Rudolph Vallet, this fund provides scholarships to students graduating from Washingtonville High School who wish to pursue a degree in the field of Science or Education.

WALKKILL EAST ROTARY SCHOLARSHIP FUND Established by the Walkkill East Rotary, this fund provides scholarships to students who live in the Pine Bush, Middletown, Valley Central, Goshen or Minisink School Districts, who have been involved in community service during their school career and plan to attend an accredited two-year or four-year college or technical school.

WASHINGTONVILLE 5 WTC MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND Created to honor the five FDNY firefighters who lived in Washingtonville (Dennis Devlin, Glenn Perry, Mark Whitford, Gerard Nevins, and Robert Hamilton), who tragically lost their lives on September 11, 2001, this fund awards scholarships to five students graduating from Washingtonville High School.

FREDERICK B. AND DOROTHY A. WILDFOERSTER FUND Created in memory of the Wildfoersters, this fund awards scholarships to local honorably discharged veterans interested in pursuing a degree in architecture or a related field.

JOHN P. WILLIAMSON MEMORIAL FUND Created to celebrate the life of John P. Williamson, who lost his life on September 11, 2001, this fund provides a scholarship to one male and one female graduating from Warwick Valley High School.
ISIDORE AND ETHEL WITTENBERG MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND Created by the family of Isidore “Stitch” and Ethel Wittenberg, to honor their memory, this fund provides an award to a graduating student from Pine Bush High School who demonstrates civic duty and responsibility of the highest degree on and off the athletic field.

MEN’S UNIVERSITY CLUB OF MIDDLETOWN ENDOWMENT FUND, A SUB-FUND OF THE E. BASH SODERLUND AND BARBARA SODERLUND MENTORING FUND Grants from this fund support scholarships and/or Mentoring Grants to female students graduating from Middletown High School and/or attending SUNY Orange.

AGENCY FUNDS
Nonprofit organizations can establish an agency fund at the Community Foundation as a simple and efficient way to build an endowment and help create sustainability for the organization. The earnings on these funds can be an ongoing source of income for operations and programs. This type of endowment also provides the opportunity for the organization to receive planned gifts of various types, including cash, appreciated stock, real estate, bequests, and life insurance.

- Access: Support for Living, Inc. Endowment Fund
- Allegro Orchestra Fund
- Big Brothers Big Sisters of Orange County Fund
- Cornell Cooperative Extension of Orange County Fund
- Nora Cronin Presentation Academy Endowment Fund
- Crystal Run Village Foundation Fund
- Bill Devitt’s Dream for Inspire Fund
- Dispute Resolution Center Fund
- Firefighters Burn Fund (Firefighters Burn Treatment Fund Inc. of Orange Ulster and Sullivan)
- NEW! Great Futures Fund (Town of Wallkill Boys & Girls Club, Inc.)
- Greater Newburgh Symphony Orchestra Fund
- NEW! Friends of Hillside Endowment Fund
- Historical Society of Newburgh Bay and The Highlands Endowment Fund
- HONOR Endowment Fund
- Hudson Highlands Nature Museum Fund
- Independent Living Inc. Fund
- Jewish Family Service–Diane Finkelstein Families in Crisis Fund
- Literacy Orange Fund
- Neversink Valley Area Museum – Charles Van I Cuddeback Endowment Fund
- Neversink Valley Area Museum – Leonard Weissman Education Endowment Fund
- Orange County Arts Council Fund
- Orange County Firefighters Museum Fund
- Orange County Land Trust Endowment Fund
- The Record’s People for People Fund
- NEW! Rockland Community Foundation Fund
- Safe Homes of Orange County Endowment Fund
- Southwoods Eleanor T. Snow Heritage Club Endowment Fund
- Temple Sinai Endowment Fund Sub-funds of the Temple Sinai Endowment Fund: Larry Adestein Fund; Irv and Virginia Anderman Fund; Shirley Aronowsky Fund; David and Sekowitz Atkinens Fund; Barney & Rose L. Cohen Fund; Ludwig Disteibuger Fund; Jesse Duntz Fund; Eisenberg/Phillerman Fund; Abe Eilman Fund; Joseph Fakick Fund; Max & Emme Fennich Fund; Martin & Meta Frank Fund; Dr. Louis Gilman Fund; Leonard R. Halpern Fund; I. & H. Hersch Fund; H. Karoline & Manfred Joseph Fund; Jack Judelson Fund; Ruth Judelson Fund; Carol & Harold Levine Fund; Paul C. Lipschutz Fund; Adolph Millman Fund; Men’s Club Fund; William Neukander Fund; Sons & Mary Persans & Frank Schuller Fund; Shulamit & Joseph Rehns Fund; Barry Rosenberg Fund; Grace Roskin Fund; George & Martha Ross Fund; Louis Rosenstein Fund; J. & A. Schloss Fund; Lily & Matthias Schleifer Fund; Charlotte & Joseph Schuhof Fund; Rabbi Joel and Aviva Schwab Fund; Helenie & Robin Shratman Holocaust Studies Fund; H. & J. Horowitz Fund; Margaret & Ronald Solomon Fund; M. & D. Sommerstein Fund; Berthold & Kathi Speker Fund; H. & H. Suresky Fund; Max S. Wey Fund; Ida Yegidis – Sisterhood Endowment Fund;
- Tour O College of Osteopathic Medicine Middletown Endowment Fund
- United Way of Orange County Endowment Fund
- YMCA of Dutchess & Eastern Orange Fund
- YWCA Orange County Endowment Fund

DESIGNATED FUNDS
You can direct your annual gift to one or more specific nonprofit organizations and maintain assets that help ensure sustainability over time. Distribution of investment income to the chosen organization(s) is made on an annual basis, creating a stable income stream.

ANONYMOUS DESIGNATED FUND #1 Created by an anonymous donor to provide an annual grant to the Christ Church in Warwick and the Historical Society of the Town of Warwick.

COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF ORANGE AND SULLIVAN ENDOWMENT FUND Created to provide a modest annual grant as needed to support the operating needs of the Foundation.

NEW! ETHEL K. AND KENYON D. ETTINGER MEMORIAL FUND This fund will provide grants to the Northport Historical Society located in Suffolk County New York to preserve and promote pride in the heritage of Northport and its surrounding communities.

ROGER FERRIS AGRICULTURAL FUND Created in memory of Roger Ferris, who loved the outdoors and wanted to keep it protected, this fund provides grants to the Orange County Land Trust in support of annual lectures that support local farms, agricultural distribution and industries, and/or the protection of agricultural land.

NEW! FRIENDS OF VALLEY VIEW FOUNDATION Established by friends of Valley View, this fund will provide grants to Valley View Center to support programs and activities not supported by the budget.

NEW! GOSHEN LIBRARY FOUNDATION This fund will provide grants to the Goshen Library and Historical Society to support construction of their new library and programs.

GUMAER CEMETARY/PIONEER KNOLL CEMETARY FUND Created by Kenneth Gumaer, DVM, this fund provides an annual grant to the Minisink Historical Society to oversee the perpetual maintenance of Gumaer Cemetery/Pioneer Knoll Cemetery in Cuddebackville.

HUDSON VALLEY ANIMAL SHELTER FUND Created by a bequest from Jean A. Rowe, this fund provides annual grants to nonprofit animal shelters in the Hudson Valley.

THE HAROLD AND CAROL LEVINE MEMORIAL FUND FOR THE BENEFIT OF ORANGE COUNTY LAND TRUST Created by the estate of Harold Levine, this fund makes annual grants to the Orange County Land Trust.

THE JACQUES AND FLORENCE LEVINE CHARITABLE FUND Created by Jacques Levine, in honor and memory of his late wife Florence, this fund makes annual grants to the Orange County Land Trust and is a sub-fund of the Orange County Land Trust Endowment Fund.

THE MIKE LEVINE JOURNALISM EDUCATIONAL FUND Created by the family and friends of beloved journalist Mike Levine, this fund supports an annual journalism workshop in Mike Levine’s name.

JOHN MAZUR ENDOWMENT FUND FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE ORANGE COUNTY ARBORETUM/ RUTH & JIM OTTAWAY EDUCATION CENTER Created to provide support for maintenance and continuation of gardens and arboretum-related projects at the Orange County Arboretum/Ruth & Jim Ottaway Education Center.

NEW! JOHN MAZUR ENDOWMENT FUND FOR CORNELL COOPERATIVE EXTENSION OF ORANGE COUNTY EDUCATION CENTER AND 4-H PARK Created to provide grants to Cornell Cooperative Extension of Orange County to support the building and ongoing maintenance of the Education Center and 4-H Park located in Otisville, New York.

THE MCTAMANEY FUND Established by David and Mary McTamanye, this fund will distribute grants to initiatives in the Newburgh area that strengthen local heritage appreciation and maintenance or local affordable homeownership opportunities.

MILITARY APPRECIATION DAY FUND Created by concerned citizens as a vehicle to which the wider community may contribute, this fund provides support for “Military Appreciation Day”, a community-wide day of complementary activities, food, music and fun for local military personnel and their families.

NEW! THE ROWLEY FAMILY BIRTHING CENTER ENHANCEMENT FUND This fund will provide grants to Orange Regional Medical Center for equipment, projects, training and programs of the Rowley Family Birthing Center.
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THE SEPTEMBER 11TH ANNIVERSARY benefit fund
This fund provides grants to the Washingtonville 5 World Trade Center (WTC) Firefighters Memorial Fund, the FDNY VFW, and the New York Firefighters Burn Center Foundation.

GRAHAM SHEA ENDOWMENT FUND FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE ORANGE COUNTY ABOretum/ RUTH & JIM OTTAWAY education center
Established to commemorate the retirement of Orange County Commissioner of Parks and Recreation Graham Shea in 2005, this fund will distribute grants to support the Orange County Arboretum.

THE VALLEY CENTRAL education foundation
Created by friends of the Valley Central School District, this Foundation was established to create new opportunities for children and provide a vehicle for giving by the Valley Central community, staff, and alumni.

CHRISTOPHER AND ELLEN BYRNE CHARITABLE FUnd
Created by the Byrne Family to provide grants to local nonprofit organizations.

THE DANIEL AND JASON COFFEY MEMORIAL FUND
Created by the family of Daniel and Jason Coffey, this fund provides grants to nonprofit organizations.

DEERPARK HERITAGE FUND
Created by Norma and Willard Schadt to support art, music, history, and cultural programming in the Town of Deeppark that are offered or sponsored by the Town of Deeppark Museum.

EMPIRE STATE BANK CHARITABLE trust fund
Created by trustees of Empire State Bank as a way to give back to the community through grants distributed on a regular basis to a wide variety of local nonprofits throughout the area.

CORNlNE FELLER MEMORIAL FUND
Created to honor and memorialize Corinne Feller, who passed away at age 18 of ovarian cancer. This fund focuses on raising awareness about ovarian cancer by holding events and providing grants to organizations that conduct research focused on finding a cure for the disease.

THE FF Thomas J. FOLEY FOUNDATION
Created to celebrate the life of firefighter Thomas J. Foley who tragically lost his life on September 11, 2001, this fund provides grants to nonprofit organizations.

FRIENDS OF CHris FARELkAS FUND
This fund will distribute grants to various charitable projects in memory of Chris Farekas.

THE MEYER AND LILLIAN JACOBOWITZ MEMORIAL FUND
This fund provides grants to nonprofit organizations as well as scholarships to Valley Central and Wallkill Central School Districts.

Bud & RUTH KASSEL FUND
Created by the Kassel Family to provide grants to local nonprofit organizations.

KIDZ4CAuses FUND
Organized by a group of high school students and young adults who give back by fundraising, this fund’s mission is to make the world a better place by educating others about issues that affect children globally, and supporting nonprofit organizations that address those issues.

BhAG MAll & LELA WANTI KUMAR FouNDATION
Created to provide grants to eligible charities as well as education scholarships for students attending SUNY Orange.

THE RICHARD p. O’BEIRNE MEMORIAL FouNDATION
Created by family and friends to memorialize Richard O’Beirne, this fund distributes grants to nonprofit organizations that advance humanitarian need and economic growth in the Hudson Valley.

NEW! LUCAS O’CONNOR MEMORIAL FUND
Established in memory of Lucas O’Connor, this fund will distribute grants to nonprofit organizations with a focus on animal related agencies, science symposiums, or school-related clubs/activities, as well as nonprofit organizations that promote organ donor awareness.

NEW! pLAIN FAMILY FouNDATION
Grants will be recommended by donors to support charitable organizations that provide opportunities for youth of all abilities to reach their potential.

RJM Superstar FUND
Created by family and friends of Richard J. Mohl, a “superstar” of a teacher, to honor his life and legacy, this fund awards grants to nonprofit organizations.

THE ROBERT ROWELL FouNDATION
Created by family and friends of Robert ‘Tobby’ Rowell, this fund distributes grants to nonprofit organizations.

ROWLEY FAMILY FOUNDATION
Created to provide grants to nonprofit organizations.

JOHN C. SMITH FouNDATION
Created by the family of John Christopher Smith, this fund distributes scholarships to a graduating student from Pine Bush High School who plans to attend a four-year college to study Civil Engineering, Land Use Planning, Real Estate, Surveying or Business. This fund also awards grants for worthy community projects.

BRIAN STROMMER II FouNDATION
Created in memory of Brian Strommer, this fund awards grants to local nonprofit organizations and scholarships to students from Washingtonville High School.

NEW! THE WESLEY-KREUGER FAMILY FouNDATION
Created to provide grants to nonprofit organizations and/or education programs.

FIELD OF INTEREST FUNDs
When you establish a Field of Interest Fund, you can focus your grants on an important area of community life, such as early childhood development, parks and recreation, education, the arts, or food security. We award grants on your behalf to community organizations and programs that are making a difference and your gift stays flexible enough to meet community needs in your interest area—even if they change over time.

105th AIRLFIT WING ALUMNI ASSOCIATION FUND
This fund will support a variety of causes as stated in the group’s charter including activities of the 105th Airlift Wing, programs and services offered by the Family Readiness Office, patriotism and veterans programs and events and more taking place in the Hudson Valley.

AMY ALEXANDER FouNDATION
This fund will provide grants to organizations that provide services and programs for individuals with spinal cord injuries.

THE JAY AND CAROL ANTHONY FouNDATION FOR AUTISM SUPPORT
Created by Jay and Carol Anthony to provide grants to nonprofit organizations that serve youth with autism spectrum disorders transitioning to adulthood.

ARTSleaf Fund
This fund provides grants to develop and maintain a website, ARTSleaf org, to link artists, educators, students, and organizations, and facilitate attendance of student groups at arts events, and identify and support the educational needs of future artists from all disciplines.

THE LIEUTENANT GREGG ATLAS FOundATION
Created to honor and celebrate the life of Lieutenant Gregg Atlas, a New York City Firefighter, who tragically lost his life on September 11, 2001, this fund provides grants to nonprofit organizations that support programs for adults with autism.

THE GERTrUDE AND SCOTT DROPKIN AIDS TREATMENT AND CARE FouNDATION
This fund provides grants to nonprofit organizations delivering treatment and care to people affected by AIDS.

RONALD I. JACOBOWITZ HEALTH/EDUCATIONAL FouNdATION
Created by the Jacobowitz family in memory of their son and brother Ronald, this fund’s purpose is to provide grants to medical or health services, educational programs and/or scholarships to students for community service.

THE JACOBOWITZ FAMILY CHARITABLE trust
This fund provides an annual grant to the Community Foundation and to local nonprofit organizations that provide medical or health services or educational programs.
THE LAKE FOUNDATION

THE MIRACLE FOUNDATION

MARCELLO’S MIRACLE FOUNDATION

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THE ASHLEY AND SIERRA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

NEW! THE MARINE P.F.C. JERRY B. EVANS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

JOCelyn LEvNER–NISSENBAUM MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

NEW! LIBERTY ROTARY SCHOLARSHIP FUND

SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

UNRESTRICTED FUNDS

FISCAL SPONSORSHIPS AND PROJECT FUNDS

The Community Foundation of Orange and Sullivan helps community charitable projects without nonprofit status get off the ground by providing fiscal and administrative support in the form of Fiscal Sponsorships. CFOS maintains fiscal custody of the project account and provides disbursement and accounting services for which it assesses a fee to the project.

NEW! Cornwall-on-Hudson Playground Project Fund

Newburgh Basketball Program Fund

Newburgh Illuminated Fund

Photographers for Hope

Richie Reynolds Memorial Fund

Safe Space America Fund

The Community Foundation of Orange and Sullivan helps nonprofits provide support to families whose children are experiencing loss of vision as a result of their disorder.

THE ASHLEY AND SIERRA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

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THE MATTHEW B. BERTHOLF SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Established in honor and remember Matthew “Matty” Bertholf, who was the epitome of what it meant to live in and embrace Sullivan County, this fund awards scholarships to graduating seniors of the Tri-Valley Central School District who plan to continue their education in the fields of trades or applied technology.

THE SAMUEL BEYTIN FALLSBURG CENTRAL COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP FUND

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JOCelyn LEvNER–NISSENBAUM MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Created in memory of Jocelyn Levner-Nissenbaum, a proud graduate of Fallsburg Jr./Sr. High School and SUNY Geneseo, this fund provides scholarships to students residing in the Town of Monticello with consideration for scholastic standing, citizenship, leadership, potential, school spirit and need.

NEW! LIBERTY ROTARY SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Established by the Liberty Rotary Club, this fund will provide scholarships to students for college, participation in Rotary Youth Leadership Exchange and other educational, charitable or humanitarian opportunities.
ELISSA LIPPEN/MATTHEW HELM MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND Established as a legacy to honor and celebrate the memory of two close friends who lost their lives together in a fire in 1995, this fund distributes a scholarship to graduating seniors at Fallsburg Central High School.

NEW! THE HADDON C. PANTEL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND Established in memory of Haddon Pantel, this fund will distribute scholarships annually to a graduating senior from Fallsburg Central School District who will attend a licensed or accredited school to pursue a trade or vocational degree.

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NEW! THE SIEGEL MUSIC AND ARTS ENDOWMENT FUND Established in honor of Lee and Marge Siegel who were lovers of the arts, this fund will provide grants to charitable projects and organizations that are committed to the promotion and sustainability of music and the arts.

ROBERT VAN ETten, JR. FUND Created by the family of Robert Van Etten, Jr., this fund supports transportation costs associated with attending Lake Placid Soccer Camp for students from Sullivan County.

FIELD OF INTEREST FUNDS

When you establish a Field of Interest Fund, you can focus your grants on an important area of community life, such as early childhood development, parks and recreation, education, the arts, or food security. We award grants on your behalf to community organizations and programs that are making a difference and your gift stays flexible enough to meet community needs in your interest area—even if they change over time.

DOUG ACKERMANN AND BRENNA DARLING MEMORIAL FUND Established in memory of Doug Ackermann and Brenna Darling, this fund awards grants to organizations on behalf of individuals suffering from a catastrophic illness, living in Sullivan County.

CONGREGATION AHAVATH ISRAEL PERPETUAL CARE FUND Created to provide for the maintenance, repair and restoration of monuments, headstones and grave markers of historical or architectural significance to the community, and focusing on areas open to the public or to the public’s view.

THE GERRY HEALTH SERVICES FUND This fund provides grants to nonprofit organizations providing health services.

NEW! LAZARE AND CHARLOTTE KAPLAN FOUNDATION Established through the generosity of Lazare Kaplan, one of the world’s best known diamond merchants, this fund distributes charitable grants to programs and initiatives impacting youth from the Town of Rockland. Educational scholarships to students pursuing higher education are also distributed.

THE KATHLEEN MCMICHAEL MEMORIAL FOUNDATION Created by friends and colleagues as a tribute to Kathy McMichael who passed away in May 2009 after a courageous battle with breast cancer. Through this Foundation, grants are recommended for families dealing with a catastrophic illness.

SULLIVAN RENAISSANCE FUND Established in 2013 through a bequest of Timothy D. Stoddard, a good friend, and firm believer in the work of Sullivan Renaissance. This fund awards grants for beautification and community revitalization projects in Sullivan County.

FISCAL SPONSORSHIPS AND PROJECT FUNDS

The Community Foundation of Orange and Sullivan helps community charitable projects without nonprofit status get off the ground by providing fiscal and administrative support in the form of Fiscal Sponsorships. CFOS maintains fiscal custody of the project account and provides disbursement and accounting services for which it assesses a fee to the project.

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The Greenleaf Legacy Society recognizes thoughtful donors who have informed the Community Foundation of bequests, insurance policies, trusts and other planned gifts. The society’s name honors Oscar Benton Greenleaf, an ordinary person with extraordinary goals, who lived life to the fullest and gave so that others could learn. Mr. Greenleaf’s goodwill lives on forever through his gift, which makes it possible for students in Port Jervis to receive scholarships now and in perpetuity.

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Forgotten Women and Children’s Relief Fund

Established in memory of Lou Bucci, a beloved teacher and coach, this fund will make grants to nonprofits that support projects, plans and programs which focus on educational, vocational and health services for women and children.

The Keith B. Hayes Foundation

Created by Keith’s family and many friends, The Keith B. Hayes Foundation awards grants to support the Rockland Independent Living Center, The Wheel Chair Foundation, the Children’s Cardiomyopathy Foundation, the Ralph Braun Foundation and to research specific to Keith’s condition by the Columbia University Medical Center in New York City.

Terwilliger Family Legacy Fund for Charitable Endeavors

Established in memory and honor of Fred, Frederica, Terry, and Bryan Terwilliger, this fund will make grants to local nonprofit organizations which most align with Ted’s interests and will most greatly inspire growth.

Ted Petrillo Community Fund

Established by family and friends with an interest in continuing Ted’s lifelong interest of making a difference for others and in the community, this fund will make grants to organizations which must align with Ted’s interests and will most greatly inspire growth.

Irma Schwinger Deangele Fund

Established to forever celebrate the life of a remarkable woman, a German immigrant who settled in the Hudson Valley in 1950. This fund provides grants to local nonprofit organizations.

The Michael Ryan Zodda Foundation

Established in memory of Michael Zodda, who passed away on July 2, 2010, at the age of 25. This fund provides grants to support advance research and knowledge in the areas of arteriovenous malformation, cerebral vascular diseases and blood disorders.

New! Salvatore & Patricia Trocino Foundation

Established in memory of Salvatore and Patricia Trocino, this fund will distribute grants to nonprofit organizations or educational scholarships annually.

New! Lou Bucci Memorial Fund for Athletes and the Arts

Established in memory of Lou Bucci, a beloved teacher and coach, this fund will distribute grants to nonprofit organizations and scholarships.
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