



COMMUNITY FOUNDATION
of RANDOLPH COUNTY

BRINGING PEOPLE & RESOURCES TOGETHER

We're lucky to have you:

Your Generosity
Is Our Greatest
Treasure

2024

Annual Report

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Mission Statement

The Community Foundation of Randolph County, Inc. seeks to bring people and resources together to strengthen the quality of life, both now and in the future, for the residents of Randolph County. To accomplish this mission, the Foundation will initiate and support programs and organizations, provide philanthropic leadership, effectively direct resources of community donors, administer a permanent pool of endowed funds in a professional manner, be a community convener, give grants and scholarships, and provide donor services.

Vision Statement

Our vision is to improve the quality of life in Randolph County through generosity that lasts for generations.



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Executive Message

Celebrating your generosity, building a stronger foundation for the future of Randolph County

Community foundations are more than financial institutions; they are where generosity meets action and dreams meet possibility. At the Community Foundation of Randolph County, we see ourselves as bridges linking generous hearts with urgent needs, visionary ideas with practical solutions, and diverse voices with shared purpose.

Our strength lies in our understanding of the unique challenges and opportunities within our region. We don't just observe; we listen, learn, and engage. By aligning grant funding with community priorities, we ensure that resources are directed where they can make the most profound impact – addressing today's challenges while building a stronger foundation for the future.

As your partner, resource, and steward for local philanthropy, collaboration is at the core of what we do. By partnering with nonprofits, local leaders, businesses, and individuals, we amplify our collective ability to create positive change throughout our community. Each partnership represents a shared commitment to making Randolph County a place where generosity will improve our community for generations.

Your support fuels this vision. When you choose to invest in your community through the Community Foundation, you join like-minded neighbors who are dedicated to transforming lives and creating lasting legacies. Together, we address pressing issues, empower innovative solutions, and inspire hope for generations to come.

This annual report is a testament to the power of local giving. It reflects the impact we've achieved together and the promise of what's still to come. Thank you for your support and continued belief in the life-changing potential of our community foundation.



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Board President



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Board of Directors & Staff

Board of Directors

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Officer



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Coordinator



Linda Wood

IAC Region
5 Arts
Coordinator



Braydee Euliss

Lilly Endowment, Inc.
Community Foundation
Interns



Will Anderson



Katie Elliot

Faces at the Foundation Spotlight

Linden Dennis



A member of the Foundation board since fall 2018, Linden has found that being a part of an organization that serves the students, citizens and organization of Randolph County now and also in the future to be a very rewarding experience.

Linden was raised in Lorain County, Ohio, on the outskirts of Cleveland. Her parents owned and operated floral greenhouses until 1970 and were active in many community and civic organizations.

Upon graduation from high school in 1970, Linden enrolled at Wilmington College to study biology. After two years at Wilmington College, she left Wilmington, married her husband, Philip, and moved to Randolph County. She then enrolled at Ball State University and went on to receive three degrees in School Library Media Services and Earth Science. She taught at the middle school level with Richmond Community Schools in Richmond, Indiana for forty years and retired in 2015. She also wrote book reviews for Library Media Connection and other review sources.

Linden lives outside Lynn with her husband. Phil, who is a retired industrial chemist and safety director and continues to farm. They have had a succession of yellow Labrador Retrievers, all totally spoiled. The current inhabitant is an eighty-five pound lab named Libby.

Linden enjoys reading, cross stitch, needlepoint, cooking, walking, birdwatching, swimming, and music. She serves on the board for Civic Hall Associates and volunteers with Friends of Morrisson-Reeves Library, both in Richmond. She and Phil have visited forty-two states and seven countries.

She has previously served as secretary for the Board as well as a member of the Executive Committee. Linden currently serves on the grants, local scholarships and events committees and is very supportive of the work of the Foundation and their work of help the citizens and organizations of Randolph County now and into the future.

INTERESTED IN BEING MORE ENGAGED WITH THE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION?

If you have a love for Randolph County and the time and energy to turn that emotion into actions, the Community Foundation is always seeking individuals to serve as committee and board members.

From reviewing grant and scholarship applications to planning and implementing our annual dinner, the Community Foundation has numerous ways for you to be engaged with our efforts to bring people and resources together to strengthen the quality of life, both now and in the future, for the residents of Randolph County.

2024 Randolph County Heroes



Dallas Osting Marla Threewits

Jim Davis

Tyler Holly

Nominate Your Hero Today!



*Call the office at
765-584-9077
or visit our website!*

The Community Foundation of Randolph County, with support from the News-Gazette, continues our celebration of local heroes who have impacted our community or exceeded expectations to serve others. This effort is the result of a Community Foundation program that helps recognize such people, while also raising money to help others.

Those designated as Randolph County Heroes have their names displayed on a plaque at the Foundation office.

The Randolph County Heroes Fund is a wonderful way to remember someone who has passed and a great way to honor those currently working to make Randolph County a better place to live.

RANDOLPH COUNTY PROMISE

An Early Award Scholarship Program Supporting Our Youth and Their Post-Secondary Dreams

Effective with the 2024-2025 school year, Randolph County Promise has transitioned to an Early Award Scholarship program. While participation in the program still requires that each child have an Indiana 529 Savings Account, the Community Foundation of Randolph County, with support from generous donations to our Randolph County Promise Community Fund, will be awarding a scholarship, based on incentives earned throughout their enrollment in the program, to participating students at the end of 8th grade. Then, once the participating student graduates high school, the scholarship can be paid to the institution at which the student enrolls for post-secondary education or training.

Annual Thanks & Giving Dinner

Our Donors are Sweet!

On Thursday, November 14, 2024, the Community Foundation gathered with its friends and community partners at Willow's Edge Event Center to celebrate another successful year of bringing people and resources together to strengthen the quality of life for the residents of Randolph County.

After enjoying a dinner provided by Romer's Catering, attendees heard an update on the Randolph County Promise program from new Promise Coordinator Linda Wood. Linda shared the recent changes to the Promise program, including the transition to an Early Award Scholarship program.

The next presentation came from Braydee Euliss, our Partnership Coordinator for regional arts organizations as part of our participation as the Indiana Arts Commission's Regional Arts Partner for Region 5, which includes 11 counties in east-central Indiana. In addition to recognizing grantee representatives who were present, Braydee shared an overview of the Indiana Arts Commission and its grants cycles as well as information on recent changes to the funding processes.

In light of the Community Foundation's essential role in supporting the Rebuilding Randolph program of the Randolph County Long-Term Recovery team, Grant Cox, Scholarships & Community Development Officer, provided an update on the recovery and rebuilding process, including sharing fundraising achievements as well as the expected continuing need to additional funds.

In the presentation of funding for the Fall 2024 grant cycle, Suzan Dillon Myers, Grants Committee Chair, and Ashley Stephen, Community Grants & Operations Manager, recognized each of the grantees, acknowledging their funded project and presenting their grant check (see page 14 for the full list).

Before concluding the event, Lisa Jennings, Executive Director, provided an update on the Community Foundation's participation in Lilly Endowment Inc.'s GIFT VIII initiative, which helped fund the Master Trails Plan (see page 19 for more information) and provided an incentive of \$750,000 to our community to build the unrestricted endowments at the Community Foundation to support our efforts - both current and future - to strengthen the quality of life for the residents of Randolph County.



2024

Riverstart Union Township Grantees



Indiana Arts Commission (IAC)

FY25 Grantees

Administrator Assistance, LLC
 AgriFinancial
 Aimee Page
 Al & Missy Williams
 Alexander Greene
 Alexis Green
 Alison & Meeks Cockerill
 Allison Henderson
 Almco Steel Products Corp
 Amanda Anderson
 Amanda Chester
 American Legion Restoration Club
 American Water Charitable Fdn.
 Amory Merriman
 Amy M. Hollinger
 Amy Mckee
 Amy Pitts
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 Ashleigh Lawrence
 Ashley Beaudoin
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 Ayn Engle
 B&B Agra Enterprises
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 Belden Wire and Cable
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 Betty Greenawalt
 Beverly Jones
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 Billie Hart
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 Brad & Amy Hoggatt
 Brad Hunt
 Brad Morrow
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 Brandon Helms
 Brandon Sullenbarger
 Brenda Bland
 Brenda Turbeville
 Brent D Brinkley
 Brian Cates
 Brigid Johnson
 BTRE, LLC dba RE/MAX Evolve
 Bunnie Riedel
 Business & Professional Women's Club
 Busy Homemakers Club
 Byron J. Park
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 Carrie Baldwin
 Carrie Elderts
 Carvantage
 Caryn Anderson
 Casey Kibe
 Casey Mason
 Cassandra Jones
 Cast Metals Technologies Inc.
 Cathy Croyle
 Cathy Fitzgerald Charitable Foundation
 Cathy Stephen Miller & Dr. Tom Miller
 Cathy Wray
 Centerville Fire/Rescue Auxiliary
 Charles & Karen Bragg
 Charles & Paula Moulton
 Charles & Patricia Hall
 Charles Stonerock
 Chase Eppards
 Chauncey Varner
 Cheryl Fisher
 Cheryl McKissick
 Chip & Ruth Loney
 Chris & Doreen Culy
 Christa Barnell
 Christie Brinkman
 Christie Green
 Christopher & Carla Peacock
 Christopher C Peacock Enterprises
 CHS Inc.
 Cinda Allenza
 Cindy K. Miller
 City of Union City
 City of Winchester
 Claire Scheele
 Claude Reynolds
 Claudia Thomas
 Cobalt Civil
 Cobie & Cristy Wells
 Comcast Heartland Region
 Community Foundation of Hancock County
 Community of Faith Church
 Compass Wealth Solutions
 Complete Motorsports Graphics
 Conan & Kathy Wallace
 Conkle Funeral
 Connie Harris
 Connie Loveless Charitable Fund
 Connie Stump
 Conn's Collision Center
 Constance E. Thomas
 Contract Industrial Tooling
 Courtney Grubbs
 Craig & Julie Dishman
 Craig Sarna
 Cranor Family Giving Fund
 Cris & Roxanne May
 Crossroads Financial Federal Credit Union
 CSX Transportation
 Culy Contacting
 Curtis Cunningham
 Cynthia Smith
 Dale & Peggy Moore
 Dale G. Wuestefeld
 Dan Clark
 Dan Staifer
 Dana Nunn
 Dane & Bev Starbuck
 Danielle Guillen
 Danny & Kathy Antrim
 Darrin & Shelly Keiser
 Darwin & Carla Johnson
 Dave Knapp Ford Lincoln
 David & Dena Reno
 David & Karrie Osborne
 David & Kimberly Keever
 David & Lisa Jennings
 David Heinekamp
 David Lowe
 David Rodgers
 David Stump M.D.
 David Thompson
 David Triezenberg
 David W. Straw
 Davis Chiropractic Offices
 Dawn O'Connor
 Debbi Austin
 Debbie Koehl
 Deborah Chenoweth
 Deborah Seidl
 Deborah Swift
 Deborah Applegate
 Debra Flaspohler
 Debra Grubbs
 Debra Potts
 Deerfield Methodist Church
 Della Massey
 Delta Theta Tau Sorority Iota Mu Chapter
 Dennis & Ruth Schweigert
 Dennis & Sheryl Thurston
 Dennis & Diana Theurer
 Dennis Owens
 Dennis Spinner
 Dent Tek North
 Derick Huntwork
 Derrick & Janet Mote
 Devlin Hicks
 Diana Heshelman
 Diane I. Klemme
 Donald S. Hunt
 Donald Thomas
 Donald V. Beatty
 Doneen Hobbs
 Donna Decker
 Donnie Smith
 Dorothy Schlegel
 Douglas & Sasha Baker
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 Dr. Jane Segal
 Dr. Lance & Jane Longnecker
 Dr. Mark & Donna Haggenjos
 Dragoo Farms
 Duane & Anne Mason
 Eaton Rotary Club
 Edie & John Purcell
 Edison Community College
 EDP Renewables North America
 Elena North
 Elijah "Blackie" Pennington Whitewater Valley Motorcycle Club
 Elizabeth Gray
 Elizabeth Helms
 Elsie J. Bragg
 Emily Chow
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 Erich Erker
 Errol Klem Properties
 Etna Community Bible Church
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 Evolve Management
 Fairfield Friends Meeting
 Fairmont Round Robins, Inc.
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 Family Tradition
 Farm Credit Mid-America
 Farmhouse Creative
 Fidelity Charitable
 First Merchants Corporation
 First Merchants Private Wealth Advisors
 First Methodist Church (Richmond)
 Flesher Farms
 Frank & Alice Clements
 Frank Baden
 Frank Miller Lumber Company
 Freckles Graphics of Lafayette
 Fred Housel
 Fred Pries & Leslie Jones Insurance
 Gabe Sickels
 Gale Medler
 Galilean Baptist Church (Centerville)
 Garren (Gary) J. Junco
 Gary & Kathy Clark
 Gary & Krista Kiser
 Gary & Susan Peterson
 Gary Campbell
 Gene & Rebecca Cosler
 Gene Mayfield
 Geoff & Nikki Grow
 Glen E. Boehm
 Glenn & Cathy Weil
 Glenna Pittman

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 Grayson & Sherry Cox
 Greenville National Bank
 Greg & Kathy Beumer
 Greg Depauw
 Gregory & Lisa Chalfant
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 Indianapolis Foundation
 Greta Cope
 Gwen Kramer
 Gwen P. Glotfelty
 HAB Development Corporation
 Harry G. Terrell
 Hawkins Insurance & Financial
 Services
 Heart of Indiana United Way
 Heike Spahn
 Helen Holdman
 Helen I. Snyder
 Heritage Pointe Financial
 Group
 Hillgrove Federated Church
 Missionary Committee
 Honour Plumbing Shop
 Hopewell United Methodist
 Church
 Horseshoe Prairie Chapter DAR
 Howard Ag Equipment
 HWC Engineering
 Image Nations
 Indiana Arts Commission
 Jack & Louise Hart
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 Jacob Newton
 Jacqueline Surber
 Jaetta S. Roberts
 James & Kathy Moore
 James & Denise Hodson
 James & Mary Meinerding
 James L. Davis Estate
 James M. Sinclair
 James Pogue
 James R. Donovan Jr
 James Sawyer
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 James Wells
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 Jana Burke
 Jane & Damon Grove
 Jane & Joel Flesher
 Jane Bogard
 Jane Marie Lind
 Jane Rogers
 Jane Zell-Smith
 Janeil Martin-Conners
 Janet S. Cline
 Janis Culy
 Jay & Mary Harris

Jay County REMC
 Jay Petroleum
 Jaylen Cox
 Jean McMahan
 Jeanetta Allen
 Jeanine Metzger
 Jeff & Jill Brueckheimer
 Jeff & Cassandra
 (Buckley) Short
 Jeff & Karen Oswalt
 Jeff & Nancy Barnett
 Jeff Pegg
 Jeff Unzicker
 Jeffery Mills
 Jen Searcy
 Jennifer Gillespie
 Jeremy & Brittany Baldwin
 Jerome Giesting
 Jerry & Joyce Brown
 Jerry Corder
 Jessi Clark
 Jessi Hammond
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 Jill A. Cunningham
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 Jill R. Rickert
 Jim & Heidi Ong
 Jim Hoffman
 Jim McLane
 Jimmy Winkle
 Jodi Pinkley
 Jody Harris
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 Joe & Stephanie Baldwin
 Joe Mershon
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 John & Sarona Goodrich
 John Barker
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 John Gebhard
 John H. Cartmell & Carmel D.
 Wimber
 John Sahn
 Johnnie Owens Trust
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 Kathryn & Steven Brinson
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 Keala Mizik
 Keith Bales
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 Kellyn Reid
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 Keshia Locke
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 Charitable Foundation
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 Last Course
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 Laura Schroeder
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 Leslie Kulig
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 LifeTime Skin Care Centers
 Lilly Endowment Inc.
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 Linda Engle
 Linda Harris
 Linda J. Fennel & Dana Maple
 Linda Noffsinger
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 Lions Club of Winchester

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 Lisa Martin
 Lisa Short
 Lochmueller Group
 Lori Lader
 Loveless Family Fund, a DAF at
 Schwab Charitable
 Lowell & Karen Drill
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 Lowell E. Rapp
 Lyndsey Goodhew
 Lynn Lions Club
 Lynn Veterinary Hospital
 Lynne Pistillo
 M&E Golf DBA
 Winchester Golf Club
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 Marsym Development Corp
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 Michael Holdeman
 Michael McGunegill
 Michael Shryock
 Michella Bronakoski
 Midwest Vintage Racecar Club
 Mike & Denise Wallace
 Mike & Julie Wickersham
 Mike Martin
 Mike Sipe
 Mike Stanley
 Milton Christian Church
 Minnetrista Museum & Gardens
 Miracle Missions

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Phi Delta Kappa Beta Eta	Samuel Farrington	Susan Symons	Wayne Howell Farm
Chapter	Sarah Cox	Susan T. Chastain	Wayne Pearson
Phil & Linda Frantz	Sarah Ferguson	Susan Webber	Wheel & Spoke Antique Mall
Philip & Linden Dennis	Sarah Kelton	Suzan Dillon Myers	White River Township Alumni
Philip & Joy Murphy	Sarah Robb	Tamara Bales	Association
Philip & Catherine Stevenson	Sarah Scobey	Tammy Whitaker	Wick's Pies Inc
Phillip & Ruth Ann Zicht	Sarah Shultz	Tangi Applegate	Wibert Funeral Services Inc
Phyllis Crowder	Saratoga Church of God	Tanya & Tim Hart	Willard Elementary
Phyllis Helms	Saratoga Lions Club	Tarter Reality Auction &	William & Jennifer McCormack
Phyllis Hiestand	Scott & Amy Miller	Appraisal Company	William & Linda Bush
Portland Rotary Foundation	Scott Fisher	Ted Davenport	William Dodd
Pregnancy Decisions Resources	Scott Hufford	Teresa Robbins	William J. Kitchin
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Randolph County Antique Club	Scott Medalen	Terry & Louise Lingner	William T. Keagy & Dan Evans
Randolph County Athletic Assoc.	Scott Porter	Terry & Louise Lingner Gift Fund	Willow's Edge
Randolph County Solid Waste	Scott Tucker	a DAF of Fidelity Charitable	Winchester Alumni Association
Managment District	Scott Wickersham Inc. DBA	Terry Tonovitz	Scholarship Endowment Fund
Randolph County United	A & B Cafe	Thalita Berpan	
	Scott Wood	The Bath State Bank	

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 Winchester Farm Corporation
 Winchester Furniture
 Showroom
 Winchester Main Street
 Winchester Rotary Club
 Winchester Speedway
 Winifred K. Enghaus
 Winston Bush
 Woodley Farra Manion Portfolio
 Management Inc
 Xpress Mart & Liquor LLC
 Yorktown Methodist Church
 Zachary Cardwell

In Memory Of...

In Memory of Art & Mary Smock

Cinda Allenza

In Memory of Arvin & Ada Williams, Lee & Monisa Wisener

Thomas Wisener

In Memory of Bertha Junco

Garren (Gary) J. Junco

In Memory of Betty Bailey

Jane & Damon Grove

In Memory of Bud & Becky Smith

Donnie Smith

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Linda Harris

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In Memory of the Casey Family of E Franklin St

James R. Donovan Jr

In Memory of Chester Mock & Jim Noffsinger

Owen & Toni Griffith

In Memory of Corvin Coats

Wanda Woodward

In Memory of Cynthia Acree

Amanda Chester

In Memory of Dallas Osting

Al & Missy Williams

In Memory of Daniel Mills

Frank Clements

In Memory of Dave Chastain

Susan T. Chastain

In Memory of Dave Manson

Deborah Seidl

In Memory of Dean Walters

Andrea Kirk

In Memory of the Deceased

Members of the Dodd Family

William Dodd

In Memory of Dianne Jones

Bob Spradling

In Memory of Dianne Jones & Dr. Conrad Miranda

Anonymous

In Memory of Don & Virginia King

Robert & Candis King

In Memory of Dr. David C. Lind

Jane Marie Lind

In Memory of Dr. Dianna K. Wolf

Jane Bogard

In Memory of Dustin Shannon

Alexander Greene

Alison & Meeks Cockerill

Christopher & Carla Peacock

Conan & Kathy Wallace

Dale Hardacre

Daniel Wegg

Darrin & Shelly Keiser

Gene Mayfield

Grant Cox

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Gregory A. Chalfant

Honour Plumbing Shop

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Janis Culy

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Julie Greer

Kathy Daly

Lisa & Jim Keener

M&E Golf DBA Winchester Golf

Club

Mark & Kimberly Winger

Mark F. Wilson

Mel & Ann Barnell

Michael & Karla Reed

Patricia A. Birden

Patrick W. Burkey

Shane A. Love

Susan Szymczak

Thomas T. Osborn

Trevor Oakerson

Various

Willard Elementery

Winchester Community HS

In Memory of Emogene Cockerill

Brad Hunt

In Memory of Fredric L. Armstrong

Linda Pegg

In Memory of Gerald Greenawalt

Betty Greenawalt

David & Lisa Jennings

Eugene & Johanna Richardson

Glen E. Boehm

Jack & Louise Hart

Sharon E. Smith

Thomas T. Osborn

In Memory of Gwen Keesling

Dane & Bev Starbuck

Debra Potts

Edie Purcel

Michael & Laurie Schopmeyer

Nancy L. Huff

Ron & Danna Rae Anderson

Stephen Baranyak

In Memory of Harold & Emily Patricia Roy

Laura Roy

In Memory Jane C. Oliver Zell

Jane Zell-Smith

In Memory of Jim Davis

David & Lisa Jennings

Dr. Tom & Cathy Stephen Miller

James L. Davis Estate

Michelle Bronakoski

Suzan Dillon Myers

In Memory of Joe Wolfe

Anonymous

In Memory of John R. Engle

Ayn Engle

In Memory of Karen Hoffman Smith & Gary Hoffman

Chip & Ruth Loney

In Memory of Kathryn Whitacre

Conkle Funeral Home, Inc

Deborah Chenoweth

John R. Demerly

Teresa Robbins

In Memory of Kellie Stephen

Beverly Jones

Dr. Tom & Cathy Stephen Miller

Rick & Torri Carey

Ron & Danna Rae Anderson

In Memory of Kellie Stephen & Dave Furby

Kenneth & Mary Jo Shockley

Michael & Pam Necessary

Richard & Dianna Gough

Steve R. Howell

In Memory of Lloyd & Doris Fields

Brenda Bland

In Memory of Lloyd Spencer

Toni Anderson

In Memory of Lori Hart

Tanya & Tim Hart

In Memory of Margo Varner

Chauncey Varner

In Memory of Marilyn Pash

Mylie & Hunter Brennan

In Memory of Marjorie Fast

Tim Fast

In Memory of Mary Jo Wickersham

Errol Klem Properties

Sherry Beshears

In Memory of the May Family

Anonymous

In Memory of Melba Conn

Errol Klem Properties

Sherry Beshears

In Memory of Melba Eileen Rickert Zicht Conn

Charles & Karen Bragg

In Memory of Mike & Olga Make

Anonymous

In Memory of Mo Lennington

Errol & Patty Klem

In Memory of the Mullen Family

James Stock

In Memory of My Winchester Ancestors

James Pogue

In Memory of Nyle Fox

Christie Green

In Memory of Philip Lee Hinshaw, US Navy

Charles & Karen Bragg

In Memory of Rachel Calhoun

Dale G. Wuestefeld

Flesher Farms

In Memory of Randy Cates

Bobby Beshears

Brian Cates

Dr. Tom & Cathy Stephen Miller

Errol & Patty Klem

Jeff Pegg

Jeffery Mills

Jeremy Baldwin

Keith Fields

Kirk Comer

Patrick Mapes

Steven & Nancy Chalfant

Steve Sandifar Jr

In Memory of Robert & Bettie Bolinger

Dennis Theurer

In Memory of Robert G. Smith & Margaret Embree

Cynthia Smith

In Memory of Ruth Mills

Bunnie Riedel
David & Lisa Jennings
Jane & Damon Grove
Ray Boggs

In Memory Of Sandy Falcetta of Indiana

Nancy Cunningham

In Memory of Scott Dehaven

Jane & Damon Grove

In Memory of Tammy Hall

Charles & Patricia Hall

In Memory of Terry Swindell

Anonymous
Ben Moulton
Cast Metals Technologies, Inc.
Charles Moulton
Chris & Carla Peacock
Dr. Tom & Cathy Stephen Miller

Dragoo Farms
Glenna Pittman
Gregory A. Chalfant

Jay & Mary Harris

Jerry Corder

Jill A. Ashe

Jill A. Cunningham

Larry & Shirley Hall

Larry D. Vantilburg

Mark F. Wilson

Mariann George

Michael & Pam Necessary

NCA Therapy

Philip & Catherine Stevenson

Rebecca Cox

Richard Swindell

Robert & Carol Gimore

Robert White

Ron Fields

Winifred K. Enghaus

In Memory of Thomas & Charlene Sarna

Craig Sarna

In Memory of Tim Steveson

Tangi Applegate

In Memory of Tom Shierling

Thomas Brazda & Peter Ow

In Memory of Virginia McCormick

Sherry Beshears

In Honor Of...**In Honor of 2024 Interns Will Anderson & Kate Elliott**

Ashley R. Stephen

In Honor of Al & Missy Williams

Jim Mclane

In Honor of All Randolph Co. Residents Impacted by the Tornado

Anonymous
Mike Stanley
S. Mark Kerney

In Honor of All the Resilient Residents of Randolph County

Kirk Sipe

In Honor of the Ardagh Employees

Randy Powell

In Honor of Band Class of 1978

Debbie Koehl

In Honor of Beckie Schafer and Lloyd Wilson

Kathy Bennisson

In Honor of Bettye Monks

Ms Kathryn S. Lahn & William Marshuetz

In Honor of Mayor Bob McCoy

Mayor Gregg Sprunger

In Honor of Brady & Xia Xianna Bacon

Scott Fisher

In Honor of Cathy Hoover & Dj Shannon

Trevor Oakerson

In Honor of Chelsea Wright

Doz Charitable Foundation Inc.

In Honor of Chelsey Sullivan

Indiana Real Estate Consultants LLC

In Honor of Darleen Roberts

Jane Bogard

In Honor of David Stiening

Indiana Real Estate Consultants LLC

In Honor of Debi & Dean Harris

Gary Campbell

In Honor of Dianne Jones

Tanya & Tim Hart

In Honor of Donald F. & Wilma F. Hahn

Gregory F. & Elizabeth Quinn Hahn

In Honor of Dr. and Mrs. Phil Howell and Family

Laura Stroud

In Honor of Ed & Margaret Bussold

Amory Merriman

In Honor of Ellen Craig

John Craig

In Honor of Ellen Craig's Birthday

Casey Mason

In Honor of the Emergency Responders at Walmart on March 14

Brigid Johnston

In Honor of Gregory & Elizabeth Hahn

Woodley Farra Manion Portfolio Management Inc.

In Honor of Harvey & Diana Norris

Serena A. Norris

In Honor of the Healing and Complete Recovery of Those Affected by Tornado

Jimmy Winkle

Jose M. Lopez

In Honor of Jamie Curtner

Kitty Curtner

In Honor of Jami Thomas

Indiana Real Estate Consultants

In Honor of Jill Rickert & the Memory of Jason Rickert

Anonymous

In Honor of Jill Rickert's Wedding

Todd & Kim Davis

In Honor of John Ashley Family

Kate Ashley

In Honor of Joe Feltis

Kai Tacoma

In Honor of Karen Hardwick

Kathryn & Steven Brinson

In Honor of Kylee Wells's Birthday

Cobie & Cristy Wells

In Honor of Lowell & Kathryn Whitacre

Amy M. Hollinger

Diane I. Klemme

Ellen Craig

Kevin R. Whitacre Charitable Fund, a DAF of Renaissance Charitable Fdn

In Honor of Mark Younger, Janis Culy & Cindy Winkle

Rebecca Schafer

In Honor of Marla Threewits

Anonymous

In Honor of Mary Clapp

Anonymous

In Honor of Max & Dianne Jones

Glenn Weil

Jana Burke

In Honor of Max & Dianne Jones-Era Band Family

Various

In Honor of Max Jones

Anonymous

In Honor of the Neudecker Family

Erich Erker

In Honor of Randolph Webber

Susan Webber

In Honor of Relatives in Randolph County

Aimee Page

In Honor of Ridgeville Dollar General Customers

Various

In Honor of Reid Athletic Trainers

Sharon Guffey

In Honor of Robbins Family, Ashley Family

Ashley Robbins

In Honor of the Winchester and Union City Rotary

Anonymous

Compass Wealth Solutions

Conan & Kathy Wallace

David & Lisa Jennings

Eaton Rotary Club

Larry & Anita Amspaugh

Lauren Peacock

Portland Rotary Foundation

Richard & Mary Wise

Robert Morris

Rotary District 6560 World Com

Union City Rotary Club

Winchester Rotary Foundation

In honor of the survivors of Sullivan Tornado 3/31/23. In memory of 3 lives lost in Sullivan.

Jean McMahan

In Honor of Tom & Ilona Cockerill & Meeks & Alison Cockerill

Donald S. Hunt

In Honor of Tom Haines

Scott Porter

In Honor of the Tornado Relief Workers

Anonymous

In Honor of Tyler Holly

Culy Contracting

In Honor of Veterans

American Legion Restoration Club

In Honor of the Survivors of 3-14-24 Tornado

Frank Baden

Kathryn E. Harris

Scott Medalen

Steven Cox

Union Chapel Ministries, Inc.

University Dermatology Center

In Honor of My Hometown

Julie S. Dove

In Honor of Walter Johnson

Dan Clark

In Honor of the Winchester High School Class of 1967

Gregory F. & Elizabeth Quinn Hahn Family

Donor Spotlight



Frances Woods

Frances Woods was born in Farmland, Indiana on March 21, 1926. She graduated from Lincoln High School and attended Sinclair College, Ball State University, and Indiana University East. Frances retired from Union Trust Bank after 25 years of service. She also worked in real estate for several years, and also helped to manage, as well as worked on, the family farm.

Frances was a charter member of Ad-a-Link Club, a group of graduates from Lincoln High School. She attended Peaceful Valley Friends Church in Lynn and was a member of the Peaceful Valley Ladies Aid.

Thanks to a generous estate gift from Frances, the Frances I. Woods Scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior at each of the five Randolph County high schools each year beginning in 2025. To qualify for this multi-year scholarship, the recipients must have demonstrated good character as well as good citizenship, participated in extracurricular activities or community activities, and graduated with a 3.5 GPA or higher.

When we work together, we accomplish great things.

INTERESTED IN LEAVING A LASTING IMPACT ON RANDOLPH COUNTY THROUGH AN ESTATE GIFT?

If you are new to the ideas and terminology of wills, bequests, and similar estate planning topics, we encourage you to review free informational materials available on our website (www.randolphcountyfoundation.org/planning-for-the-future/).

If you have reached the stage of naming the Community Foundation in your estate plans, please contact Lisa to share your plans, which can help to ensure that the Community Foundation is prepared to fulfill your wishes after you are gone.

2024 Spring Grants

The Board of Directors awarded \$51,500 to fifteen nonprofit organizations.



Art Association of Randolph County, Inc.

\$2,500 | To support the Two Languages Together: Reading, Art, Fellowship programming

Countryside Christian Church

\$4,000 | To support Summer Faith Concert, featuring Texas Star

Farmland Friends Food Pantry

\$4,000 | To support the Most Important Meal of the Day program of food distributions

Gracie's Gift

\$2,000 | To support a spay-neuter program for felines in Randolph County

Monroe Central School Corporation

\$2,000 | To support the purchase of new recess equipment at the elementary school

Preservation Society Of Union City IN-OH

\$6,000 | To support painting of a mural at the Body Company Museum

Randolph County United

\$2,000 | To support technology updates, including OWL Technology

Randolph County YMCA

\$4,000 | To support Y Summer Day Camp

Randolph Southern School Corporation

\$2,000 | To support the Empowering Education: Introducing Sensory Rooms

Second Harvest Food Bank of East Central Indiana

\$5,000 | To support mobile distributions & mobile market for Randolph County

Start with Art

\$2,000 | To support the Little Picassos program

State Line Heritage Days

\$6,000 | To support this year's festival

Union City Education Foundation

\$2,000 | To support advanced guidance counseling for Randolph Eastern School

Vison Corner

\$4,000 | To support additional signage at the Vision Corner facility

Winchester Main Street

\$4,000 | To support the Growing Downtown Winchester program, including the purchase of a sound system

2024 Fall Grants

The Board of Directors awarded \$69,113 to eighteen nonprofit organizations.



American Red Cross

\$5,000 | To support disaster services in Randolph County

Community Christmas Corporation

\$4,500 | To support the Christmas light show

Community Help Center

\$5,000 | To support the new warehouse construction

Dylan Williams Forever An All Star Foundation

\$1,375 | To support a bleacher project at Dylan Williams Memorial Park

Fountain Park Cemetery Association

\$3,000 | To support restoration of exterior fence

Historic Farmland USA

\$2,500 | To support upgrades to windows at Farmland Community Building

Huntsville Community Center

\$3,000 | To support repair projects at the Center

Jay-Randolph Developmental Services

\$1,000 | To support purchasing outdoor furnishings at residential sites

Lynn Friends Church

\$2,700 | To support Randolph Southern Snack Packs program

PAWS Animal Rescue & Shelter

\$3,000 | To support the installation of interior gates, windscreen, and security sensors

Phi Delta Kappa Foundation

\$2,000 | To support the Coats for Kids program

Randolph Central School Corp.

\$5,000 | To support a mental health project

Randolph Co. 4-H Future Needs Com.

\$3,400 | To support improvement projects including rabbit, poultry, and goat barns

Town of Losantville

\$10,000 | To support new HVAC for Community Building

Town of Modoc

\$6,328.49 | To support modernization of FD equipment

Winchester Area Churches & Community Food Pantry

\$3,810 | To support the "We've Got Milk!" program

Youth Opportunity Center

\$5,000 | To support Family Preservation Concrete Assistance for Randolph Co. residents

Youth Service Bureau of Jay County

\$2,500 | To support purchase of supplies for the BASE program

IAC Grants

In 1997, the Indiana Arts Commission (IAC) and 12 community-based organizations jointly established the Indiana Regional Arts Partnerships (RAP), a collaborative project to enhance support for arts and cultural activities statewide, especially in underserved areas. The RAPs enhance the delivery of services, move the decision-making about IAC funds closer to you, and are the cornerstone of the IAC's structure.

As the Region 5 Regional Arts Partner, the Community Foundation of Randolph County provides resources and information for arts in Blackford, Delaware, Fayette, Grant, Henry, Jay, Madison, Randolph, Rush, Union, and Wayne counties. This initiative is made possible in part by the Indiana Arts Commission, with funds from the Indiana General Assembly and the National Endowment for the Arts.

The following grants were awarded during 2024:

Arts Organization Support (AOS) -- FY25 and FY26

- **Anderson Symphony Orchestra Association, Inc.** | Anderson, IN | \$14,263
- **Anderson Young Ballet Theatre, Inc.** | Anderson, IN | \$13,775
- **Art Association of Henry County** | New Castle, IN | \$10,923
- **Art Association of Randolph County, Inc.** | Union City, IN | \$7,992
- **Arts Place, Inc.** | Portland, IN | \$16,183
- **Hoosier Shakes, Inc.** | Marion, IN | \$8,275
- **Marion Community School of the Arts** | Marion, IN | \$15,368
- **Masterworks Chorale Inc.** | Muncie, IN | \$8,429
- **Muncie Arts and Culture Council** | Muncie, IN | \$17,889
- **Muncie Civic Theatre Association** | Muncie, IN | \$15,867
- **Orchestra Indiana** | Muncie, IN | \$13,437
- **Richmond Art Museum** | Richmond, IN | \$15,937
- **Richmond Civic Theatre** | Richmond, IN | \$14,474
- **Richmond Symphony Orchestra** | Richmond, IN | \$15,449
- **The Quilters Hall of Fame** | Marion, IN | \$10,362
- **Youth Symphony Orchestras of East Central Indiana** | Muncie, IN | \$11,022

Arts Program Support (APS) -- FY25

- **Anderson Museum of Art** | Anderson, IN | \$3,985
- **Ball State University Foundation (for Ball State Public Media)** | Muncie, IN | \$4,000
- **Bloom Madison County** | Anderson, IN | \$4,000
- **Central Indiana Powwow Inc** | Anderson, IN | \$4,000
- **Chanticleer String Quartet (FS:Earlham College)** | Richmond, IN | \$4,000
- **Cornerstone Center for the Arts** | Muncie, IN | \$4,000
- **East Central Indiana Chamber Orchestra** | Muncie, IN | \$4,000
- **East Central Neighborhood Association** | Muncie, IN | \$4,000
- **Hagerstown Nettle Creek Players, INC** | Hagerstown, IN | \$4,000
- **Lightkeepers of Henry County** | New Castle, IN | \$4,000
- **Meltdown Project (FS: Main Street Richmond)** | Richmond, IN | \$4,000
- **Minnetrista** | Muncie, IN | \$4,000
- **National Center for Great Lakes Native American Culture** | Portland, IN | \$4,000
- **Richmond Community Schools (Civic Hall Performing Arts Center)** | Richmond, IN | \$4,000
- **Richmond Jazz Orchestra, Inc.** | Richmond, IN | \$4,000
- **Ross Community Center** | Muncie, IN | \$4,000
- **South Madison Community Foundation** | Pendleton, IN | \$4,000
- **Whitewater Valley Arts Association** | Connersville, IN | \$4,000



Everything was just peachy as the Women's Fund of Randolph County hosted its annual Brunch and Auction on Saturday, August 10, 2024. With more than 105 people in attendance, the "Life's A Peach"-themed event provided an opportunity for food, fun, and fellowship as the Women's Fund celebrated its 14th year of enhancing the futures of women and children in Randolph County.

The attendees were treated to a brunch buffet, catered by Roots Catering and Events, and enjoyed plenty of opportunity to socialize, with mothers and grandmothers introducing their daughters and granddaughters to longtime friends and sharing updates on the successes of children and grandchildren who were unable to attend.



The featured speaker for the 2024 event was local business owner Cheryl Fisher. A lifelong resident of Winchester, the owner of Matchett & Ward Insurance shared stories covering the breadth of her experiences from teenage motherhood through her years of working for businesses on the courthouse square in Winchester to her recent marriage to Rick Fisher. Throughout her stories, Ms. Fisher connected how, despite the bruises that life might cause, anyone can be picked up from the ground to be useful and productive similar to the life of a peach.

"Cheryl Fisher is an inspiring and leading figure in our community, so passionate about the importance of involvement, she knows community development is not a spectator sport. She is a visionary who can see the potential for our county and she continually uses her talents to help others all while managing her successful company", said Lisa Jennings, Executive Director of the Community Foundation.



Grant Recipients

- **Art Association of Randolph County** to support its Two Languages Together programming
- **Monroe Central Elementary** for the creation of an All-Pro Moms program to mirror All Pro Dads
- **Prevent Child Abuse of Randolph County** to support the launch of The Laundry Project
- **Randolph County Law Enforcement Youth Leadership Camp** to support the 2024 camp
- **Randolph County YMCA** to support the Girls on the Run program
- **Secret Families of Randolph County** to support in-kind bags.

Sponsors of the 2024 Women's Fund Brunch and Auction included Old National Bank, LifeStream Services, an anonymous supporter, Farmhouse Creative, Halderman Real Estate & Farm Management, the Randolph County Recycling District, Wayne HealthCare, and the Winchester Rotary Club.

Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship Program

Randolph County students with a cumulative GPA of 3.7 or higher were invited to apply for the 2024 Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship. 32 students applied. They were scored on their academic ability, extracurricular activities, community involvement, work history, honors, and awards. Applicants were also scored on self-expression essays that detailed their future goals and aspirations. Five finalists were selected for interviews, and Audrey Black of Union City High School was selected to receive the scholarship.

Lilly Semi-Finalists

Lilly Recipient



Standing (L-R): Owen Dowler (UCCHS), Andrew Toney (WCHS), Maggie Haney (MCHS), Addison Coe (MCHS), and Noah Bootcheck (MCHS); **Seated (L-R):** Audrey Black (UCCHS), Eli Knasinski (WCHS), Lynlee Malkey (WCHS), Sarabeth Hargarten (WCHS), and Kathleen Osborne (MCHS)



"Receiving the Lilly Endowment Scholarship was the biggest blessing. It opened doors for me that I never could have considered financially before. In completing my first year at Butler University, I am honored to represent who I am and where I come from every single day. This scholarship has not only allowed me to attend Butler, but it also gave me the freedom to take my first year of college to explore the different majors I have taken interest in. I hope to one day use my education to give back to the community that has given every opportunity to me"

-Audrey Black 2024 Recipient

Lilly Finalists



Noah Bootcheck



Andrew Toney



Addison Coe



Maggie Haney

CFRC Scholarships

In April 2024, CFRC approved scholarships totaling \$323,905 to 53 students in 7 school districts in 3 counties. More than 95 volunteers from the community worked to review applications and make recommendations to the CFRC Board. The complete list is available on randolphcountyfoundation.org and listed below:

Abernathy Family Mem. Scholarship

Patricia Alberson - WCHS

Adelsperger Family Scholarship

Christina Mangen - MVHS
Shannen Smith - UCCHS

Amber Morrow Mem. Scholarship

McKenna Hendey - MCHS

Ann & Wayne Hinchman Mem. Scholarship

Levi Hines - WCHS

Beatrice E. Hughes Scholarship

Lynlee Malkey - WCHS
Meredith Ward - WCHS

Butch Mullen Scholarship

Patricia Alberson - WCHS

Charles F. Passmore Mem. Scholarship

Avery Resler - WCHS
Miranda Williams - WCHS

Charles P. Holdeman Scholarship

Miranda Williams - WCHS

Scholarship for Lilly Finalists

Noah Bootcheck - MCHS
Addison Coe - MCHS
Maggie Haney - MCHS
Andrew Toney - WCHS

David E. Hyre Mem. Scholarship

Jaxson Latello - RSHS

Dellarose Sickels Scholarship

Owen Dowler - UCCHS

Diana Fahl Sciences Scholarship

Ian Vance - RSHS

Donald Hahn & Wilma Hahn Mem. Scholarship

Dakkotah Roth - RSHS

Donnabelle Gaylor Scholarship

Andrew Toney - WCHS
Avery Mote - WCHS
Cade Tucker - WCHS
Lynlee Malkey - WCHS
Patricia Alberson - WCHS
Renny Huang - WCHS
Sarabeth Hargarten - WCHS

Dorothy Allen Mem. Scholarship

Dakkotah Roth - RSHS

Dr. Dianna K. Wolfe Mem. Scholarship

Allison Wilmoth - RSHS

Duane E. & Ruby M. Wickersham Mem. Scholarship

Quentin Keen - WCHS
Owen Dowler - UCCHS

East Central Ag Crop Ins. Agency Scholarship

Lindsey Rees - WCHS

Elizabeth & Gerald Greenawalt Scholarship

Jada Fields - WCHS

Environmental Education Scholarship

Cassandra Wisner - WCHS

Ernest G. & Idabelle Ray Scholarship

RyAnn James - WCHS

Ethan Cheesman Mem. Scholarship

Kaitlynn Holderman - UHS
Madelyn Glaser - UHS

Frances I. Woods Scholarship

Camryn Fischer - UCCHS
Kathleen Osborne - MCHS

Gary Horner Mem. Scholarship

Avery Mote - WCHS

Gene & Roberta Bennett Scholarship

Keyton Tipple - UCCHS

Gloria Godfrey-Larry Wasson Scholarship

Dwight Magsisi - UCCHS
Wendy Aguilar-Mendez - UCCHS

Harry & Thelma Way Fuller Mem. Scholarship

Kristopher Lawrence - WCHS

Herold Scholarship

Sarabeth Hargarten - WCHS

Inez M. Howe Scholarship

Cade Tucker - WCHS

James & Esther Mock Mem. Scholarship

Levi Hines - WCHS

Jammie Michael - Inspiring Randolph County Scholarship

Gracie Baker - WCHS

Jay Gower Mem. Scholarship

Thomas Gower - MVHS
Mackenza Townsend - MVHS

Kellie Stephen & Dave Furby Mem. Scholarship

Jarah Smith - MCHS
Jaxson Latello - RSHS
Leeta Stewart - WCHS
Lilliana Luciano-Keener - UCCHS
Lilly Pierce - UHS

Kevin D. Gulley Mem. Scholarship

Cassandra Wisner - WCHS

Kylee Renee Wells Mem. Scholarship

Graciela Lozoya - UCCHS

Leon & Ruhama Hendrickson Family Scholarship

Lukes Sandifar - WCHS

Merrett R. Monks Mem. Scholarship

Meredith Ward - WCHS

Michael Greene Mem. Scholarship

Patricia Alberson - WCHS

Myrtle M. Adelsperger Scholarship

Braxton Trump - MVHS
Kaybree Cooper - UCCHS

Opal & Murray T. McGuire Scholarship

Jada Fields - WCHS

Philip A. Hawley Scholarship

Kristopher Lawrence - WCHS

Robert & Rachel Stump Scholarship

Clare Covert - WCHS
Cassandra Wisner - WCHS

Rosemary Shockney Scholarship

Cade Tucker - WCHS

Russell Symmes Scholarship

Meredith Ward - WCHS

Stephen Family Scholarship

Graciela Lozoya - UCCHS

Meredith Ward - WCHS

Sydney Hamn - NCHS

Tammy Hall Scholarship

Levi Hines - WCHS

Union City Class of 1970 Scholarship

Audrey Black - UCCHS

Union City Kiwanis Club Scholarship

Ingrid Ojeda-Aviles - MVHS

Virginia Davis Weber Scholarship

Levi Hines - WCHS

Clare Covert - WCHS

Wagner Family Mem. Scholarship

Jada Fields - WCHS

Wanda Mann Scholarship

Christina Mangen - MVHS
Diana Rodriguez Garcia - MVHS

Owen Dowler - UCCHS

Sullivan Thomas - UCCHS

Winchester Athena Club Scholarship

Camryn Fischer - UCCHS

Winchester Eastern Star Scholarship

Kathleen Osborne - MCHS

Master Trails Plan



THE MASTER PLAN IS COMPLETE!

Thank you to all who have contributed to this project.

A trails master plan is a report that provides recommendations for trail routes connecting points of interest through the county. Within the report, you'll find sections that include the data gathered during inventory and analysis, maps of the proposed trails, cost estimates, funding, and implementation strategies. The full report can be found on our website (www.randolphcountyfoundation.org/randolph-county-trails-master-plan/).

This is a community driven project, and a trail committee was formed as a county-wide trail network was identified as an important quality of life issue in Randolph County.

"A future, county-wide trail network would connect Randolph County's numerous tourism and recreation destinations. But rather than use one or more of the vacant or abandoned rail corridors, community leaders offer that enhancements along some of the county's existing road network as a viable option for establishing a county-wide trail network, over time."

– Randolph Co. Comprehensive Plan 2018

In 2024, the Community Foundation of Randolph County received a \$50,000 planning grant as part of the eighth phase of Lilly Endowment Inc.'s initiative, Giving Indiana Funds for Tomorrow (GIFT VIII). With the grant, the Community Foundation partnered with engineering firm Butler Fairman & Seufert (BF&S) to develop a Randolph County Trails Master Plan. This is building upon the efforts of the Trails Committee formed through the Cultivating Community initiatives.

"This GIFT VIII planning grant will allow us to continue the momentum that has been created by the Trails Committee established through the Cultivating Community initiative, which is a partnership between RCU, the Community Foundation, and Indiana Communities Institute," said Lisa Jennings, Executive Director of the Community Foundation of Randolph County.

The process of creating the Trails Master Plan included an initial meeting, data collection on existing and planned projects, stakeholder meetings, an online public survey, a public open house and workshop, and a final plan presentation. The creation of the Trails Master Plan will support various entities within the county as they seek additional funding to enhance the network of trails available to residents and visitors of Randolph County.



Community Foundation of Randolph County

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Cultivating Community Randolph County

rccultivatingcommunity.com

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Funds

At the Community Foundation of Randolph County

For more than 30 years, the Community Foundation of Randolph County has been entrusted to steward gifts for the betterment of our community. As of December 31, 2024, the following funds have been established, helping the Community Foundation fulfill its mission of bringing people and resources together to strengthen the quality of life, both now and in the future, for the residents of Randolph County.

Arts & Culture

Goodrich Bandshell Fund
Max & Dianne Jones Music Lesson
Scholarship Fund
Walter L. Shaw Music Lesson Scholarship
Fund

Community Betterment

1875 Randolph County Courthouse
Preservation and Enhancement Fund^
Baby Box Fund^
Brady Allen McCarthy Memorial Fund*
Chip & Ruth Loney Fund
Chris & Doreen Culy Family Charitable Fund
City of Winchester's Welcoming Indiana's
Next Generation (WINGS) Fund
Community Enrichment Fund
David & Lisa Jennings Charitable Fund
EDP Renewables Charitable Fund
Elma Laverna Hawley Cemetery
Endowment Fund
Environmental Education Fund
Funders Forum Fund
James & Linda Noffsinger Fund
Joel & Jane Flesher Family Endowment Fund
***John and Mary Hannah Thompson:
Mont and Marie Bowen Fund

Maurais Acorn Fund*
Randolph Co. Relief Fund
Randolph Co. Heroes Fund
Riverstart Union Township Endowment Fund
Riverstart Union Township Utility
Assistance Fund*
Rural Randolph Cares Agricultural
Endowment Fund
Russell Symmes Endowment Fund
Shannon Hartley & Glenn Fitzgerald
Charitable Fund
Starr Family Fund
Thomas L. & Janice A. Powers Family
Charitable Fund
Union City Community Fund
Whitacre Family Charitable Fund in Honor
of Lowell & Kathryn Whitacre
Wick's Employees Giving Fund
Women's Fund of Randolph County*

Community Organizations

Agnes Monks Hunter Memorial Fund
(benefitting the Winchester Comm. Library)
Art Association of Randolph County Fund
Ascension St. Vincent Randolph Hospital
Endowment Fund
Community Foundation Operating
Endowment Fund
Community Foundation Operating Fund
Harter Mem. Fund for the American Red Cross
Historic Farmland USA Fund*
Jason Rickert Memorial Fund (benefitting
the Union City Education Foundation)

Jay-Randolph Developmental Services Fund
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Fund
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Randolph Co. Antique Club Fund in
Memory of Joe Jennings^
Randolph Co. 4-H Endowment Fund
Randolph Co. 4-H Future Needs Fund
Randolph Co. Cancer Patients Fund
(benefitting Little Red Door Cancer Agency)
Randolph Co. YMCA Maintenance Fund
Randolph Co. YMCA Strong Communities
Endowment Fund
Second Harvest Food Bank Fund
The Journey Home Fund*
Thomas Herold Fund for Health Care
Education (benefitting Ascension St.
Vincent Randolph Hospital)
Union City Public Library Fund
Wesley Methodist Church Fund
Winchester Alumni Assoc. Scholarship
Endowment Fund
Winchester Community Library Fund
Winchester Main Street Fund*

Education

529 Randolph Co. Promise Community Fund*
529 Randolph Co. Promise Operating Fund*
Randolph Co. Fund for Education
Randolph Co. Promise Endowment Fund

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Fund
David Hyre Mem. Scholarship Fund
Dellarose Sickels Scholarship Fund
Diana Fahl Sciences Scholarship Fund*
Donald Forrest Hahn & Wilma Fraley Hahn
Mem. Scholarship Fund
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Duane & Ruby Wickersham Mem.
Scholarship Fund
Dustin Shannon Mem. Scholarship Fund^*
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Rebuilding Randolph

The evening of March 14, 2024, a tornado tore through our community, and the following morning the Community Foundation received a call from Mayor Bob McCoy with a request. There were people that wanted to help and donate, and we were leaned on to assist with coordinating relief efforts and donations. At that time, we had no idea the gravity of what we were wading into, but willing to help, we stepped in with the creation of the Randolph County Relief Fund.

A week later, a meeting to introduce Randolph County to long-term recovery efforts took place in the Commissioner's Room. For many of us, we learned for the first time about long-term disaster recovery. It was a daunting task. But volunteers stepped up, roles were assigned, and the work began.

What did that mean for us at the Community Foundation? For us, it was a heartbreaking and moving experience. We saw so much hurt and devastation in our county, while also seeing many donations come pouring in. People in our community giving what they could; people living outside our community that have roots in Randolph County pouring back into the community that brought them up; strangers unconnected to our community at all sending anonymous donations just wanting to help. We at the Foundation saw the hearts and generosity of so many people. If you haven't heard it from us already, this is a sincere "thank you" to all of you that have given.

From individuals, families, businesses, and grant opportunities, the Randolph County Relief Fund has raised over \$500,000. These funds are being and will continue to be used to assist those uninsured and underinsured that were impacted by the tornado. What it looks like now is an effort you may have seen called Rebuilding Randolph. A Long-Term Recovery Team of volunteers, covering a vast arena of needs, stepped up shortly after the disaster and continues to work.

Here's a brief explanation of how the process works: those impacted were encouraged to either call the hotline or send a message on the Rebuilding Randolph website notifying they needed assistance. A case manager, one of the volunteers, is then assigned to their case, walking through the process with them from beginning to end. Case managers work with them, identifying the needs of the individual or family, determining what will get covered by insurance and what will not, and eventually identifying needs that are unmet. These unmet needs are where the donations to the Randolph County Relief Fund come in, filling the gap and assisting in these areas.

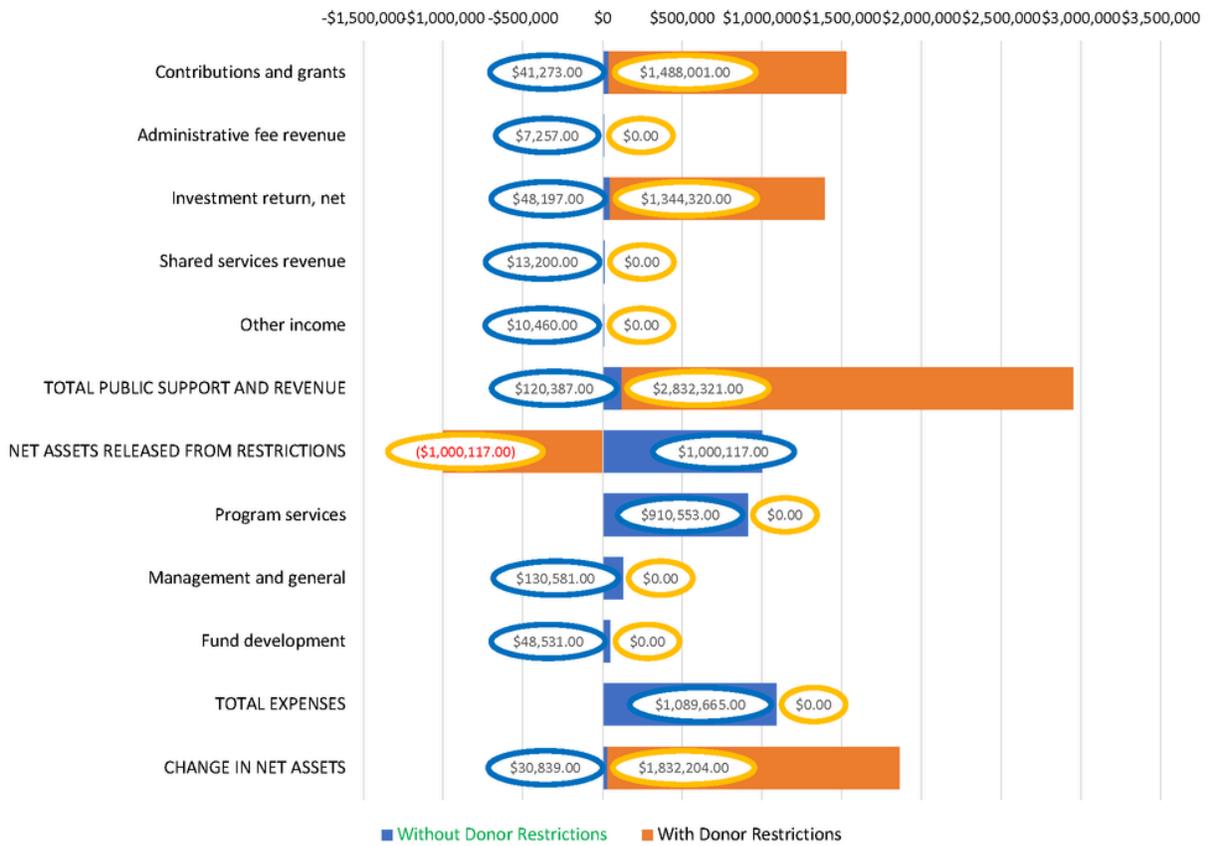
While significant progress has been made, the road to recovery is still long. Insurance companies for some cases are dragging their feet, leaving the long-term recovery team unclear of what the unmet needs will be. Despite being denied FEMA funding, the resilience and strength of our community have continued to shine through in these challenging times. We have been deeply humbled by the outpouring of support from across the county, state, and country, and by the countless volunteers in the immediate aftermath and in the months that followed. As we continue forward in these efforts, let's remember the power of compassion and the importance of community. By working together, we can overcome these hardships and emerge stronger than ever.

Thank you for your continued generosity and support!



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