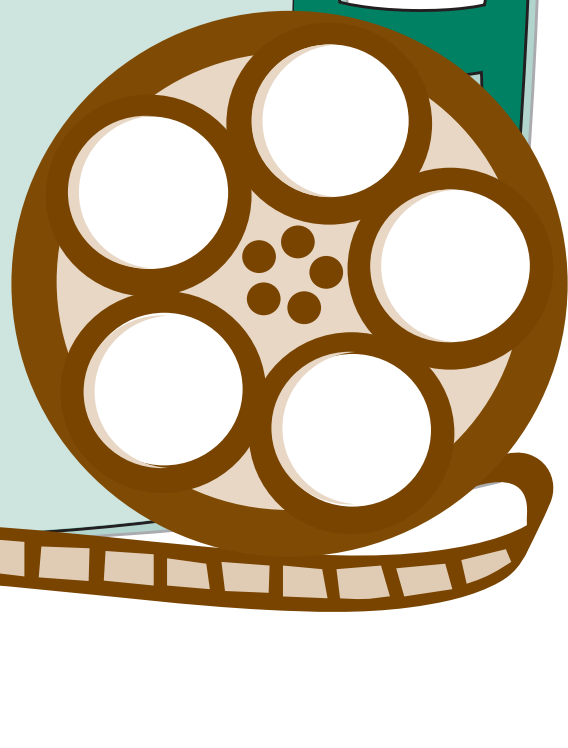




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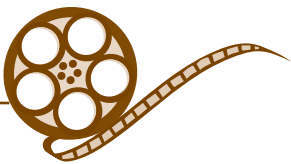
Annual Report 2011



**Washington County
Community Foundation**

FOR GOOD. FOR EVER. FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY.

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Dear Friends,

Are you a movie fan? I am. And there are certain scenes from certain movies that I think will stay with me forever. For instance, we were driving in the van years ago watching “Air Force One” starring Harrison Ford. Aaron was sitting in the front seat riding shotgun. At the precise moment when a volley of gun fire erupted on the screen, a pheasant hit our windshield, right in front of him. I am not kidding, within 2.5 seconds Aaron was in the back seat. I don’t think I will ever forget that. And there are other memorable moments in movies that stay with us for years. Remember “Hasta la vista, baby.” Or “Toto, I’ve got a feeling we’re not in Kansas anymore,” “There’s no crying in baseball!” and “Go ahead, make my day.” Sometimes, a great movie leaves us with several memorable quotes: “Frankly, my dear, I don’t give a damn,” “I don’t know nothin’ ‘bout birthin’ babies.,” and “As God as my witness, I’ll never be hungry again.” We all recognize that movie!

Well, very few of us will ever be remembered for a famous quote that we delivered in a major motion picture. That is alright. Because we can be remembered in other ways....more important ways. For instance, what better way to be remembered than as someone who gave back to their community? As someone who genuinely cared for others? As someone who made their community a better place? My goal is to be remembered as someone who worked hard to make a difference and have a positive impact on someone else’s life. I want to be remembered as someone who cared; as someone who had a passion and acted on it to make a difference. I hope I am successful in achieving these goals. Do you have a similar goal? How do you want to be remembered? If you would like to create an enduring legacy that will last forever, let me help you. Together, we can create a fund that will support the causes you care about most. And, in 100 years, people may not remember what you said when you started the fund, but they will know what you did. And, in the long run, isn’t that more important?

Here for Good,

Judy Johnson
Executive Director



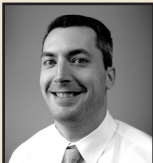
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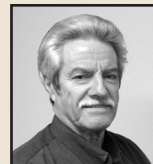
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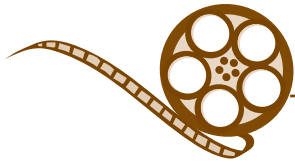
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Youth Coordinator



2011 Highlights

*"When a defining moment comes along, you can do one of two things. Define the moment, or let the moment define you." - From **Tin Cup***

2011 Accomplishments - Just some of our defining moments.

Asset Development

We received over 1,196,000.00 in contributions. This represents an increase over this same time period last year. We processed over 933 gifts (a 17% increase over 2010). And, 100% of the Foundation staff is using payroll deduction to build named, endowed funds in the Foundation.

Grantmaking

Our grants paid in 2011 exceeded \$358,000.00, including Youth First. We continued to be plagued by the investment losses of 2008. Fortunately, as in 2009 and 2010, we had sizeable unrestricted reserves and we were able to supplement many of our designated payouts, so that our nonprofit partners could receive grants.

Youth Development Movement

This is the completion of the fifth year for Youth First. A few accomplishments include: Second Annual Trivia Night; ESI Camp for Youth Entrepreneurs; Asset Champions in all three schools; becoming the premier organizations for youth development questions/resources. Additionally, as we have seen Youth First grow, like any proud parent, we started the emotional process of helping our "baby" leave the nest. Several options were investigated. At this time, it seems the best option is to merge with the YMCA.

Washington County Youth Foundation

The Youth Foundation conceived and developed a new initiative to address early literacy: the Happily Ever After Project. This initiative has two phases. Phase 1 was launched in November of 2010, with high school students reading to elementary students in order to promote the love of reading and reading comprehension skills. In the 2011/2012 school year we had over 600 students participating. Other community service activities include: Taste of Salem; Christmas Assistance; Minis for Pennies fundraiser; and Community Learning Center clean-up.



Caitlin Agan gives away books to students at Bradie Shrum Lower Elementary through the Happily Ever After Project.

Celebrating Women in Philanthropy

The Washington County Community Foundation, in partnership with four other community foundations, hosted the sixth annual Southern Indiana Women in Philanthropy Celebration. Linda Ralston was named Woman Philanthropist of the Year and Traci Cornwell was named Emerging Woman Philanthropist.

Traci Cornwell and Linda Ralston at the 2011 Women in Philanthropy event.



Women's Giving Circle

Our Women's Giving Circle changed direction in 2011. Instead of our annual signature dinner event, the ladies decided to hold an afternoon tea in April. This was quite different from anything done in the past. It was a huge success. There were over 100 ladies in attendance and we granted out over \$6,000.00 to three organizations.

Updated Website

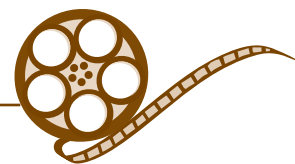
Our website received a mini facelift this year. Additionally, we established a new offering: the MarketPlace. The MarketPlace allows nonprofits to post needs and volunteer opportunities. Then the nonprofit tells its donors that a giving opportunity is available. It is a very easy system to navigate and giving can be done on-line through PayPal. Also, we provided input into the development of a statewide website to assist students and families through the college prep/search.

Community Foundation Internship Programs

The Washington County Community Foundation is participating in a Lilly Endowment Initiative: Community Foundation Internship. Through this program, we were able to hire interns to work on a part-time basis. This program has helped us to create more donor biographies and educational mini videos. Check out our website at www.wccf.biz to view our videos.

Additionally, we sponsored the **HTC Summer Internship program**. Four interns were hired to create promotional videos for Washington County. By the end of the summer, they had created three PSAs, two videos for the Washington County Community Foundation and a Community Assets video. The videos are quite engaging. A public premiere was held the first Friday in August. Those in attendance were quite impressed with the results.

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*"Do, or do not. There is no 'try'." - Yoda From **The Empire Strikes Back***

Yoda's simple statement captures the essence of so many of our teachers. Their enduring spirit to create change through our youth is inspiring. That is why our teacher grant program is so important. We have seen that giving a creative teacher a modest sum of money can have a huge impact on educational outcomes. Helping our students to succeed will build not only their generation, but future generations. Our grants are issued from two funds:

- The D. Jack Mahuron Education Fund
- The Salem Community Schools Giving Tree Fund.

Salem Community Schools Giving Tree Funds are supported by teachers and staff through a payroll deduction program at Salem Community Schools. Both of these grant programs are designed to promote innovative classroom projects and increase each student's individual abilities.

The special projects that have been supported include activities from creating a chess club to purchase equipment to monitor soil and ground water pollution.

Educational Support

More than \$5,400.00 was given/awarded to county schools in 2011 to support classroom teacher projects and build our students' abilities.

2011 Education Grants Awarded/Funded

Kara Pickens – Personal Narrative Podcast Project

Mark McKay – Using Technology for Oral History

Elizabeth Bundy – Title I Literacy Station Kits

Jenisa Collier – Hot Dots Phonics Flash Cards

Brooke Ingram – Hands on Literacy

Pam Barry – Listen and Learn

Leah Starrett – Problem Solving Fun

Lesley Slaughter – Kindergarten Audio
Visual/Technology Grant

Shari Dalton – Living Together

Jamie Malloy – Reading non-fiction in middle school

Stephanie Bower – Kindergarten Language Listening Center

Shelley Pierce – PEACEMAKERS

Kay Owsley – Read to Succeed

Melinda Hypes – Keeping Fit

Lesia Ellis – Hands-on Social Studies

Julie Rowe – Motion and Design

Steve Crane – Chess Club

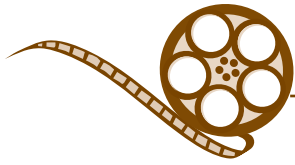
John Calhoun – Soil and Groundwater Pollution Education Lab

Steve Riggle – Air Quality Monitoring

Melinda Hypes – Keep on Movin'

Sarah Yoder, Myron Short and Shane Mahuron ham it up for the camera as Brooklyn Walters demonstrates her Lego creation in Julie Rowe's class.





2011 Highlights

*"It is not our abilities that show what we truly are... it is our choices." - Dumbledore From **Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets***

Our choices show people who we truly are. Our donors who establish designated funds show us what they care about. These individuals have a passion: a cause or favorite charity that they support and believe in. They acted on that passion and created a fund with us so that their caring generosity would outlive them for generations. Want to read more about these special people? Visit www.wccf.biz

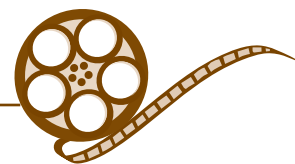
In 2011 the Washington County Community Foundation issued over \$235,000.00 on behalf of designated and agency funds to the following non-profits, working hard to improve our community:



Big Sister Kristy Purlee shares a special moment with Little Sister Maryah Jonas at the Big Brothers Big Sisters Annual Bowl for Kids' Sake.

Awareness Washington County	Order of Eastern Star,
Big Brothers/Big Sisters	Salem Chapter
Blue River Baptist Church	Pekin Senior Citizens
Blue River Baptist	Riley's Play Place
Church Cemetery Fund	Salem Community Schools
Blue River Friends	Salem Education Foundation
Church and Cemetery	Salem High School Band
Blue River Services	Salem Presbyterian Church
Bunker Hill Cemetery	Salem Public Library
Bunker Hill Senior Citizens	Salem Washington Township
Canton United Methodist	Senior Citizens
Church Fund	Saltillo Cemetery
Cavetown Church	Shop-with-a-Cop
Church of Latter Day Saints	Smedley Scholarship Trust Fund
Crusade for Children	St. Isidore The Farmer
Delta Kappa Gamma	Catholic Church
East Washington Dollars	St. John's Center
for Scholars	St. Patrick Church
First Baptist Church	St. Vincent Hospital
First Christian Church	Stevens Museum
Free and Accepted Masons	Sugar Creek Christian Church
Salem Lodge #21	Urban Beautification
Friend's of Beck's Mill	Committee-Salem
Girl Scouts	Washington County
Hicksite Church and Cemetery	Cemetery Commission
Hoosier Uplands	Washington County Food Bank
Humane Society	Washington County
Indiana University-SE	Historical Society
Lawrenceport Cemetery	Washington County
Association	Veterans Memorial
Little York Cemetery	West Washington School
Mt. Tabor Christian Church	Corporation
Mt. Washington Cemetery	Wonder Valley
Association	YMCA
Olive Branch Cemetery	Youth First
Olive Branch Primitive	
Baptist Church	

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*"We walk away from our dreams afraid we may fail, or worse yet, afraid we may succeed." - Sean Connery in **Finding Forrester***

Our Touch Tomorrow donors are fearless. They have established funds to address issues in our community that don't even exist today. Their dream is to help current and future generations make Washington County a better place to live, work and raise children. They know the needs of our community will change over time, but their fund will be flexible and able to address those needs.

The Washington County Community Foundation held four competitive grant cycles in 2011 (Women's Giving Circle, Youth Foundation, and two general cycles.) These grant cycles are funded through the Foundation's Touch Tomorrow funds, the Women's Fund and the Paul Ogle/ Ed Baugh Youth Philanthropy Fund.

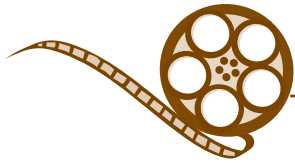
In 2011 the Washington County Community Foundation issued over \$116,000.00 to local non-profits through proactive grantmaking and a competitive grant process.

List of Grantees

Betterment Committee of Campbellsburg
Big Brothers Big Sisters
Blue River Services
Boy Scout Troop
Dare To Care
Junior Achievement of Kentuckiana
Outside the Walls
Salem Community Schools
SOAR! of Washington County
St. Vincent Hospital
Washington County Chamber of Commerce
West Washington School Corporation
YMCA
Youth First



Traci Cornwell places food items in a backpack for an elementary student to take home for the weekend as part of Dare to Care's Backpack Buddy program.



"It takes a great deal of bravery to stand up to your enemies, but a great deal more to stand up to your friends."

– Dumbledore From *Harry Potter*

Community In Action: Lights, camera, action.....

Youth First Celebrates Milestones



Oscar award-winning movies all start in the same place; someone had a vision for how the story line would play out. The Washington County Community Foundation board had a vision for building a community where all youth were supported. The birth of Youth First started when the Washington County Community Foundation brought **LIGHT** to the challenges the youth of our community were facing. In 2006, all students grade 6 – 12 at all three county schools were surveyed to measure their number of developmental assets. The survey reported that Washington County youth on average have 18.3 assets, less than half.

The youth of our community deserved to have their story told. Staff was hired, an advisory council was assembled, a mission was set and a brand name and logo were chosen. Youth First of Washington County was officially launched in May of 2008. Youth First quickly began assessing the services and support offered to youth and families. Where there was a need, Youth First went to work to fill the gaps. Youth First began offering programs and services to meet the needs. In a movie, the **CAMERA** captures the moments. At Youth First we try to create the moments in hopes that the 7th grader in Afternoon ROCKs, the school counselor at a Youth First Café and the incarcerated father trying to reconnect with his children will keep the memories.

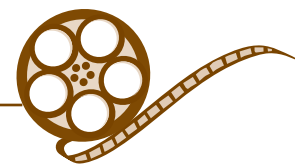


Students in ESI each developed their own business. This student prepares chocolate covered strawberries and pretzels for her business.

Most recently, Youth First set into **ACTION** a plan for sustainability. Youth First and the YMCA began discussing a merger in 2011. As Youth First considered the best option for independence and sustainability, joining forces with the YMCA made the most sense. Ultimately, both organizations felt a merger was in the best interest of the youth and families of Washington County. Youth First plans to merge with the YMCA effective January 1, 2012. Youth First considers the first few years only the opening scene. The show is far from over and there is much more to come to support the youth and families of our community!



A team of youth work together to compete for the win at Trivia Night.



*"Why are you trying so hard to fit in when you were born to stand out." - From **What A Girl Wants***

Youth First Top Ten

David Letterman has his top ten and Youth First has their top ten.

The following are the top ten accomplishments of Youth First since its start as the youth development movement in 2007.

1. Youth First brand established in 2008. Recruited leadership to take the youth development movement from a concept to an organization by spearheading the brand identity process and establishing an advisory council of community stakeholders.

2. Tip of the Week spreads the asset word by highlighting the Asset of the Week in local papers, radio, and posting online resources for schools, parents and community members.

3. Established Asset Champions, a team of school faculty trained in the Assets who identify strategies and practices to increase the presence of assets at our schools and improve student, parent and school relations.

4. Partnered with IYI to start Youth First Cafés. Cafes provide a networking opportunity for professionals serving youth and families to learn about resources and collaborate to provide the best possible service to our clients. Over 100 organizations (schools, government, churches, child care, health care, etc) are represented by a network of 250+ individuals.

5. Brought back Afternoons ROCK. Afternoons ROCK is a free afterschool program for youth 4th – 8th grade. ROCKS has served over 200 youth and brought in \$32,000 in funding to make the program free to families. ROCK's provides a safe, fun place for kids to complete homework, receive a snack, learn the risks of drugs and alcohol and participate in character development activities.

6. Free Parenting Programs. Leveraged funding through Lawrence Co. Fathers Forever and Department of Child Services to provide free parenting programs focused on improved economic stability, strengthening relationships and responsible parenting. Over 150 citizens have been served.

7. Joined HomeTown Competitiveness (HTC) team to start EntrepreneurShip Investigation (ESI) programs for youth and helped to organize a summer college intern program focused on promoting Washington County through marketing tools. Over 30 have been directly impacted by the programs.

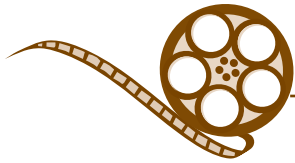
8. We joined the world wide web with the launch of www.youthfirsttwc.org and www.facebook.com/youthfirsttwc. Website promotes a youth and family activities calendar, online directory of youth and family serving agencies, professional development opportunities and more to support youth, families and professionals serving youth and families.

9. A community service credit program was started by the collaboration of the local judicial system and several non-profits. Through the program, people sentenced to community service can seek self improvement programs like parenting classes or tutoring lessons and receive credit for the hours spent in the programs to apply towards their sentence.

10. Youth First and YMCA will join forces to serve the youth and families of Washington County. The cornerstone of Youth First has been built on collaboration. As Youth First seeks independence and sustainability, joining forces with another non-profit was in the best interest of the youth and families of Washington County. Ultimately, serving their needs is the greatest accomplishment of Youth First.



Students at EWMS Afternoons ROCK talk about strategies for dealing with a bully in a positive way.



2011 Highlights

"Kid, there are heroes and there are legends. Heroes get remembered, but legends never die." - Babe Ruth From **The Sandlot**

The members of our Morris Society are both heroes and legends. They are heroes because they will be remembered every year when their gift to the Washington County Community Foundation is used to enrich the life of another. They are legends because their legacy will never die. Their funds will further the causes they were passionate about in life.

Bob and Clarice Morris are two of these heroes and legends. They gave the Washington County Community Foundation its first planned gift in 1995 through a Charitable Remainder Trust. For this gift, they received a tax deduction and income for life. However, as Bob often stated, the best part is that the organizations and causes that they really cared about will receive a gift from them forever.

These individuals joined the Morris Society in 2011:



**Adrian & Cristy
Brown**



Mimi Lewis



**Tony & Jeanette
Nolan**

Be a legendary hero and join our current Morris Society members:

Tim and Rose Anderson

Diana Armstrong

Adrian and Cristy Brown

Jeanette Hart

Gene and Judy Hedrick

Jim and Judy Johnson

Mimi Lewis

Tony and Jeanette Nolan

Marji Morris and Bill Reister

John Roberts

Garland A. and Norma Sue

White

Jean Wilson

Community In Action



*"Smiling is my favorite. You make me smile. That makes you my favorite." - From **Elf***

Second and third grade students in all three county school systems were all smiles when their high school reader came to their classroom to read to them. At the beginning of the 2011-2012 school year, we had over 600 students participating in the **Happily ever after project**. The **Happily ever after project** is spearheaded by the Washington County Youth Foundation, but would not be possible if it weren't for additional partnerships in the schools. It has two phases:

Phase 1: (Currently operating) In phase 1, high school students visit elementary classrooms on a regular basis and simply read to the students. Our belief is that if high school students model behavior that indicates that reading is "cool" then our elementary students will follow this example and buy into this belief. Elementary students are greatly influenced by high school role models. Also, the high school students work on reading comprehension skills.

Phase 2: The implementation date for Phase 2 is yet to be determined and hinges on fundraising. Phase 2 will target all Washington County youth, from ages birth to five years old. These children can enroll voluntarily to receive an age-appropriate book, once per month, that will be mailed to their home. If a child enrolls at birth, he/she will have a personal library of 60 books by kindergarten.



Pictured above are the 2011-2012 Washington County Youth Foundation members:

Front Row: Brittney Scifres, Kayla Smith, Samantha Cusick (President), Sarah Fisher (Vice President), Nancy Dalton (Historian/Communication Officer), Erica Ewen (Youth First Liaison), Teddie Mahuron (Secretary)

Back Row: Bailey Walker, Paige Hoke, Kayla Smith, Jude Olesh, Chad Thompson, Devan Grigsby, Kolton Roach, Abbey McClellan, Dainah Burnett
Absent from Picture: Kelsey Brown, Jared Baird, and Zach Jacobs.

As Aaron Johnson, 2010-2011 Vice President of the Washington County Youth Foundation, stated, "We can't make a difference overnight, but we can make a difference over time. If we can get more of our third graders reading at grade level, then more of the youth in Washington County will grow up to 'Live Happily Ever After'".

Additionally, the Washington County Youth Foundation participated in the following community service activities: YPII Conference, the Taste of Salem, Minis for Pennies, the Women's Giving Circle Tea, the Washington County Community Foundation Annual Meeting, Clean up at the Community Learning Center, and the Christmas Assistance program.



Nancy Dalton and Chad Thompson spreading mulch at the Community Learning Center.

The Youth Foundation awarded \$1,220.00 to the following organizations during their competitive grant cycle:

East Washington High School Volunteer Day

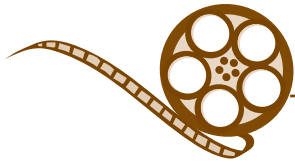
East Washington High School Leadership Project

Salem High School Youth First Team

Salem High School Science Club

Zach Jacobs carries mulch to be spread around the Community Learning Center.





2011 Highlights

"Some people can't believe in themselves until someone else believes in them first." - From **Good Will Hunting**

Let's face it. High school years are tough. Our kids have so many issues facing them. No matter how many times a parent says: "I believe you can do anything you set your mind to doing," the child, at some point, tells themselves, "Yes, but you are my parent. That is your job."

Thank goodness so many people have worked with our Foundation to create scholarship funds. What better way to say to a promising student: "I believe in you."

2011 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS:

Lilly Endowment Community Scholar

Mallery Deaton

Audrey Mounts

Chelsey Brewer
Amber Cullins
David Duncan
Samatha Edds
Tyler Farmer
Karen Hobson
Rachel Hornung
Cheyanne Humphrey
Andrew Kannapel
Allison Kinney
Sidney Leonard
Chelsea Martin
Crystalyn Snow
Jared Thompson
Dani Williams
Cama White

Amzel and Knofel Fortner

Hannah Gibson

AWC Class of 2002

Jessica Thomas

Kays Chapel

Community Scholarship

Logan Hall

Ralph and Faye

Motsinger Mahuron

Maggie Borden
Whitley Fisher
Logan Hall
Jessie Hobson
Travis Mull
Erin Newcomb
Emily Olesh
Alexandra Passafiume
Paige Purkhiser
Kendall Rosenbaum
Janelle Thixton

Shelby Troutman
Rachel Underwood
Makenzie Wheeler
MacKenzie Whitener

Helen Gill Scholarship

Jacob Dresher
Skye Link
Kimberly Mount
Brandon Smith

John C. Tackett Healthcare Provider Scholarship

Amanda Green

Motsinger Family Scholarship

Todd Albertson

Albert and Manda Huff Scholarship

April Lockridge

William C. and Martha Branaman Scholarship

Zak Bills

John Elliott Scholarship

Frank Levering

Larry Stephenson Scholarship

Tori Thompson

Morris and Marty Rosenbaum Scholarship

Autumn Brown

Little York Grade School Scholarship

Mallery Deaton
Dylan St. Clair

Dr. Ranessa Cooper Scholarship

Brianna Nicholson

Mary Payne Scholarship

Dylan St. Clair
Shelbie Stephenson

Billy Stonecipher Scholarship

Mackenzie Marshall

Howard and Juanita Hinkle Scholarship

Logan Blackwell

Joseph and Joanna Gili Scholarship

Hannah Gibson

Ralph and Mae Decker Scholarship

Shane Loughran

SHS Class of 1954 Scholarship

Ashley Coomer

Washington County Community Foundation Scholarship

Shelby Worley

James Brown Scholarship

Sterling Springer

Ken Collins Scholarship

Spencer Gilstrap

Edmund and Mary Drabek Scholarship

Tia Carty

Robert and Clarice Morris Scholarship

Tegan Boyd

Hannah Gibson
Annie Newkirk
Paige Niccum

Larry Turpen Scholarship

Shelbie Stephenson

Bob Holler Scholarship

Zak Bills

David D. Wells Scholarship

Kiki Jones

John D. Fultz Scholarship

Sterling Springer

Warren and Maxine Stewart Scholarship

Jessica Jacobs
Bradley Stewart

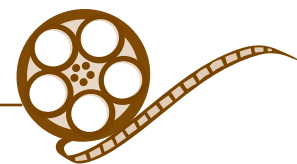


Samantha Cusick and Rachel Dalton at EW Graduation.



Caitlin Agan and Mallery Deaton at SHS graduation.

Community In Action



*"Tell me how he died." "I will tell you how he lived." - From **The Last Samurai***

We are so fortunate to have so many people who chose to give back to Washington County through the Washington County Community Foundation. They followed their hearts and created a lasting legacy for those who will follow. Read on, and we will tell you a little bit of how they lived.

Albert and Manda Huff Memorial Scholarship Fund

Albert and Manda (Hamblin) Huff were both born in 1904 into humble beginnings in the Cumberland Mountains of the Eastern Kentucky Appalachians. Each of them was only able to attend school up to the third grade. They married at age 16. The Huffs moved their family to a 60-acre farm just south of Salem in 1947. Albert worked for the railroad for 26 years and Manda managed the farm during the week and also worked at the canning factory in Austin.

Albert enjoyed carpentry, wood crafting and singing Appalachian Folk songs. Manda enjoyed gardening, making candy and playing the organ that Albert bought for her. Because of their background, both valued formal education and hard work very much. Through example, they instilled these values into their children. They were determined that their children attend college.

Their children thought it appropriate to honor their parents and their values by creating a scholarship fund to help young people in Washington County further their education.

Amzel and Knofel Fortner

Knofel began his career in education in 1937. Over the years, he taught bookkeeping, mathematics, and was a very successful basketball coach. He served as principal of Campbellsburg High School and as Superintendent of the West Washington School Corporation for 21 years, retiring in 1980. During his tenure as Superintendent, he supervised the reorganization of 10 elementary schools and two high schools into the current structure of one elementary school and one Jr/Sr High School.

Amzel received her bachelor's degree and master's degree in education from Indiana University. She taught school, mostly fifth grade, for 38 years, retiring in 1980. She was a member of the First Baptist Church, Indiana State Teacher's Association, Delta Kappa Gamma, Phi Beta Psi, and the Eastern Star.

Amzel and Knofel dedicated their lives to educating our youth. They spent countless hours preparing our students for their future roles as citizens. Now, through the Amzel and Knofel Fortner Fund, they can continue this very important work, by providing graduating seniors from West Washington scholarships to pursue their college education. What an incredible way for educators to continue their mission in life!

Anne Terrell Delta Kappa Gamma Scholarship Fund

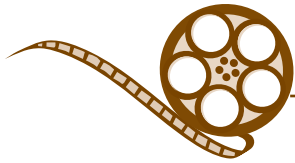
In celebration of her birthday, Anne's husband, Butch, established this fund in honor of Anne's many years of serving as a teacher and middle school administrator. Since Anne is an active member of Delta Kappa Gamma, she wanted the college scholarship to be awarded in conjunction with this organization.

Audrey Mounts Scholarship Fund

Audrey Mounts grew up in the New Philadelphia area of Washington County. She was an only child who lost her father at an early age. She had to work part-time while attending Indiana University and sent money home to help her mother. She retired from the West Washington School Corporation where she taught English. She was an avid gardener, collector and historian. She volunteered at the Stevens Museum and was a member of the Historical Society. She loved to work in her flower garden and she collected glassware, china, antiques, and she saved many cards and pictures that she received from former students. This fund was established to help students attend college. Audrey's dream was to help others attend college, so that they would not have to

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Awareness Washington County
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Alumni Association
AWC Class of 2011
Sandra Baete
Geneva Bagshaw
Kevin and Linda Baird
Harry and Miriam Baker
Jerry and Rita Baker
Bank of America
Sam and Judy Barnett
James Barrett
Pam Barry
Randy and Melissa Bastin
Batesville High School
William Batt
Frederick and Barbara Baynes
Richard Beaty
David and Carolyn Beck
Max and Jeanne Bedwell
Vernette Beesley
Sara Rae Bellows
Robert and Elizabeth Bennett
Sue Bennett
Randall and Susan Bills
Blue River Services
Brenda Boling
Borden Jr/Sr High School
Daniel and April Bortner
Jeanette Bottom
David and Jamie Bower
Ben and Patricia Bowling
Janet Bowling
Jaclyn Branaman
Robert and Jane Brewer
Steve and Christine Brewer
Walter Bridgewater
James and Janice Brooks
Brandon Brough
Adrian and Cristy Brown
Gerald Brown



2011 Highlights

*"We are who we choose to be." - From **The Green Goblin***

Jim and Dottie Brown
Brownstown Central High School
Trevor and Tricia Brown
Bud's Jewelry
Chris and Jenny Bundy
Tina Barger
Tammy Cadle
John and Sara Calhoun
John and Julie Campbell
Lois Campbell
Canton Christian Church
Canton United Methodist Church
Tim and Valerie Catlett
Cavetown Cemetery Association
Charles and Ada Williams
Scholarship Foundation
Kevin and Sue Chastain
Leonard and Carol Chastain
Tyson and Amanda Chastain
Herman Childers
Christie's on the Square
City of Salem
City of Salem Employees
Marvin and Sandy Clark
Jo Cole
Stanley Colglazier
Barbara Collins
Collins Funeral Home
Ramona Collins
Robin Collon
Ruth Cooke
Lee Coombs
Robert and Mary Coombs
Ranessa Cooper
Cottongim Enterprises
Corydon Central High School
Steve and Garilou Crane
John Custer
Cybertek Engineering
DanMar Family Pharmacy
Dant Clayton Corporation
Dan and Karen Davis
Heather Davis
Steve and Michelle Davisson
Dominic and Melody Day
Jim and Marilyn Day
Marvin and Jean Day
Eddie and Shelley Deaton
Sam and Malvina Deaton
Mae Decker
Mark and Sharon DeHart
Edgar and Elinor DeJean
Dale Denny
David and Jonell Denny
Lowell and Rhonda Depoy
Lawrence and Diana Dick
Florene Dickmeyer
Don Hoar Farms
Debra Doyle
Mary Drabek

struggle the way that she did. She also hoped to teach others to give back to their community.

Awareness Washington County Fund

This fund, established by Burl and Carmelita Jean in 1994, will help to support the on-going operating costs of Awareness Washington County. Awareness Washington County, in existence since 1983, is a nationally recognized leadership training program dedicated to strengthening and transforming Washington County by developing servant leaders. Awareness Washington County offers classes on an annual basis to anyone interested in enhancing their leadership skills and working towards the betterment of Washington County.

Awareness Washington County Class of 2002 Fund

This fund is the class project for the AWC Class of 2002. Their goal is to make a lasting difference in our community. As a result, they decided to establish a scholarship fund with the Washington County Community Foundation, to provide scholarships to college-bound individuals who have demonstrated involvement in their community through community service.

Barbara (Welcher) Custer Memorial Fund

John Custer established this fund in honor of his wife Barbara Welcher Custer. The proceeds are to go to the Girl Scouts and to Salem High School Band.

Betty Motsinger Touch Tomorrow Fund

Betty established this fund so that she could continue her support of Washington County, forever.

Big Brothers Big Sisters

Big Brothers Big Sisters established this fund, with the assistance of a matching challenge grant, to support their important work, youth mentoring, for generations to come.

Billy Stonecipher Scholarship Fund

Billy was born in 1919 and grew up in Salem. He graduated from Salem High School and earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in mathematics and science from Butler University. He earned a Master of Science degree from Indiana University and also earned 66 hours of credit beyond the Master's level from Butler, Indiana and Purdue universities.

He was an army veteran, having served four years in WWII in both the European and Pacific theaters. He worked in the Indianapolis public school system for 22 years. In 1971, he became the superintendent for Salem Schools. He served in that position for four years, until his death.

Not many people come full circle in their lives, as Billy did. Rising to superintendent of the school system that provided him his education for the first twelve years is an unusual, outstanding accomplishment. Helping to build a new educational facility is a once in a lifetime event. Being honored with a scholarship fund, which will provide a Salem graduating senior with money for college every year, forever, is a legacy that will never die. Not bad for a "kid from Salem."

Blue River Friends Church & Cemetery Fund

Friends of the church have funded this endowment in order to maintain the current Quaker Church and its cemetery.

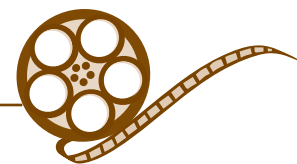
Blue River Services, Inc. Fund

This fund was established to further the mission of Blue River Services, Inc., which has many social service programs in Southern Indiana.

Board of Directors Gift for Tomorrow Fund

This fund was established in 2004 by the Board of Directors. It is to remain an acorn fund for 100 years and, as future board members continue to add to it, this fund will grow into a very sizeable fund by 2104, at which time it will be used for discretionary grants.

Community In Action



*"Every story has an end, but in life every ending is just a new beginning." - From **Uptown Girls***

Bob Holler Scholarship Fund

This fund was started by Community First Bank to honor Bob Holler as he retired from their Board of Directors. The issued funds will provide scholarships for Salem High School and West Washington High School seniors that are of sound moral character and possess a strong record of community service.

Bob and Carol Strange Touch Tomorrow Fund

Bob established this fund in loving memory of Carol in 2009. This fund will award grants in their name for generations to come, thereby keeping their spirit of community service alive.

Brent and Lauren Elliott Touch Tomorrow Fund

Both Brent and Lauren believe in the future of Washington County and started this unrestricted fund in 2002 to support the future needs of the community.

Burl & Carmelita Jean Touch Tomorrow Fund

Burl and Carmelita established this fund in 2001. Both Burl and Carmelita have been actively involved in the Foundation. Carmelita is one of the Foundation's founding board members and Burl served on the Foundation's Board of Directors from 1993 to 2002. They wanted to establish a fund that would be flexible in meeting the needs of our community, both now and in the future, so they started this unrestricted fund which will issue grants for a variety of projects on an annual basis.

Canton United Methodist Church Fund

Brent and Lauren Elliott started this fund to provide support to the church as it carries out its role and mission. Generations of Brent's family attended church at Canton.

Carol Ruth Mosier Touch Tomorrow Fund

Carol Ruth was a dedicated school teacher for 34 ½ years. She was also devoted to her family and church. Carol Ruth served on the Foundation's Board of Directors from 2003 until her death in 2005. She served on several committees and was a strong advocate of the Foundation. Upon her death, her family and friend's started this fund in her memory, so that her dedication to our community could go on forever.

Carolyn Beck Youth Development Fund

David Beck donated to the Foundation in December of 2009 to establish a fund in honor of his wife, Carolyn. This was her Christmas present. Carolyn decided that the purpose of the fund would be to support youth development in Washington County.

Cavetown Church & Cemetery Fund

This fund was created through the efforts of Don Green and Mary Nicholson of Campbellsburg to perpetuate the maintenance of the church and cemetery.

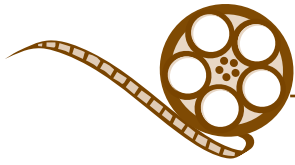
Charles and Ada Williams Memorial Scholarship Fund

In 1916, Charles and Ada Williams bought a farm in the southern portion of Washington County. The couple had three daughters: Harriet, Wilma and Margaret. They instilled in them the desire to work hard and learn as much as they could in life.

In 1986, Harriet and her husband, Stephen, formed the Charles and Ada Williams Memorial Scholarship Fund, Inc. The purpose of the fund was to memorialize the contribution of Charles R. Williams and Ada C. Williams to the development and improvement of Washington County, Indiana, through their work and contributions in kind to the Washington County Soil and Water Conservation District, the West Washington School Corporation, and community facilities of Howard Township.

Harriet died in 1998 in Honolulu County, Hawaii and her husband in 2008. After his death, the residence on the farm and all the land was eventually sold with all the money going to the scholarship fund. The West Washington School Board decided to give the money to the Washington County Community Foundation to continue the Williams Scholarship Fund.

Robert and Cheryl Drumm
Alice DuChemin
Doris Duffy
Victor and Mary Dufour
Bill and Tanya Dustin
Sid and Kathy Dye
Julia Dyer
Eddie Gilstrap Motors
Edward Jones
Brent and Lauren Elliott
Linda Elliott and Mark Leach
Rita Elliott
Juanita Engleman
Deborah and Michael Esarey
Estate of Robert Morris
Jack Etzler
Bill and Jean Evans
Todd and Jana Ewen
Extencicare
Eye Associates of Southern Indiana
Byron and Ruth E. Fagg
Fathers Forever Coalition
Stephanie Ferriell
Tom and Leah Fihe
First Baptist Church of Salem
First Harrison Bank
First Savings Bank
Perry and Dorothy Fleenor
Chris and Julie Fordyce
Ralph and Doris Fordyce
William Fox and Sharon Elliott-Fox
Arthur Freed
Gavin and Vanessa Freel
John Fultz
Mary Kay Fultz
Nancy Fultz
Dorothy Garriott
Margaret Gasaway
Vencin Gay
Carol Giesler
Holly and Blaine Goode
Donivan and Gloria Gordon
Keith and Marty Gran
Richard and Marcia Grassmyer
Gary and Sylvia Graves
Byron and Vicki Green
Justin Green
Chet and Susan Green
June Greene
Lois Marshall Greene
Gary and PaulaJo Gross
Bruce and Linda Grosvenor
Chuck and Wendy Grosvenor
Derek and Crystan Grotrian
Brian Haag
Carolyn Haag
Frank Habermel, III
Ron and Pam Haendiges
Robert Hall
Sylvan and Nora Hanson
Cindy Harcourt



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"I don't regret the things I've done, but those I did not do." - From **Empire Records**

Jeanette Hart
Mary Hartley
Marvin and Sally Hattabaugh
Reta Haub
John and Sue Hawkins
Gene and Judy Hedrick
Marion and Marthanna Hensley
Nancy Hiestand
Robert and Teresa Hiestand
Highland Homemakers Club
Max and Phyllis Hinkle
David and Sherri Hoar
Bob and Evelyn Holler
Hoosier Hills PACT
Hoosier Uplands
Greg Hopkins
Linda Hopkins
Dustin and Erin Houchin
Judi Howey
John Hoyt
Henry Hudson
Morris and Joanne Hudson
Walter and Cathy Huey
Olson and Marylyn Huff
Hughes Tire Service
Adam and Erin Humphrey
Wilma Humphrey
Lana Humphrey
Charles and Mary Hunt
Gerilee Hunt
Husqvarna
Independent Colleges of Indiana
Indiana Bank and Trust
Indiana Interscholastic Athletic
Administrators Association
Indiana University Southeast
Jackson County REMC
Jeff and Kathy Jackson
Lee and Mary Jaeger
Burl and Carmelita Jean
Jean's Extrusions
John Jones GM City
John Jones GM City Employees
Jim and Judy Johnson
Loretta Johnson
Robert and Suzanne Johnson
Paul and Margo Jolly
Warren and Maurita Jones
Adam Kahn and Morgan Jones
Dennis Karloff
Kaden and Christy Karmire
Doug and Susan Katt
Lonn and Diane Kelley
Dan and Val Kelly
Martin and Wanda Kennedy
Martha King
Nancy Kline
Knapp Miller Brown
Kovert Hawkins Architects
Tom and Libby Kruer
Dick and Diana Kuhn
LaGene Jewelers

Charlotte Martin Memorial Fund

Charlotte Pruitt Martin was born in 1943 in Jeffersonville, Indiana. While Charlotte was a small child, the Pruitts moved to Borden, where Charlotte grew up and graduated from high school. Her musical talents led her to sing in local churches, on her own radio show, and even at the Grand Ole Opry at the age of 17. It was at the Opry that a young man borrowed and accidentally scratched her new guitar. Later, the young man became the legendary country music singer Conway Twitty. Charlotte treasured her involvement with her three children and teaching them her values. She also loved horses. She actively participated in her children's lives until she was no longer physically able, following her diagnosis of breast cancer in 1979. Although the doctors predicted she would live two years, she fought the disease for six years. Her family established this fund to honor her and her fight against cancer and to help other people who are fighting cancer. The specific purpose of the fund is to help provide transportation for medical appointments.

City of Salem Charitable Fund

The City of Salem employees support this fund through payroll deduction. Their assistance helps families in need pay a utility bill when times are tight. This assistance is not continuous; rather it is intended to help families bridge a gap that occasionally arises. And it is working, one family at a time.

Clark-Grosvenor Parent Touch Tomorrow Fund

Bruce and Linda Grosvenor moved to Salem/Washington County in 1990. Bruce worked in local industry and Linda worked for the school corporation. Both have retired and wanted to establish a fund in honor of their parents – Charles and Thelma Clark, and Bruce and Juliette Grosvenor, Sr. This Touch Tomorrow Fund was established in 2007 to help support the many worthwhile projects the Washington County Community Foundation makes possible. Bruce served on the Board of Directors of the Foundation from 2002-2011.

"Colie" Claus Christmas Assistance Fund

This fund is supported by John Jones GM City employees through a payroll deduction program. Throughout the year, the employees give a little at a time, and by the end of the year, they have donated enough to help needy children in Washington County at Christmas. Many years, they adopt 100 or more children and shop for items such as coats, hats, shoes, and items of clothing.

Community Learning Center Fund

Beth Sluys, Victor and Mary Dufour, Jim and Judy Johnson, David and Carolyn Beck, Jack and Carol Mahuron, Tom and Kim Scifres and Bob and Carol Strange established this fund. The purpose is to provide grants for operational expenses of the Community Learning Center.

Crusade for Children Fund

This fund was established by John Jones in memory of Joe Huber. It will support the work of the Crusade for generations to come.

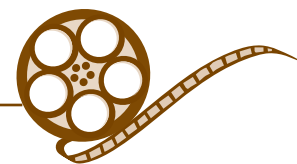
D. Jack Mahuron Education Fund

This fund was established by the Washington County Community Foundation Board of Directors in 2001 in honor of the first Executive Director of the Foundation, Jack Mahuron. Jack worked as the Executive Director of the Foundation from 1993-2001 on a volunteer basis. Upon his retirement as Executive Director, this fund was established in his honor. The purpose of the fund is to provide small grants to classroom teachers in all three county school corporations for innovative classroom projects.

D. Jack and Carol Baker Mahuron Fund

This fund is to continue their giving to the First Christian Church and to the Washington County Historical Society.

Community In Action



"There are millions of people in this world. But in the end, it all comes down to one."

- From **Crazy / Beautiful**

David D. Wells Scholarship Fund

The family of David D. Wells established this fund to commemorate David and his service to our country. Scholarship applicants must be the child, grandchild, niece or nephew of a person, living or deceased, that has served in the United States Armed Forces. Applicants are required to submit an essay describing the service of that family member and also what the Armed Forces means to the applicant.

Daniel Main Fund for Youth in Arts

To honor Daniel Main and his years and talent of directing youth plays in Washington County, Kim Scifres started this fund to provide support to organizations in Washington County that provide opportunities for youth to participate in artistic endeavors. Many of Daniel's former actors and their parents also chose to honor Daniel by contributing to this fund.

David Beck Fund

David Beck, first president of the Washington County Community Foundation and founding board member, established this fund in 2001. Through his many years of dedicated service to the Foundation, David realized the importance of giving unrestricted money to the foundation, because this type of gift allows flexibility for the Board of Directors to meet the ever-changing needs of Washington County.

Dr. Eddie Apple Family Community Youth Development Fund

Dr. Eddie Apple's friends established this field of interest fund to support youth development in the community. Grants from this fund will be used to support youth development in Washington County.

Donivan Jack and Carol Baker Mahuron IUS Scholarship Fund

This fund was established to award a scholarship to a Washington County high school graduate attending Indiana University Southeast.

Edmund and Mary Drabek Scholarship Fund

Mary Drabek established the scholarship fund after the death of her beloved husband, Edmund. Edmund's adage to his family was always "I can't doesn't live here, but I can if I try does!" This adage followed Edmund from the poor farming family in Richmond, Texas to his first Army station in Fort Knox, Kentucky where he met Mary. The two married soon after they met and began raising a family. After a few years of saving, Edmund and Mary bought an 80-acre farm in Greenville, Indiana. After five years of farming in Greenville, Edmund decided it was time to take on a bigger farm. They found the perfect 300-acre farm in Washington County and still continued with their outside jobs. Edmund and Mary always encouraged their children to excel at school and at least one of them attended the school events. The kids were never allowed to give up without trying. Edmund and Mary's teachings of their own children, love of Washington County, and the wish to see more Washington County youth succeed is the basis of the Edmund and Mary Drabek Scholarship Fund for Washington County youth who are pursuing their education in mathematics and science. Hopefully with some help: I CAN IF I TRY will be a motto for more youth of Washington County.

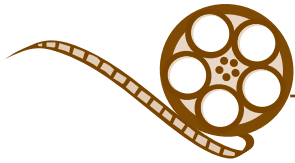
Exchange Club of Salem Fund

David and Carolyn Beck originally funded this account. The Exchange Club is continuing to contribute to this fund. The income will be used in the future to fund the Exchange Club's scholarship program.

First Baptist Church - Salem Fund

The First Baptist Church Fund was established by Robert and Mary Margaret Arnold. David and Anita Arney have also contributed to this fund. This account was initiated as a permanent fund that others can add to and the proceeds are to be used as the church deems appropriate.

Robert and Kay Lambert
Leader Publishing Company
Lee Family Trust
Gary Lewis
Dan and Karen Libka
Lifespring of Washington County
Lincks Clothing and Shoes
Little York Christian Church
Loy and Fordyce Agency
Lynch and Associates
Bruce and Marcella Mahuron
Jack and Carol Mahuron
Joe and Chris Mahuron
Mainsource Financial Group
Jay and Patricia Marshall
Marah Marshall
Marvin and Mignon Marshall
Marshall Monuments
Philip and Rebecca Marshall
EE and Margaret Ann Martin
Ed and Betty Mason
Phyllis Massey
Raymond McBride
Timothy and Rachael McClellan
Greg and Cynthia McCurdy
Earl McDill
Chad and Tara McKinley
John and Mary Mead
Larry Medlock
Mid-Southern Bank
Mid-Southern Conference
Debbie Mildenburger
David and Susan Miller
Miller Hardware and Garden Center
John and Debbie Mishler
Mitchell High School
Monroe Shine
Jeff and Karen Morgan
David Morris
John and Ginger Morris
Barbara Morris-Nix
Mt. Hebron Church of Christ
Marjorie Mull
Bill and Cathy Myers
Jerry and Judy Myers
Robert and Robin Myers
Marta Myszak
Hiram and Eileen Nally
Michael and Gail Napier
Mary Ann Naugle
Larry and Jeanette Nelson
Frank and Denise Newkirk
James and Judy Nice
Donald and Jerlene Nice
Carl Nicholson
Jonathan and Kristi Noel
Tony and Jeanette Nolan
North Harrison Community Schools
Kevin and Anne O'Connell
Older American Services
Corporation



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Ray and Martha Oppel
Barbara Overton
Paoli Jr/Sr High School
Joe and Pat Persinger
Pete and Beverly Peters
PNC Bank - Salem
Stephen and Stephanie Porter
Donald and Robin Powers
Princess Prayer Warriors
Michael and Terri Prindle
Purdue CES Education Fund
Luella Purkhiser
Fox and Kristy Purlee
John and Rosanne Quatrok
Jim and Linda Ralston
Tom and Victoria Ratts
Lynn Reed
William and Marilyn Reed
Bill Reister and Marjorie Morris
Pauline Reyman
George and Janet Richardson
Jamie and Melissa Richardson
Michael and Stacy Richardson
Rick and Jo Ann Richardson
James and Patricia Ritz
Jerry Roberts
Jimmy and Stephanie Rockey
Brent and Diane Rosenbaum
Jerry and Gloria Rosenbaum
Morris and Marty Rosenbaum
Paul and Teresa Rutherford
Steve and Stephanie Sabens
Vickie Saewart
Salem Community
Schools Employees
Salem Crossing
Salem Exchange Club
Salem High School Class of 1962
Salem High School Class of 1986
Salem Lions Club
Salem Presbyterian Church
Salem Public Library
Salem Rotary Club
Salem Speedway
Salem Title Corporation
Salem Urban Enterprise Zone
Salem-Washington
Township Senior Citizens
Stephen and Judy Sanders
Brian and Joann Schmidt
Paul Scifres
Tom and Kim Scifres
Scottsburg High School
Saralee Shields
Jerry and Coyla Short
Larry and Patricia Shrum
SHS Class of 1951
SHS French Club
SHS Junior Concessions
SHS SADD
SHS Student Council
Nick and Emily Siler

"That's what people do. They leap, and hope to God they can fly." - From Hitch

First Christian Church - Salem Fund

This fund was established by the First Christian Church trustees and Donald L. and Virginia Martin to be used as the church board deems appropriate. Robert and Clarice Morris also added to this fund.

First Harrison Bank Touch Tomorrow Fund

In a spirit of community, the First Harrison Bank established this unrestricted fund, in order to contribute to our county now and forever.

First Youth First Youth Development Fund

The Advisory Council of Youth First has established many goals, one of which is sustainability for the organization. To that end, they decided to establish this fund, hopefully the first of many, and lay the groundwork for others to follow.

Friends of Beck's Mill

Larry Nelson established this fund after a literal "luck of the draw". Nelson won \$1,000.00 at the WCCF annual meeting and decided the money would be best served by establishing a fund to provide support to the Friends of Becks Mill.

Garland A. & Norma Sue White Touch Tomorrow Fund

Garland and Norma Sue's initial gift to this fund was made in memory of their parents, Russell H. White, Sr., Mildred (Trinkel) White, Harold E. Peters and Esther (Zahnd) Peters. The establishment of this fund is a natural extension of their civic-minded generosity.

Gene & Judy Hedrick Touch Tomorrow Fund

Desiring to improve the quality of life in Washington County, Gene and Judy Hedrick established this fund in 2003. Through this fund, they will be able to give back to Washington County for time without end.

Glen and Madge Day Ag Scholarship Fund

Jim and Marilyn Day established this fund in 2011 to memorialize Jim's parents.

Glenn Armstrong Touch Tomorrow Fund

Glenn was born on March 14, 1912 to Stephen and Ada (Sherwood) Armstrong. His mother succumbed to Tuberculosis when Glenn was six months old. Shortly after her death, Glenn's grandmother, Amanda Sherwood, assumed responsibility for his care and raised him.

At age 33, Glenn went into the family business, Armstrong Hardware, which was opened by Steve Armstrong, Glenn's father, in 1914. In 1989, after 75 years of family ownership, Glenn and his wife, Bernice, sold the hardware store. "I hadn't planned seriously to retire although at my age I thought it was time for retirement" stated a 77 year-old Glenn. "It's been a very pleasant experience. If it hadn't been for the customers, we wouldn't have lasted that long."

This unrestricted fund will support numerous worthwhile community projects. Glenn's wish to give back to the community will come true, year after year, forever.

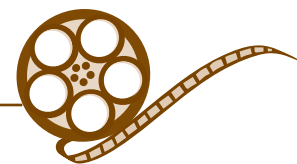
Goldie Taylor Nally Memorial Fund

Goldie Taylor Nally was born in Higginson, Arkansas on January 21, 1906 to John and Minnie Lee Taylor. Her father was Justice of the Peace and a constable and her mother was a homemaker. Goldie was able to attend school until the eighth grade, where she developed a love for reading. She married Henry Hiram Nally when she was sixteen years old. Together, they had three children: James, who died in infancy, Mildred and Hiram.

Goldie's husband died in 1942 from kidney disease. After his death, she worked at a local cafeteria as a cashier to support the family.

Goldie lived to be 92. At the time of her death she had three grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. She never wavered in her love of children. In 1998 her family established the Goldie Taylor Nally fund. This is a designated fund that grants to the "Shop with a Cop" Program. "I thought it would be appropriate to set up this fund in Mom's

Community In Action



"You don't have to see something to know that it's really there. You just believe it."

- From Judy the Elf in ***The Santa Claus***

memory," stated her son. "Now at least one child will be clothed and taken care of each Christmas in her memory. I think she would have been very pleased."

Happily Ever After Project Fund

This fund was established by Rachel Dalton and Aaron Johnson in 2010, when they were serving as President and Vice President of the Washington County Youth Foundation. The goals of this fund are to increase awareness of the importance of early literacy; develop a love of reading in every child's life; and help build reading comprehension skills. The Washington County Youth Foundation believes that if we can get more of our third graders reading at grade level, then more of our children will grow up to live "Happily Ever After."

Helen Gill Scholarship Fund

Helen was born at home on April 10, 1911 to Dora and Winfield McCoskey. When Helen started school, her method of transportation was simple: she walked. Depending upon the time in her life, this could be as little as 1/2 mile or could entail walking "through fields on the neighbor's farm, cross a creek by means of a foot log, and climb the hill to the school." However, these trips evolved into a lifelong love of education. Helen started high school in the autumn of 1924. The previous spring, she had attended the high school play and operetta and fell in love with "the handsome young man who had the leading role in the program." She told one of her friends that she was going to marry that boy. His name was John Parnell "Bob" Gill. Eventually, Bob and Helen were married on February 15, 1939. "Everything worked out fine and we were happy." Bob and Helen had two daughters, Cheryl Lynn and Jean Elaine. Helen taught school for many, many years. She also traveled internationally for Sweet Adeline Competitions. Helen could play the piano, clarinet, guitar and accordion. She played the organ for many years at St. Patrick Church. This scholarship fund, established in Helen's memory, will provide scholarships to graduating seniors from Salem and East Washington High Schools.

Helsel Family Salem Presbyterian Church Fund

Barbara and Jess Helsel started this fund in 2007. The purpose of this fund is to provide support to the Salem Presbyterian Church for capital improvement projects.

Henderson Park Fund

This fund was established by the Salem Common City Council with proceeds from the purchase of permanent rights to Henderson Park by the Nature Conservancy.

The income will be used each year by the Salem Water Department for their operation and equipment purchases.

Hicksite Church & Cemetery Fund

Quaker Friends have funded this endowment in order to maintain the Old Quaker Church and its cemetery. This church is one of the oldest churches in the State of Indiana.

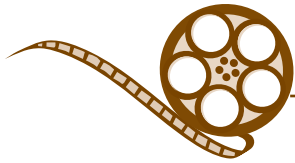
Holler/Myers Fund

Bob and Evelyn Holler established this fund to provide financial support for maintenance expenses for Lawrenceport Cemetery Association, Saltillo Cemetery and the Blue River Friends Cemetery.

Hometown Heroes Scholarship Fund

JD and Lindsey Wade-Swift established the Hometown Heroes Scholarship Fund in February, 2010. "The men and women in the military give so much to each and every one of us that we wanted to do something for them. We realize that a scholarship fund can't even begin to touch what they fight and protect for us on a daily basis, but it may be of small assistance. This fund means a small thank you to our service men and women."

Silver Creek Middle School
Waneta Simpson
Slam Dunk Sports Marketing
Brett and Lynn Smedley
Sharon Smedley
Cecil and Martha Smith
Donald Smith
Joseph and Beth Smith
Rhonda Smith
James and Rhonda Smoak
Bruce and Julie Snider
Dawson Souder
Dixie Souder
Jeff and Kim Souder
JD Souder
Micah Souder
Southern Hills Church
Southwestern Indiana
Officials Association
Barbara Spaulding
Helen Spaulding
Jon and Monika Spaulding
William and Jane Spencer-Pierce
Donna Spurgeon
St. Vincent-Salem
State Employees
Community Campaign
Mary Etta Stearns
Terri Stephenson
Maxine Stewart
John and Joan Stingle
Bob Strange
Robert and Anita Sturgeon
Frank and Pat Sullivan
Shannon and Lana Sullivan
Lowell and Donna Swartz
John Taflinger
Michael and Patricia Tate
Telemedia Solution and Employees
John and Marie Tellman
Temple and Temple
Jean Terkhorn
Norman and Anne Terrell
The Cottage at West Point
The Travel Post
Trent Thompson
Cynthia Todd
Wade and Jennifer Tomlinson
John Tonnis
Sharon Tower
William and Donna Tower
Treasurer of Washington County
Tri Kappa Associates
Bonnie Trinkle
Pauline Trueblood
Tony and Debbie Trueblood
Tumbleweed Southwest Grill
Eric and Rina Turpen
Kenneth Turpen
Rita Turpen
US Military Vets MC Hoosier Hills
Chapter 5



2011 Highlights

United Way of Scott County
Wron and Nona Wade
Jon-David and Lindsey Wade-Swift
Reagan Wade-Swift
Walker Construction
Marcia Walker
Jim and Surmartha Wallace
Mike and Kim Wallace
Troy and Clarissa Walls
Washington County
Chamber of Commerce
Washington County
Detention Center
Washington County
Economic Growth Partnership
Washington County Food Bank
Washington County
Medical Association
Washington County
Republican Central Committee
Washington County
Republican Women's Club
Washington County
Substance Abuse Council
Washington County Tourism Bureau
Washington County
Veteran's Memorial
Roy and Peggy Wathen
Washington County Community
Foundation Employees
Hank and Rachel Weedin
Tim and Sharon Weidenbenner
West Washington FFA
West Washington Lady Senators
Garland and Norma Sue White
Christopher Whitfield
Ruth Whitney
James and Alicia Whittle
Earl Williams
Olga Williams
Jean Wilson
John Woehrle
Woman's Club
Wonder Valley Church Camp
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Hoosier Uplands Fund

This is an agency endowment fund established by the Board of Directors of Hoosier Uplands. Earnings from this fund will be granted to Hoosier Uplands to provide support to Hospice, Headstart and Hoosier Uplands Housing Services.

Howard and Juanita (Myers) Hinkle Scholarship Fund

Max and Phyllis Hinkle established this fund in honor of Max's father and stepmother. The purpose of the fund is to provide vocational scholarships to Washington County high school students. This scholarship is to be rotated between the three county high schools.

A life-long resident of Washington County, Howard was born on February 9, 1914 to Earl and Emma Hinkle. He graduated in 1933 from Salem High School. After graduation, Howard started to work as a mechanic for Simpson Brothers Construction Company. "I started to work on automobiles when I was twelve years old," Howard once stated. "It was all I ever knew." By 1946, Howard was the owner of an Oldsmobile dealership, Salem Motors Company. He retired at age 68, after 48 years in the car business. "We sold quite a few automobiles in my lifetime. We could repair anything from the front bumper to the back; from the top to the bottom. I always said, 'If human hands made it, then human hands can fix it.'"

Juanita (Myers) Hinkle was in the same Salem High School graduating class with Howard. She was born in Washington County on January 3, 1914 to Orlando and Maude Myers. Juanita went to college to study education. She received her teacher training at Central Normal, Ball State University and Indiana University. She taught for many years, finally retiring in 1975 from Bradie Shrum Elementary School.

During her tenure at Salem, Juanita spent two and one-half years teaching Special Reading and during her final year of employment, she was Supervisor of the Tutorial Program and Teacher's Aid Program.

Independent Order of Odd Fellows Lodge #67 Fund

As it became apparent to local members of the IOOF #67 that their numbers were dwindling and their ability to remain a viable organization was becoming nearly impossible, the members decided that they wanted the local assets, which they had accrued over the past several decades, to stay in Washington County. So, after much time and effort, the local Lodge received permission to keep the funds local, by contributing them to the Washington County Community Foundation. The lodge established a fund in the Foundation to benefit the John Hay Center Foundation. This way, the IOOF Lodge #67 can continue their work of supporting our community long after the members are gone.

James & Diana Apple Touch Tomorrow Fund

Diana served on the Foundation's Board of Directors from 2000 through 2008. She was the President of the 2004 Board of Directors. James and Diana have a history of community service and wanted their community-minded spirit to live on, so they established this unrestricted fund with the Washington County Community Foundation in 2002.

James L. Brown Scholarship Fund

The West Washington Agriculture Department established this scholarship fund in honor of Jim Brown, who taught Ag for 30 years and was also the FFA sponsor. The purpose of the fund is to provide scholarships to students from West Washington who are 4 year FFA members, have a GPA of 3.0 or higher, and indicate a strong desire to major in an Ag related field of study in college.

Jim & Judy Johnson Touch Tomorrow Fund

Judy is the first employee of the Foundation and the second Executive Director. She began her employment with the Foundation in 2001.

Desiring to make Washington County a better place for those who follow, Jim and

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"Miracles, no matter how inexplicable or unbelievable, are real and can occur without regard to the natural order of things." - From **The Notebook**

Judy established an unrestricted fund. Therefore, their gift will support future projects that will serve to improve the quality of life in Washington County.

Jinny Scifres Scholarship Fund

Paul and Tom Scifres, Dr. Ed Apple and Jinny's many friends established this fund. This fund will provide scholarships to individuals pursuing post-secondary education in the field of nursing.

Jinny was born on August 17, 1942 in Salem to Tom and Louise (Evans) Tiedt. After starting a family, Jinny made the tough decision to return to school and study nursing. After graduation, Jinny began her nursing career at Washington County Memorial Hospital as an Emergency Room Nurse. Jinny's love of nursing eventually lead her to several promotions and back to school once again. She eventually became the Director of Patient Care Services.

Jinny died in the fall of 2000, after bravely battling bone cancer. Her family and many friends established this scholarship fund in her memory, to assist others who, like Jinny, return to school to study nursing after starting a family or career. Jinny once stated, "My vocation in nursing has been rewarding. I appreciate the opportunity to help others in many ways. With God's help, I can make a difference and that is what I try to do."

John M. Colglazier Touch Tomorrow Fund

In 2009, the former employees of the State Bank of Salem held a reunion. At this reunion, they decided to collect money to honor former bank President, John Colglazier. "He had such compassion for each person he dealt with, whether it was a customer or an employee of the bank," remembered Jeanette Nolan. "I think it would be safe to say that we all learned a lot of valuable lessons from John during our different tenures at the bank."

John and Ginger Morris Touch Tomorrow Fund

John and Ginger have been active in our community for many years. Ginger was a founding board member for the Washington County Community Foundation and retired from the board in 2002, after 10 years of service. They wanted to continue the good work of the Foundation and support the many worthwhile projects yet to come, so they established this unrestricted fund with the Foundation in 2002.

John W. Mead and Mary B. Mead Fund

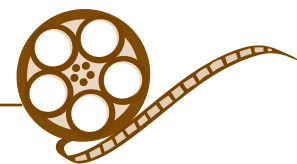
John served as a board member for ten years, retiring in 2010. He and Mary are active in the community and their church. They have established this endowed fund to improve the quality of life in Washington County for generations to come.

John & Paula Jones Touch Tomorrow Fund

John is a successful businessman and is active in the community. Paula is also very active in the community and her church. They are both interested in making Washington County a better place for future generations. Like many donors to the foundation, John and Paula wanted their gift to benefit as many individuals as possible. After careful consideration, they decided to make their gift unrestricted. By doing so, their fund will be flexible to meet the ever changing needs of Washington County, forever.

John E. Elliott Scholarship Fund

John Elliott was an industrial arts teacher at Salem High School, a farmer, a business partner, an auctioneer and a mentor to many. He influenced the lives of numerous students during his 28 years of teaching and his sponsorship of exchange students from various places around the world through Rotary International. John was born in Washington County in 1936. He attended Canton Grade School and graduated from Salem High School. He married Sharon Cauble in 1956. Because of his value of education, he strongly influenced his own four children to complete college degrees. He enjoyed such hobbies as drafting, metalworking, carpentry, and woodworking. In 1972, with the help of family members, he designed and built a house that straddles a creek. He lived there until his death. By starting a scholarship fund in 1999 honoring his father, Brent



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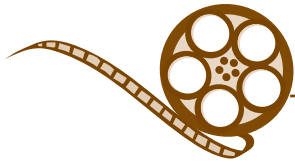
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*"Find out who you are and do it on purpose." - From **A Walk to Remember***

Elliott felt he was also honoring his father's beliefs and values. Other members of the family have also contributed to this scholarship fund to honor John E. Elliott.

John D. Fultz Family Scholarship Fund

This scholarship fund, established by John D. Fultz in 2005, will provide scholarships to Washington County graduating seniors. John served on the Foundation board from 2002-2010.

John Hay Center Foundation Funds

The John Hay Center Foundation Fund is to help maintain the John Hay Center owned by the Washington County Historical Society.

John C. Tackett Healthcare Provider Scholarship Fund

Originally from Lexington, Kentucky, John moved his medical practice to Salem in 1994. A member of the Salem Exchange Club and the Alternative Mission Team, John is keenly interested in helping others. He established this scholarship fund to help the youth of Washington County pursue higher education in the medical field and to provide a resource to help dreams come true.

Joseph and Joanna Gili Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by Joseph and Joanna Gili's children in honor of their mother and in loving memory of their father. This fund will offer scholarships to graduating seniors from Salem and West Washington who intend to pursue a career in education. Joseph was born on September 20, 1914 in Clinton, Indiana after his parents had recently emigrated from Northern Italy. Joanna was born on March 28, 1920 in Bowling Green, Kentucky, where her family had lived for generations. Joseph and Joanna met at Western Kentucky University. Joanna completed college in three years so that she could graduate with Joseph in 1939. Joseph and Joanna had five children: Joseph Anton, Victoria, James Bradford (Brad), Susannah, and Sarah.

Joseph died unexpectedly at the age of 54. Both Joseph and Joanna dedicated their lives to their children and to education. In 1962, Joseph became the first principal of the newly consolidated West Washington High School and Joanna taught English. Through their actions, Joseph and Joanna taught their children the valuable lesson of giving to others. In 2002, their children used those many lessons taught and established this fund in honor of their parents, thereby creating a permanent legacy to Joseph and Joanna.

Josh Kearschner Memorial Fund

It was in the little things that Josh will be remembered. His smile. His hugs. The way he loved to play the piano. His love for his church and his religious convictions. The time he drove an hour to deliver a birthday card and chocolate chip cookies. Josh did simple acts of kindness all the time. He was also a gifted musician. He composed and recorded several original instrumental songs, which were made into a tape and CD. Anyone who listens to his music can feel his depth and tenderness and can imagine a heart full of love for others. After his death, Josh's many, many friends worked together to establish a fund in Josh's memory. This fund will benefit missionaries from Josh's church, the Church of the Latter Day Saints.

Judy Edwards Barnett Scholarship Fund

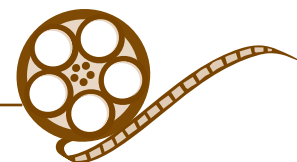
Sam Barnett established the Judy Edwards Barnett Scholarship fund in honor of Judy in February, 2010. He wanted to create a lasting legacy for Judy and memorialize her love of teaching by creating a fund that will help young people pursue a college degree.

JP "Bob" Gill Fund for the Poor and Needy

JP "Bob" Gill was born on August 31, 1906 to Edith (Carnes) and James Gill. Although born on a farm, Bob's family moved to town when he was a child, so he knew little of the farm life. Bob's nickname came from his sister, who stated that when he was little he looked like a "Bob" in the water. The nickname stayed with him his entire life.

Bob's first teaching assignment was at a one-room school in Old Pekin. Among other

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*"Fear can hold you prisoner.....Hope can set you free." - From **The Shawshank Redemption***

innovative ideas, he developed a football team and a school lunch program, allowing the eighth grade girls to cook soup for the other students. From there, Bob moved on to Mitchell High School, where he taught bookkeeping and then returned to New Albany Commercial College. He taught there part time, coached the basketball team and worked part time in a law office. He was admitted to the bar on June 6, 1928. He then moved to Chicago. There he worked for Marshall-Field and Company, which was one of the nation's largest department stores. Bob married Helen McCoskey on February 15, 1939. Bob was also an inventor and enjoyed experimenting with innovative ideas. He was one of the first hog farmers to use electric heat lamps at farrowing time and then studied whether this was economically feasible. He also designed special feeders and feed mixes and was featured in several national farm magazines. He was an accountant, lawyer, and a farmer. He could use surveying equipment, he could fix anything and he was an avid ham radio operator. At the time of his death, Bob made provisions for his favorite charities. Because of this, the Washington County Community Foundation now holds the following funds: The Washington County Food Bank Fund, The JP "Bob" Gill Fund for the Poor and Needy, (to provide support to a local chapter or council of the St. Vincent DePaul Society, and to St. John's Center, Inc.) and the St. Patrick Church Cemetery Fund.

Kays Chapel Community Church Scholarship Fund

Upon the closure of this church, the trustees took the proceeds from the sale of the property and created this scholarship fund for West Washington graduating seniors.

Kenneth "Colie" Coliapolis Memorial, Urban Beautification Fund

Colie's many friends and neighbors instituted this memorial fund for him. He was very much interested in beautiful lawns and flowers; therefore, the proceeds are to be used by the Urban Beautification Committee of Salem.

Kenneth W. Collins Scholarship Fund

Kenneth William Collins was a friend and teacher to all students who walked the halls of Eastern High School. Ken was born in Fressingfield, England on May 1, 1945. He was the only child of Brenda Elizabeth and William Collins. Ken graduated from Manual High School in 1963. He graduated from Purdue University in 1968 and accepted his first teaching position at Pendleton Heights High School in Pendleton, Indiana.

Ken spent his life educating our youth. He spent countless hours preparing our students to be better citizens and to have a good work ethic. And now through the Kenneth W. Collins Scholarship Fund he can continue this important work.

Kevin Johnson Touch Tomorrow Fund

Kevin Johnson named the Washington County Community Foundation as beneficiary of his life insurance policy. This gift will be used for generations to come for the betterment of Washington County.

LJ Fultz/Russell Trueblood Touch Tomorrow Fund

This fund is named in honor of two men who served as President of the Board of Directors of the Lee John Fultz School, a school for special needs children located on Harrison Street. Originally called the Hopewell School, this institution provided educational services for up to 25-30 special needs children every school year. It operated from 1954-1991. Both of these men were instrumental in building a savings account to support the operation of the school. After the school closed, the fund lay dormant for 10 years, upon which time, the trustees decided to place the money with the Washington County Community Foundation in honor of LJ Fultz and Russell Trueblood. This is an unrestricted fund that will be flexible to meet the varying needs of Washington County.

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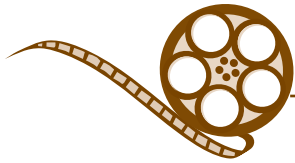
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"I look up to those people who have lost everything, yet love others beyond themselves"

- From ***The Sisterhood of the Traveling Pants***

Larry Medlock Red Oak Fund

Larry Medlock, Board member from 1993-2002, established this fund to provide educational support and life enrichment to individuals with Type 1 Diabetes.

Larry Stephenson Scholarship Fund

Larry taught biology at Salem High School for four years. Teaching was a second career for him. Perhaps that is why he enjoyed it so much. He often said, "It's great to be at Salem High School. I am so glad that I didn't have to go to work today. I get to go to school!" Larry's enthusiasm spilled over into the classroom. He didn't measure his success in his work. He measured his success in the improvement he saw in each individual child, whether that was in the classroom or on the basketball court, where Larry loved to coach. He frequently received notes from his students with positive comments about his teaching style or a project in the lab. Those notes thrilled Larry. He often shared them with his co-workers, sometime close to tears when a student had particularly kind words for him.

Shortly before his death, Larry indicated that he would appreciate memorial gifts to establish a scholarship fund in his memory, and that is exactly what many of his friends, former students and family did. Although Larry's presence will be deeply missed in the classrooms at Salem High School, his memory and love of teaching and working with youth will live on forever, through the Larry Stephenson Scholarship.

Larry and Rita Turpen Scholarship Fund

The Larry and Rita Turpen Scholarship fund was established by Rita and her family in 2008. In honor of Larry and Rita's devotion to academics and athletics, this fund represents their continued contribution and impact on our county's youth. Designated for a Salem High School graduate, this scholarship is to be presented to a student athlete pursuing a degree in education.

The Legacy Council Touch Tomorrow Fund

David Beck established this fund upon his retirement from the Board of Directors of the Foundation in 2002. The Legacy Council is a group of individuals who have served on the Board of Directors and wish to remain active with the Foundation in a volunteer capacity.

Members of the Legacy Council are encouraged to add to this fund on an annual basis. Charter members include: David Beck, MarjiAnn Souder, Bob Strange, Jean Wilson, Ginger Morris, David and Elaine Branaman and Gene Hedrick.

Lelah Payne Fund

Lelah Payne established this fund for the purpose of assisting senior citizens. Although part of it is designated, the balance (55%) can be used at the discretion of the Board of Directors.

Literacy in Our Neighborhood

This fund was established by the Livonia Lions Club to promote literacy.

Little York Grade School Scholarship Fund

The alumni of Little York Grade School established this fund for the purpose of giving scholarships each year to a Salem High School graduate from the Little York area.

Lois Price Scholarship Fund

On September 15, 1918, Clinton Wesner and Carrie Thompson Wesner welcomed their youngest of five children, Lois, into the world. Lois attended grade school in Jefferson Township, Prowsville grade school and also Four Corners School. She graduated from Salem High School and was the first in her family to graduate high school. She later moved to Indianapolis where she met her husband Fred Price. They were married September 1, 1945.

Lois passed away in March 2007. This fund was created out of her estate to provide scholarships to graduating Salem High School seniors.

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"Don't ever let somebody tell you...You can't do something."

- Chris Gardner in *The Pursuit of Happyness*

Marjorie Ann Martin Souder Fund

MarjiAnn was born on October 5, 1934 in Pekin to William O. and Elizabeth Hartung-Hoyt Martin. She was born to a family of educators and gladly accepted the calling to teach after graduating high school.

MarjiAnn was a history buff from the start. She received the DAR Good Citizen's Award in high school (an award she would later bestow on many other students in the county.) At the time, she had no idea what the award was about, but after researching the organization, she quickly learned that the DAR was closely aligned with several of her core values. She became very active in the DAR. She served as state regent from 1994-1997 and NSDAR Vice President General from 1997-2000.

This fund will honor the outstanding history student at Eastern High School. Through this fund, MarjiAnn's love of history will live on through the students that receive the award, and so will a little bit of MarjiAnn.

Marvin and Sandy Clark Touch Tomorrow Fund

Marvin and Sandy Clark established this fund in 2002, in support of the Foundation and the many grants that are distributed on an annual basis. In the spirit of giving back to the community, Marvin and Sandy's fund will issue grants to worthwhile community projects, as determined by the current Board of Directors. Since this is an endowed fund, it will continue to give, forever.

Mary Hilton Youth Development Fund

Because Mary Hilton was a beloved teacher, mentor, and friend to all students whose lives she touched just by being herself, the Pekin High School Class of 1958 has established a Youth Development Fund in Mary's honor. This fund will be Mary's legacy and continue her mission in life.... Helping young people to realize their potential.

Mary H. Payne - Salem Community Schools Fund

This fund was established by bequest to present scholarships to Salem High School students.

Mary Frances Nicholson Fund

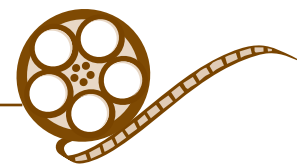
Mary Frances Nicholson was a life-long resident of Washington County and was involved in many different organizations. One of those organizations was Blue River Services, of which Mary was on the Board of Directors. To honor Mary and her love of Washington County and helping others, Blue River Services established this fund in her name.

Maurice E. Berkey Jr. & Jean C. Berkey Memorial Scholarship Fund/First Christian Church

From 1942-1945, Mauri (as his friends called him) served in the Army. He served under General George Patton and received Commendations signed by General Patton and well as General Omar Bradley. Mauri worked for many years as a manager for the Roegelien Credit Union in San Antonio, Texas, and retired as an accountant for Roegelien Provision Company. In retirement, he lived with his sister, Jean, in Salem.

Jean's first job as a teacher was in the two room Canton School. Jean taught for 32 years and retired in the late 1960's. She then worked at the Salem Library for 15 years. She and her brother Mauri loved spending winters in Florida. Jean joined Delta Kappa Gamma International in 1949. She was the first president of Omicron Chapter from Washington County 1956-1958 and was a chapter member of Gamma Rho Chapter. She was also legislative chairperson as well as vice-president of Omicron.

Jean was a long time member of the Salem First Christian Church. She also belonged to Retired Teachers Association, Tri-Kappa, National Historical Society, and DAR, as well as being a charter member of PEO Chapter DB, she was president 1979-1980.



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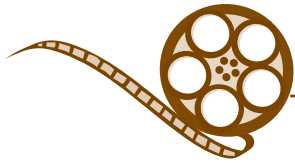
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*"Sometimes the simplest idea can make the biggest difference." - From **Pay It Forward***

Max and Phyllis Hinkle Scholarship Fund

This fund was established in December, 2010 by Max and Phyllis Hinkle. The purpose is to provide a scholarship to a Salem High School graduate who plans to attend the School of Business at Indiana University.

Max said they started the fund for several reasons, but mainly because he felt the scholarship would be a good thing for Washington County and for a student who wanted to further their education at IU.

When asked how he wants future generations to remember him, Max said, "As a guy from Salem who went out into the business world and found some success and is now sharing that with a worthy student and the Washington County Community Foundation."

Memorial Fund

This fund was established by the Board of Directors in 2002 for the many memorials given to the Foundation. For a complete list of all memorials given to the Foundation, please visit our website at www.wccf.biz

Morris & Martha Bush Rosenbaum Scholarship Fund

Morris & Marty Rosenbaum, former educators at Salem Community Schools, started this scholarship fund to further the education of Salem High School graduates.

Mt. Tabor Christian Church Fund

The Mt. Tabor Church Fund was founded by Morris (Buster) & Betty Clevenger Hoar. This fund was initiated as a permanent endowment that others can add to and the income is to be used as the church body deems appropriate.

Mt. Washington Church of Christ Cemetery Fund

This fund was established by MarjiAnn Souder for the maintenance and historic preservation of the Mt. Washington cemetery.

PNC Touch Tomorrow Fund

Striving to be an exemplary corporate citizen, PNC Bank started this fund in 2001 to support worthwhile community projects throughout the county. Since the needs of the county will change over time, the bank set up an unrestricted fund in order to be in a position to address those changing needs.

Norton Healthcare/Indiana University Southeast Fund

Norton Healthcare set up this account to establish a nursing scholarship at Indiana University Southeast.

Oliver P. Sizemore Masonic Home Fund

Steve Brewer established this fund in 2007 in honor of Oliver's retirement and his 35 years of public service as a CPA to our community. Oliver was a founding board member for the Foundation. He retired from the board after 10 years of service and then re-joined the board in 2007. He is currently serving as Treasurer.

Operating Endowment Fund

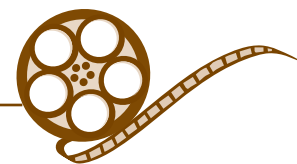
This fund supports the operations of the Foundation.

Paul Ogle/Edward Baugh Fund

Paul Ogle was born in Switzerland County, Indiana. He was the owner of Silgas, a liquefied gas company that sold to residents and businesses throughout Southern Indiana for over 40 years. When Paul died in 1988, the company was sold and the proceeds formed the Paul Ogle Foundation. Paul's vision was to assist the communities in which he made his fortune. To that end, the Paul Ogle Foundation made a \$50,000.00 contribution to the Washington County Community Foundation to help establish this youth philanthropy fund. This fund will be used by the Washington County Youth Foundation to issue youth-directed community service grants to Washington County youth organizations and to teach the youth of Washington County about philanthropy.

Edward Baugh was born in East Chicago, Illinois. He and his family moved to Washington County in 1942, when they purchased a farm. He joined the army when he

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*"Love can touch us one time and last for a lifetime, and never let go till we're gone." - From **Titanic***

was seventeen years old and served his country overseas in China, Burma and Egypt. Edward learned many trades over his lifetime. He worked as a farmer, plumber, welder, machinist and tinsmith among other trades. He valued honesty and a strong work ethic. In 1996, Edward contributed \$34,000.00 to establish a youth fund.

Rachel Spaulding Davis Touch Tomorrow Fund

This fund was started in memory of Rachel Davis by family members. It is a Touch Tomorrow fund. The family thought this type of fund would be appropriate, because Rachel was very community minded and involved in many community projects.

Ralph & Faye Motsinger Mahuron Fund

Both Ralph and Faye (Motsinger) Mahuron were lifelong residents of Washington County. Ralph worked in many different jobs. Both Ralph and Faye worked in the Charlestown Powder Plant during World War II. Although they did not have children of their own, they did love children. Ralph also enjoyed politics and was the first Mayor of Salem to be re-elected. Ralph and Faye led a quiet, conservative lifestyle, but also were active in their community through the Masonic Lodge, the Order of Eastern Star, and their church. They were also interested in the history of Washington County. It was through their conservatism that the Mahurons were able to form a large estate. Through their generosity, the fund now benefits the three area high schools with scholarships, the St. Vincent Salem Hospital, Blue River Baptist Church, Salem Baptist Church, Olive Branch Church, Salem Masonic Lodge, Order of Eastern Star, the Senior Citizens Center, Blue River Cemetery, Olive Branch Cemetery, Rodman Cemetery, and the John Hay Center Foundation.

Ralph and Mae Decker Scholarship Fund

Ralph Decker was born in Grayson County, Kentucky. He married Mae Stevenson, who was also from Grayson County Kentucky. Four years after their marriage, Ralph and Mae moved to Louisville where Ralph worked at Porter's Paint Company for seven years. The Deckers bought a farm near Hardinsburg where they raised their two daughters. Ralph sold Moorman feed and was a good friend to all. After Ralph's retirement, he and Mae moved to Salem. Ralph was always interested in children getting a better education than he, as he was unable to go to college. Mae Decker and GleEtta Williams established this fund for Salem High School graduates in the form of scholarships, especially those in the fields of nursing, theology, missionary work or a healthcare related field.

Ranessa Cooper Science Scholarship Fund

Ranessa received financial assistance from the Audrey Mounts Educational Loan Program when she was attending college. Because of the impact of Audrey's generosity on her life, Ranessa has now established a college scholarship fund for Salem High School graduates who excel in science.

Raymond, Alma, Cleo and Betty Motsinger Family Fund

This fund was established by Betty Motsinger in demonstration of gratitude for all the support their farming operation received from the community, especially all the middle school and high school boys who worked for them. This fund will provide a scholarship to an Eastern High School graduating senior.

Riley's Place Fund

Riley's Place Playground was built in September, 2001 in memory of Riley Jean Tomlinson. Riley, who died in an accident at the age of 17 months, was the beautiful son of Jennifer and Wade Tomlinson. After his death, his parents were overwhelmed with the kindness of friends and neighbors who wanted to do something in memory of Riley. Jennifer remembered a playground that she and Riley had once visited in Nashville, Tennessee, and the dream of Riley's Place began. Committees were set up and the work to plan the playground and raise the money began. Over 3,000 children in Washington County had an opportunity to turn in ideas for the design of the playground. The play-

In memory of Kay McDonald

Ruth Cooke

In memory of Olive LeRue Mull

Sara Rae Bellows

Jeff and Karen Morgan

In memory of

Opal and Lester Chastain

Dixie Souder

In memory Opal Floyd

Robert and Robin Myers

In memory of Ottis Wright

Geneva Bagshaw

In memory of Robert Walton

Geneva Bagshaw

Paul and Theresa Rutherford

In memory of Paul Abbott

Burl and Carmelita Jean

Wade and Jennifer Tomlinson

Joe and Allison Ezzell

Canton Christian Church

In memory of Randy Johnson

Bob and Terri Agan

Jackie Arnold

Wron and Nona Wade

Austin High School

Jerry and Rita Baker

Joan Barrett

Randy and Melissa Bastin

Batesville High School

David and Carolyn Beck

Borden Jr/Sr High School

Daniel and April Bortner

Jaclyn Branaman

James and Janice Brooks

Adrian and Cristy Brown

Brownstown Central High School

Chris and Jennifer Bundy

John and Sara Calhoun

Tim and Valerie Catlett

Robin Collon

Corydon Central High School

Steve and Michelle Davison

Mark and Sharon DeHart

David and Jonell Denny

Debra Doyle

Doris Duffy

Eddie, Shelley, Mallery

and Brant Deaton

Sid and Kathy Dye

Todd and Jana Ewen

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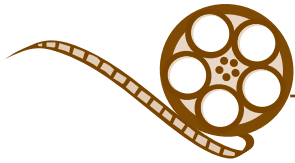
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Dennis Karloff



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Doug and Susan Katt
Nancy Kline
Jack and Carol Mahuron
Joe and Chris Mahuron
Mid-Southern Conference
Mitchell High School
Bill and Cathy Myers
Jonathan and Kristi Noel
North Harrison

Community School Corporation
Kevin and Anne O'Connell
Ray and Martha Oppel
Orleans Jr/Sr High School
Barbara Overton
Paoli High School
Jim and Linda Ralston
William and Marilyn Reed
James and Patricia Ritz
Morris and Marty Rosenbaum
Brian and Joanna Schmidt
Tom and Kim Scifres
Scottsburg High School
SHS French Club
SHS Junior Concessions
SHS SADD
SHS Student Council
Silver Creek Middle School
Slam Dunk Sports Marketing
Joseph and Beth Smith
Bruce and Julie Snider
Southwestern Indiana

Official Association
William and Jane Spencer-Pierce
John and Marie Tellman
Ronald and Cynthia Todd
Wade, Jennifer, Hope,
and Macie Tomlinson
Jon-David and Lindsey Wade-Swift
Jim and Surmartha Wallace
Hank and Rachel Weedin
Tim and Sharon Weidenbenner
West Washington
Lady Senators Basketball
James and Alicia Whittle
Ric and Deb Wrye
Joe and DeeDee Zink
Loy and Fordyce
Jeff and Karen Morgan
Sylvan and Nora Hanson
Greg and Jacquie Hanson
Steve and Gwen Hanson
Kent and Cindy Hanson
Mark and Carla Hanson
Vernette Beesley
Lori and Jon Hubbell
Ryan and Kimberley Beesley
Robert and Suzanne Johnson
Robert Marquez
Brad Johnson
Julie Marquez
John Marquez
Jamie and Melissa Richardson

"The ones that love us, never really leave us."

- Sirius Black from **Harry Potter and The Prisoner of Azkaban**

ground was completely constructed in 6 days. The first day of the build, September 11, 2001, was one of the darkest days in our nation's history. Building Riley's Place gave the community something positive to focus on when our country was in great despair and grief. In all, over 2,000 people put their skills to work to build the playground. The playground was dedicated on September 16, 2001. One white balloon, in memory of Riley, was released, along with 2001 red balloons, symbolizing all the children who will play on the playground.

Robert L. and Clarice J. Morris Fund

Robert was born in Gibson Township, the son of the late Emory and Leona Gross Morris. He graduated from Salem High School in 1933. Clarice was born in Pierce Township, the daughter of the late Emerson and Maude Wilson Martin. She graduated from Pekin High School in 1935. Robert and Clarice were married in 1941. Clarice passed away in November, 2002. Bob passed away in 2008.

Robert worked several jobs after high school and served in the military for four years. Fifteen years after his high school graduation, Robert went to college and earned a bachelor's degree in industrial arts and later a master's degree in vocational education from Indiana State University at Terre Haute. He taught at Jeffersonville High School for 28 years and retired in 1979.

Clarice also attended Indiana State University. She held local teaching positions as well as teaching in Terre Haute (while Robert attended college), New Albany and then finally transferring to Jeffersonville, where she taught until her retirement in 1979.

Robert and Clarice gave the Washington County Community Foundation its first "planned gift" in 1995, a Charitable Remainder Trust, which was funded by the sale of three pieces of property. Hence, the Morris Society is named after them.

Robert L. and Clarice J. Morris Touch Tomorrow Fund

This fund was established through Robert's estate to fund future needs of Washington County.

Ron and Pam Haendiges Youth Development Fund

Pam has been a teacher at Bradie Shrum for many years and Ron has been involved with youth in our community in many ways. In order to continue this tradition of supporting our youth, they have started this fund, which will support the youth in our community forever.

Roy and Mae Lee Family Fund

"Caught and not taught" usually means you learn values or behaviors from the people and organizations that practice them, rather than by being told. If you see someone consistently living out what they believe with power and great dignity--sometimes even in the face of difficulty--those are values that can be caught. A wonderful example right here in our own community was Roy and Mae Lee.

According to David Lee, "Mom and Dad were stewards. They took care of the church, even when at times they really couldn't afford to do so, and in their death they just wanted to carry on that giving." Prior to his death, Roy established a fund in the Washington County Community Foundation to benefit Sugar Creek Christian Church. Additionally, he made a provision in his estate plan to give a percentage of his entire estate to the Washington County Community Foundation to benefit five organizations.

"That was just consistent with the way they lived," affirmed Thelma Lee McDonald. "They contributed a lot to their church and their community. They have taken that responsibility on even in their death. They have set a precedent. This is a challenge for us to carry on."

Most of us want lives of significance. We admire others in whom we see strength, service to unselfish goals, transcendence over circumstances, and consistent integrity. If their example, if their modeling of those values, is powerful enough, their values can

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"Never tell me the odds." - Han Solo from *Star Wars*

be caught. What kind of values will people "catch" from you?

St. Isidore the Farmer Catholic Church Fund

William Harlen established this fund in 2001. Grants from this fund will help St. Isidore the Farmer Catholic Church maintain the Old St. John Catholic Cemetery, where many of Mr. Harlen's ancestors are buried.

St. Patrick Cemetery Fund

This fund was established by the J.P. "Bob" Gill Trust for the maintenance and historic preservation of the St. Patrick Cemetery.

Salem Education Foundation Fund

This scholarship fund was established and contributed to by individuals and families that are interested in the future education of Salem High School graduates.

Salem High School Class of 1954 Scholarship Fund

This scholarship fund, established in 2004 by the 1954 class of SHS, will award scholarships to graduating SHS seniors.

Salem High School Class of 1957 Education Fund

The Salem High School Class of 1957 established this fund in 2007 to provide support to Salem Community Schools to support education, with an emphasis on classroom teachers and employees for the purpose of providing innovative, engaging, and meaningful opportunities that are designed to stimulate learning.

Salem High School Class of 1962

The SHS Class of '62 established this fund in November, 2011 to provide scholarships to graduating SHS seniors.

Salem High School Class of 1963 Fund

The SHS Class of '63 established this fund in October, 2008 in preparation of their 50th class reunion and gift to the school.

Salem Mortgage Touch Tomorrow Fund

Like many business owners, John Mishler wanted to give something back to the community, so he established the Salem Mortgage Touch Tomorrow Fund in 2002. This fund will be used to fund grants for worthwhile community projects through a competitive grant application process.

Salem Presbyterian Church Fund

This fund was originated by Helen Roberson, Dr. Edgar DeJean and Elinor DeJean and added to by Robert E. Boggs. The income is to be used for general purposes at the Presbyterian Church.

Salem - Washington Township Public Library Fund

The Board of Directors and friends of the library initiated this fund. It is to be used in the future for the purchase of books and other peripheral items needed by the library.

Salem Schools Giving Tree Fund

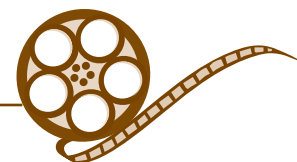
Two funds, established by Salem Community Schools employees, will provide grants to Salem Community Schools teachers for innovative classroom projects. School employees have made direct contributions to these funds as well as participating in a pay-roll deduction program.

Salem True Value Touch Tomorrow Fund

Bob Strange established this fund in 2002, in order to facilitate the continuing support that Salem True Value gives to the community. By creating this fund, Salem True Value will be able to support grants to the community now and forever.

Smedley Scholarship Trust Fund

Lawrence "Corky" Smedley was born on March 28, 1928 in a house on West Market Street in Salem, Indiana. He was a thirty-second degree Mason and a DeMolay sponsor. He loved to read and enjoyed the stage and musicals. He was a member of the First Christian Church. He had three children and two grandchildren at the time of his



In memory of Virginia Hogan

Loy and Fordyce

In memory of John Gamble

Jeff and Karen Morgan

In memory of Ethel Bowling

Jeff and Karen Morgan

In memory of Richard Armstrong

Larry and Jeanette Nelson

In memory of Harvey Heilman

Larry and Jeanette Nelson

In memory of Rick Fleenor

Perry and Dorothy Fleenor

In memory of Rita Brown

Jeff and Karen Morgan

In memory of Thomas Tiedt

Jeff and Karen Morgan

In memory of Gary and Paula Jo Gross

In memory of Rosenell Brown

Jeff and Karen Morgan

In memory of Ruth Brown

June Greene

In memory of Ruth Rutherford

Paul and Theresa Rutherford

In memory of Sylvia Bridgewater

Mt. Hebron Church of Christ

In memory of Terry Hurst

Jeff and Karen Morgan

In memory of Lucille Parker

Jeff and Karen Morgan

In memory of Betty Strange

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In memory of Tim Evaline

Wanda and Martin Kennedy

In memory of Harold Dixon

Wanda and Martin Kennedy

In memory of Virginia Zink

Jeff and Kathy Jackson

Warren and Maurita Jones

Gary Lewis

Marah Marshall

John and Rosanne Quatroke

Jim and Linda Ralston

Rick and Jo Ann Richardson

In memory of Walter Huff

Jeanette Bottom

In memory of Warren Stewart

Cindy Harcourt

2011 Apples

An apple for Beverly Lanham

Reagan Wade-Swift

An apple for Craig Akers

Parker Armstrong

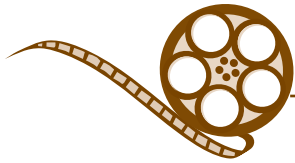
An apple for Clark Smith

Mason Armstrong

An apple for Roxanne Nantz

Jack Armstrong

Charlie Armstrong



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An apple for Dee Bryant

Jack Armstrong
Charlie Armstrong

An apple for Robin Deaton

Jack Armstrong
Callie Karmire
Jackson Brough

An apple for Linda Darkis

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Callie Karmire
Jackson Brough

An apple for Debbie Mishler

Her Class

An apple for Jennifer Carter

Cassie Walls

An apple for Mr. Deaton

Amanda Porter

An apple for Mrs. Gilmore

Gabriel Porter

An apple for Pat Weinsheimer

Zoe Wallace

An apple for Vanessa Freel

Natalie Noel

An apple for Julie Rowe

Luke Noel

An apple for Chris Catlin

Nick Noel

An apple for Jodi Gleason

Abbi Miller

An apple for Bethany Hamilton

Raegan Richardson

An apple for Andrea Nichols

Raegan Richardson

An apple for Rita Roberts

Raegan Richardson

An apple for Zoma Barrett

Stephanie Dustin

An apple for Emily Naugle

Hays Ferriell

An apple for Beth Bowsman

Hays Ferriell

An apple for Crystal Mikels

Reagan Wade-Swift

2011 Honorariums

In honor of 30 years of service of the Specialty Clinic at St. Vincent – Salem

Michael and Patricia Tate

In honor of Alice McGinnis on her birthday

Norman and Anne Terrell

In honor of Anne Terrell

John and Ginger Morris

In honor of Anthony Scifres

Gary and Sylvia Graves

In honor of Bruce and Linda

Grosvenor at Christmas

Chuck and Wendy Grosvenor

Norman and Anne Terrell

*"When life makes you have to put up with mean and hateful people, think of them as sandpaper. They may scratch you, rub you the wrong way, but eventually you end up smooth and polished...and the sandpaper...it's just gonna be worn out and ugly." - From **The Fighting Temptations***

death in 1986. Corky will always be remembered for his love of horses, which started at an early age. As a young boy, he taught his pony to untie the ribbons in the hair of his younger sister. Thus started his long relationship with horses that would last the rest of his life. For Corky, there is an old saying that holds especially true: "There is nothing better for the inside of a man than the outside of a horse." Corky's friends, 4-H co-leaders, and loved ones, by establishing this scholarship fund, will help future generations of Washington County residents understand the meaning of that old saying.

Stanley and Malvery Burns Food Bank Fund

When Stanley's church sold, he directed the proceeds from the sale to the Food Bank. The Food Bank, in turn, established this fund to commemorate Stanley and his late wife, Malvery.

Stevens Memorial Trust Fund

This trust was established in 1970 by Warda Stevens Stout when she financially assisted in building the Stevens Museum. This fund is to be used for capital improvements at the museum and can be added to by any contributor.

Sugar Creek Christian Church Fund

Roy and Mae Lee established this fund as a permanent endowment that others can add to as well. The income is to be used as the church body deems appropriate.

Todd and Beth Armstrong Youth Development Fund

Because of their passion for youth, Todd and Beth established this fund to support our youth and make our community a better place to raise children.

Tony and Jeanette Nolan Touch Tomorrow Fund

Tony and Jeanette ran a successful hardware store for many years in Salem. Upon the sale of their business, they wanted to give back to the community in which they operated their business for so many years. Their unrestricted gift funded this Touch Tomorrow Fund, which will be used at the Board of Directors discretion to improve the quality of life in Washington County for generations to come.

2004 Board of Directors Gift for Tomorrow Fund

This fund was established in 2004 by the Board of Directors. It is to remain an acorn fund for 100 years and, as future board members continue to add to it, this fund will grow into a very sizable fund by 2104, at which time it will be used for discretionary grants.

W. Frank Cole, Jr. and Joanne (Jo) Puckett Cole Scholarship Fund

Frank and Jo Cole established the fund to award scholarships to graduating county seniors that maintained a GPA of 3.0 – 4.0. Frank and Jo are both retired educators that understand the value of continuing education, so they established this fund to help future students for generations to come.

Wade-Swift Youth Development Fund

Lindsey and J.D. have been involved with the youth of our community for many years. They have decided to establish an endowed fund to support our youth long after they are gone.

Warren and Maxine Stewart Scholarship Fund

Maxine, and her two daughters, Tina Wesley and Cindy Harcourt, established this fund in memory of Warren upon his death in 2009. Warren was a Baptist minister for over 30 years, serving several churches throughout southern Indiana. Warren was a well-known singer and banjo player, therefore the scholarship fund established will benefit students pursuing a degree in theology or music.

Washington County Aquatics Fund

Richard and Marcia Grassmyer established this fund in 2007 to help the youth of Washington County advance their aquatic skills.

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"Our Lives are defined by moments, especially the ones we never see coming."

- From **The Next Three Days**

Washington County Community Foundation Touch Tomorrow Fund

This is the largest fund in the Foundation. The income from this account is used for grant making to non-profit organizations in Washington County either by application or by direction of the Board of Directors.

Washington County Family YMCA Fund

This fund was established by David and Carolyn Beck, David Brown, Bonnie Davis, Victor and Mary Dufour, Ernie and Dottie Gravatt, Jim and Judy Johnson, Jack and Carol Mahuron, Don Martin, Tom and Kim Scifres, and Bob and Carol Strange. The purpose is to provide grants for operational expenses of the YMCA.

Washington County Fund for Education

The purpose of this fund is to promote and strengthen education for individuals of all ages in Washington County.

Washington County Food Bank Fund

This fund was established by the J.P. "Bob" Gill trust to provide support to the Food Bank.

Washington County Historical & Pioneer Cemetery Fund

This fund was established in 2003 to provide support to the Washington County Historical and Pioneer Cemetery Association, a non-profit organization dedicated to the maintenance and historical preservation of local cemeteries. This fund currently supports Hiestand, Olive Branch, Norris, Peugh, and Wilson-Mead cemeteries.

Washington County Historical Society Depot Fund

Salem's role in the 1847 organization of the railroad that served much of the State of Indiana is commemorated at The Depot, the railroad museum at the John Hay Center. Memorabilia devoted to the New Albany & Salem Railroad and the Monon Railroad and a large HO scale model depicting the Monon through Washington County in the period 1957-1964 are main features of the museum. Funded with grants and donations, The Depot was constructed by students from Salem and Eastern High Schools who were members of the Building Trades Class at Prosser School of Technology, New Albany. During the two years of construction, 39 students were involved in the project. The Depot is owned by the Washington County Historical Society and is operated by volunteers. Operational expenses are covered by donations, admissions, gift shop income and rentals for meetings, receptions, etc. The WCHS Depot Fund was established to help cover operating and maintenance expenses. The fund was started with donations from Bob Boggs, Jack and Carol Mahuron, Cecil J. and Martha S. Smith, Roger L. and Sarah Ann Voyles and Robert and Clarice Morris.

Washington County Scholarship Fund

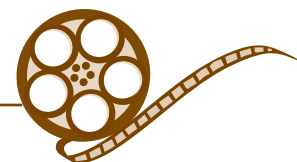
The WCCF Board of Directors established this fund to provide college scholarships to Washington County residents.

Washington County Veteran's Memorial Fund

Robert L. & Clarice Martin-Morris initiated this fund for the permanent maintenance of the Veteran's Memorial.

Whiskey Wilson Humane Society Fund

Whiskey Wilson was the beloved pet of Donovan and Jean Wilson. They adopted him from the Humane Society when he was around one and one half years old. Although Jean did not want an animal in the house, Whiskey very quickly changed her mind. His unconditional love and his character made him almost an instant part of their family. They took him everywhere with them, including Florida, Massachusetts and Montana. Donovan and Whiskey took daily walks up until Whiskey's death. Jean Wilson is one of the Foundation's founding board members. Her knowledge and understanding of the foundation led to the establishment of this fund. Upon Whiskey's death, the Wilsons decided to set up a memorial fund to honor Whiskey and to help the Humane Society



In honor of Burl and Carmelita Jean

Sid and Kathy Dye

In honor of Butch and Anne Terrell

Bruce and Linda Grosvenor

In honor of Carmelita Jean

Princess Prayer Warriors

In honor of Finis and Barbara Curry

James and Rhonda Smoak

In honor of George Richardson

on his birthday

Richard and Marcia Grassmyer

In honor of Phyllis West

on her birthday

Richard and Marcia Grassmyer

In honor of Larry Anders

at his retirement

Richard and Marcia Grassmyer

In honor of Rhonda Smith

Jon-David and Lindsey Wade-Swift

Wron and Nona Wade

In honor of Jenne Voyles

Jon-David and Lindsey Wade-Swift

In honor of John and

Ginger Morris at Christmas

Norman and Anne Terrell

In honor of Judy Johnson

David and Carolyn Beck

Bill Reister and Marjorie Morris

Norman and Anne Terrell

Sylvia Ferriell

In honor of Larry Nelson

Woman's Club

In honor of Margaret Gasaway

Saralee Shields

In honor of Morris and Joanne

Hudson on their 50th anniversary

Stanley Colglazier

Leonard and Carol Chastain

Julia Dyer

EE and Margaret Ann Martin

Harry and Miriam Baker

In honor of Nigel Smith

Barbara Spaulding

In honor of Paul Scifres

Tom and Kim Scifres

In honor of Rita Elliott

Wron and Nona Wade

In honor of Sara Shields

Morgan Jones and Adam Kahn

Saralee Shields

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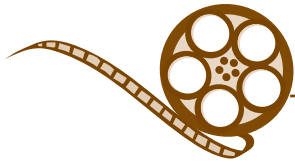
Ralph and Doris Fordyce

Chris and Julie Fordyce

In honor of Traci Cornwell

Stephanie Ferriell

Bill Reister and Marjorie Morris



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In honor of Linda Ralston

Bill Reister and Marjorie Morris

In honor of the 58th anniversary of

George and Janet Richardson

Richard and Marcia Grassmyer

In honor of Roba Boling on

her 85th birthday

Rita Elliott

In honor of Joyce Elliott on

her 85th birthday

Rita Elliott

In honor of David and Judi Howey

on their 40th anniversary

Rita Elliott

In honor of Andrew Naugle and

Corley Hughes

Rita Elliott

In honor of Saralee Shields

Margaret Gasaway

In honor of Cecil Smith

Hays Ferriell

In honor of Nancy Grossman

Stephanie Ferriell

Reasons to Give

Making charitable contributions is an art - a creative process that adapts to the changing needs and wishes of the donor. Planned giving enables a donor to arrange charitable contributions in a way that maximizes his or her personal objectives while minimizing the after-tax cost.

Depending on the asset given and the gift arrangement selected, a donor can generally expect to obtain some or all of the following benefits:

- Fulfill philanthropic goals
- Reduce income tax through a deduction for the gift
- Avoid capital-gain tax on gifts of long-term appreciated property
- Retain a stream of payments for life of the donor and for other beneficiaries
- Increase spendable income
- Eliminate federal estate tax on property passing to charity upon the donor's death
- Reduce costs and time in estate settlement
- Create a permanent legacy

"A gold medal is a wonderful thing. But if you're not enough without it, you'll never be enough with it." - From **Cool Runnings**

care for more animals like Whiskey, before he went to live with the Wilsons. Now anyone can donate to this fund in honor of their own pets.

William Clarence and Martha Branaman Fund

Both Martha and Clarence Branaman were natives of Washington County. Clarence was born in Jefferson Township, the son of W. Floyd Branaman and Alice Stewart Branaman. He was a 1920 graduate of Salem High School. He attended Purdue University in Lafayette, Indiana, and graduated with a degree in agriculture in 1924. In 1925, he became a teacher of agriculture and FFA sponsor at Salem High School. He was a pioneer in introducing scientific agriculture to Washington County, and he very successfully farmed a large acreage of land north, northeast, and west of Salem.

Martha Smith Branaman was born in Salem, Indiana in 1910. She was the daughter of Ford A. Smith and Florence Blanche Munkelt Smith. Her father was the founder of Smith Cabinet Manufacturing Company. Martha graduated from Salem High School in 1928. She met Clarence Branaman while at Salem High School, and they married in December 1928. They had two children - David Branaman (1932) of Louisville, KY and the former President of Salem Child Craft Industries, Inc. and Martha Ann Branaman Gran (1937) of Indianapolis, IN. During the 1990s, Martha Branaman contributed the proceeds of the Baynes and Lyons farms that she and Clarence had owned to both the Washington County Community Foundation and the Christian Church Foundation. By placing the two Branaman farms in a charitable remainder trust, Martha ensured a continuing source of funding for charitable interests that she was able to specify. Additionally, the charitable remainder trust provided a source of personal income for Martha until her death in August 1997.

William O. Martin Math Prize Fund

William O. Martin was born in 1904 in Pierce Township. William passed a test as a senior that allowed him to begin teaching grades one through eight following one summer at college. He later continued his education and received a master's degree from Indiana University in 1949. His favorite subject was mathematics. During his 47 years of teaching, he also served as principal and coach at East Washington High School. As a coach, he never had a losing season and he introduced the school motto, "All for one and one for all." This eventually led the school to adopt the Musketeer as the mascot and royal purple and bright gold as the school colors.

William married Elizabeth Hoyt ten years after graduating high school. One of his accomplishments after retirement was to develop a popular blend of apple cider. He also helped get electricity and more updated phone lines into the eastern part of the county. William was also involved with the East Washington Lions Club, the John Hay Society Sons of the American Revolution, his church and the building fund committee for the Washington County Memorial Hospital. William O. Martin's children established this fund to honor their father and reward an Eastern High graduating senior who has excelled in mathematics.

The Women's Fund

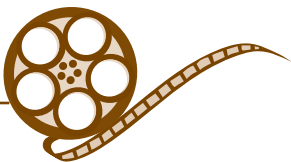
The purpose of this fund is to provide opportunities, encouragement, knowledge and hope to women and girls. The Women's Fund was established in 2007.

Wonder Valley Fund

The Wonder Valley Church Camp established this fund for the purpose of maintaining the camp and for future building purposes. The camp services several counties in our catchment area.

For complete biographies on our donors, please visit our website at www.wccf.biz

Community In Action



“Wait a minute, wait a minute. You ain’t heard nothin’ yet!” From **The Jazz Singer**

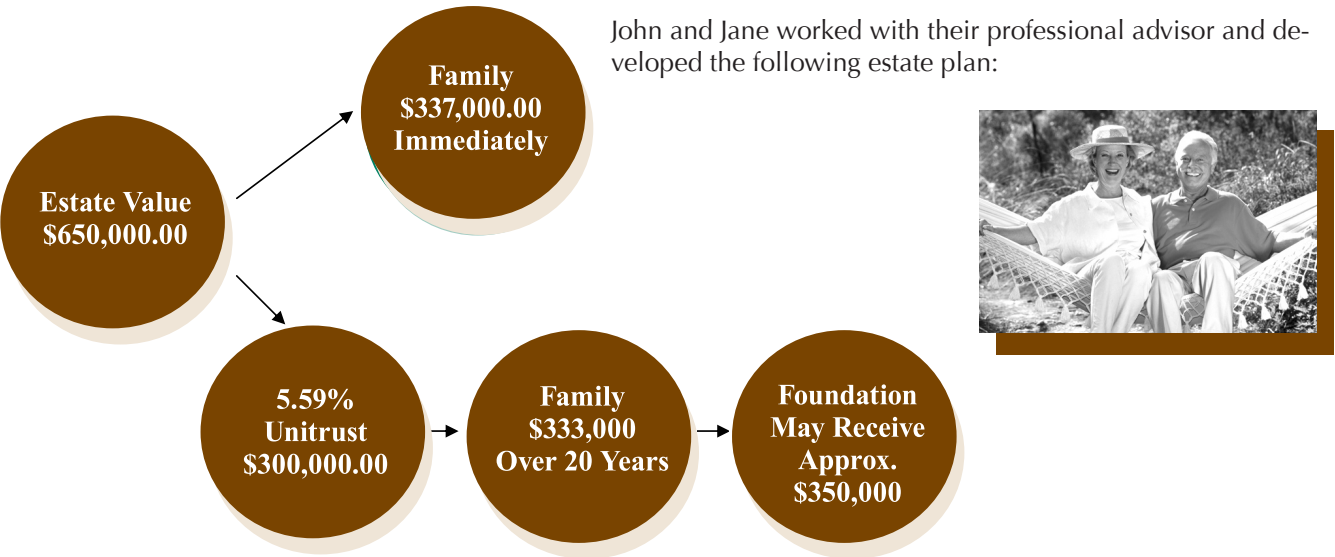
Have you ever heard of giving your money twice? Well, here is how to do it!

The Benefits of a Give it Twice Trust

If you are like many parents, you desire to give equally to your children with the belief that equality is more likely to lead to peace in the family. If you have multiple children, it is likely that some are more financially responsible than others. You could give a lump sum to each of your children, but are they ready for this responsibility? The benefit of a Give it Twice Trust is that you can transfer value to your children over a number of years through regularly scheduled payments. This plan allows you to treat your children equally by making them equal recipients of the trust income. Sometimes parents also give a lump sum gift to children in addition to the trust income. The benefit of the trust income paid out over a number of years is that your children have time to acquire the financial skills to save and invest their inheritance for the future.

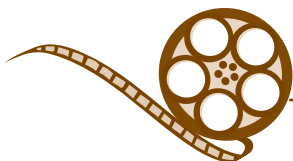
Here is how the Give It Twice Trust works. A typical estate plan will transfer a portion of the estate outright to children. Then an IRA or other assets are transferred to fund a term of years charitable remainder unitrust. Since the unitrust is tax-exempt, no income tax is paid when the IRA is distributed to the trust. The full IRA value is invested and pays income to your children for up to 20 years. At the end of this time, the trust remainder is distributed to charity.

One of the best benefits of creating a Give it Twice Trust is the valuable tax savings from creating this plan. Not only does your estate enjoy a charitable deduction at the time your trust is funded, but income tax is also avoided on the transfer of your IRA or other retirement plans to the unitrust, which is tax-exempt. Please contact us if you would like to see an illustration of the benefits of a Give it Twice Trust plan for you and your family.



John and Jane are ecstatic with this plan. Upon their death, they can make an immediate gift to their children, give to their children for the next twenty years, and create a family legacy by making the Washington County Community Foundation the trust beneficiary. They met with the Foundation staff and established a fund to support their church and, since they are dedicated to youth, a fund to support Youth First.

Note: Larger estates may also realize significant tax savings. Trust payouts and ending values can vary depending on the type of trust established, and current economic conditions. For large or complicated gifts please be sure to consult your professional advisor.



2011 Highlights

Statement of Financial Position Year Ended December 31, 2011

Assets

Current Assets

Cash and cash equivalents	\$132,864
Certificates of deposit.....	\$122,136
Investments	\$12,406,747
Other Current Assets.....	\$000
Total Current Assets	\$12,661,747

Property & Equipment

Property and equipment.....	\$595,496
Less accumulated depreciation and amortization	\$178,606
Net Property & Equipment	\$416,890

Other Assets

Cash Value of Life Insurance	\$14,002
Restricted Investments.....	\$2,842,777
Total Other Assets.....	\$2,856,779

TOTAL ASSETS..... \$15,935,416

Liabilities & Net Assets

Liabilities

Grants Payable.....	\$58,536
Annuities Payable.....	\$304,323
Contributions Held for Others	\$2,842,777
Total Liabilities	\$3,205,636

Net Assets

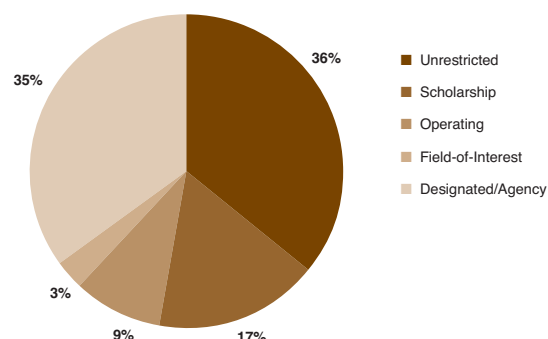
Unrestricted.....	\$12,622,786
Temporarily Restricted	\$34,479
Permanently Restricted.....	\$72,515
Total Net Assets	\$12,729,780

TOTAL LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS..... \$15,935,416

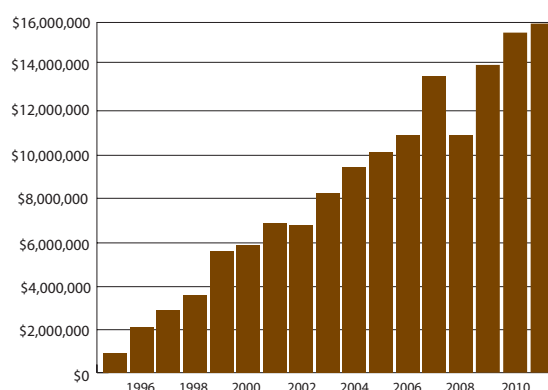
"Life moves pretty fast. If you don't stop and look around once in a while, you could miss it."

From **Ferris Bueller's Day Off**

Assets by Fund Category



Asset Growth



Audit, 900 and 990T (when appropriate) performed by Monroe Shine, Inc. These reports are available for review upon request at the Washington County Community Foundation office.

The staff of the WCCF has made every attempt to ensure the accuracy of this report. For any errors or omissions, we humbly apologize.