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ORANGE COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, INC.

Annual Report to the Public

Fiscal Year 2018-2019



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ORANGE COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, INC.
AND AFFILIATES
Statement of Activities and Changes
Year Ended September 30, 2019

NET ASSETS WITHOUT DONOR RESTRICTIONS	
Public Support	
Contributions and grants	\$ 909,477
Revenues	
Investment interest and dividends	\$ 531,463
Administrative fees	303,200
Rent	4,200
Other	142
In-kind	129
Loss on sale of assets	(3,187)
Realized and unrealized loss of investments	(178,253)
Net assets released from restrictions	<u>10,505</u>
Total revenues and public support without donor restrictions	<u>\$1,577,676</u>
Expenses	
Program	\$ 800,571
Management and general	237,205
Fundraising	<u>65,221</u>
Total expenses	\$1,102,997
Net change in assets w/o donor restrictions	<u>474,679</u>
NET ASSETS WITH DONOR RESTRICTIONS	
Contributions	\$ 85,203
Investment interest and dividends	42,409
Realized and unrealized loss on investments, net	(127,612)
Net assets released from restriction	<u>(10,505)</u>
Change in net assets with donor restrictions	<u>\$ (10,505)</u>
Change in net assets	464,174
Net assets of beginning of the year	<u>10,158,171</u>
Net assets at the end of the year	\$10,622,345

ORANGE COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, INC.
AND AFFILIATES
Statement of Financial Position
September 30, 2019

ASSETS	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 478,986
Investments—money market funds	209,270
Investments	10,121,496
Accounts receivable	10,751
Property and equipment (net of accumulated depreciation)	5,804
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Total assets	\$10,826,307
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	
Liabilities	
Accounts payable	\$ 5,730
Accrued expenses	8,357
Deferred revenue	<u>189,875</u>
Total liabilities	<u>\$ 203,962</u>
Net Assets	
Donor-advised funds	\$ 727,050
Donor-designated funds	4,080,327
Board-designated funds	5,002,944
Other	9,026
Net assets with donor restriction	<u>802,998</u>
Total liabilities and net assets	\$10,826,307

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From the President...

As I read the 2018-2019 theme "For the Love of Community," I began to focus on the meaning of the words. Dictionary definitions of love include phrases such as "an intense feeling of deep affection" and "an emotional attachment." The dictionary stated that a community is "a group of people sharing the same environment with shared beliefs, needs, interests, and fellowship with others."



These powerful words describe the best of Orange County and the citizens that live and work here. I also know that love is not stagnant, but grows and deepens with time. Many citizens, both young and old, are demonstrating their love of community through a variety of service endeavors to make this a better place. These initiatives address the present with goals for the future.

As our love of community grows, the Orange County Community Foundation, Inc. is growing. This year the foundation's payout from endowed funds was one of the largest ever. These dollars will have a direct and positive impact on individuals and service groups. A very special thank you goes out to our donors and patrons who have committed dollars, time, and energy to allow OCCF to fulfill the needs and interests of Orange County. There are many visions yet to be realized, but because of our love of community, all things are possible.

Jan VanEmon, President



From the Executive Director...

We love Orange County, and we feel as though we have proven that in a number of ways through the years that the Orange County Community Foundation, Inc. has been a presence here.

For instance, the Foundation has been striving for many decades now to fulfill our mission of helping build a better community. We have done so by working with our local non-profits, government agencies and bodies, philanthropic organizations, and local, regional, and state organizations dedicated to rural and economic development.

Over the past year alone, we have worked with the Indiana Office of Community and Rural Affairs (OCRA), the IU Center for Rural Engagement, Radius Indiana, the Regional Opportunity Initiative, Indiana Philanthropy Alliance, and more to bring the best and most up-to-date programs, projects, and ideas to Orange County.

But the Foundation's work never ends; and our love for this community continues, as well. Through the creation of endowed charitable funds and collaborations with willing and viable partners, we are ensuring that the Foundation's work to build a better place for everyone here will continue....

for good, forever, for Orange County.

Imojean Dedrick
Executive Director



County

Scholarship Funds

- Alan Barnett Community Service
- Alexander Art Award
- Anita Bradford Art Award
- Arminta Sue Magner Memorial
- Billy Drury Memorial
- Bradley, Henderson, Humphreys, and Puckett Families
- C.B. Stout Memorial
- Charles and Violet Galloway Memorial
- Cpl. John D. Cook Memorial
- Clarice White Bridgewater Memorial
- Delta Chapter Tri Kappa Honor of Elinor Gardner Jones
- Dogwood Pedal Century Ride
- Don and Dody Conrad Agriculture
- Donnie Kee III Memorial
- Donnie Martin Memorial
- Dr. E.T. Uyesugi Memorial
- Dr. Robert J. Cloud Memorial Citizenship Award
- Dr. Vic Combs Memorial
- French Lick High School Alumni
- George and Evelyn Sorrells Memorial
- Hoosier Hillside's Master Gardeners
- IU Health Paoli Hospital
- James A. Babcock Memorial
- James M. Thompson Memorial
- Janet and Leonard Vaught
- Jared Hammack Memorial
- Jesse F. Pease Memorial
- Joseph Crowder Memorial
- Justin Moon Memorial
- Justin Mullis Memorial
- Keith Howard Memorial
- Kelly Tow Memorial
- Kenneth and Madge Newlin Memorial
- Kerry Wyatt Memorial
- Leon and Eva Johnson Designated
- Leon D. Lewis and Mary Newlin Lewis Memorial
- Louis and Winnora Allen Memorial
- Mark Sisco Memorial
- Margaret Houston Memorial
- Mary Beth Cornwell Memorial
- Maud Anna Ham Memorial

- Maurice and Evelyn Tow Memorial
- Memories of Our Mothers (Mom Fund)
- Moore Family in Memory of Sandra Moore Pearson
- Neva Fleming Memorial
- Newlin-Stout
- Orange County Child Care Co-Op
- Orange County Community
- Orleans School Foundation Designated
- Paoli High School Alumni
- Paoli Meridian Lions Club
- Ray Gardner Memorial
- Rosetta Mae Atkinson Memorial
- Russell O. Doan Memorial
- Ruth Farlow Uyesugi Memorial
- Simmons Designated
- Smithville Charitable Foundation Non-Traditional
- Stephanie Babcock and Bailey Carty Memorial
- Sugarman Memorial
- Syria Christian Church Designated
- Terry Nofziger Memorial
- USS Chimaera Star Trek Club

Donor Advised Funds


- Clements Family
- Hollis Denbo Memorial
- James Farlow and Mabel Miller
- F. Wendell and Helen M. Gooch
- Luke and Donna Mosemann
- Paoli, Inc.
- Nice-Riester Family
- Smithville Charitable Foundation

Field of Interest Funds

- OCCF, Inc. Education/CAPE
- Orange County Child Care Co-Op

Supporting Organizations

- Sol Strauss Memorial
- Orange County Commissioners

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Funds for Orange

Matthew Ross

2019 Lilly Community
Scholarship Recipient



Designated Funds

Backpacks of Blessings
Chuck Akers Athletic Memorial
Dallas Tyler Memorial
David K. Ross
Delta Chapter Kappa Kappa Kappa
First Chance Center
First Presbyterian Church of Paoli
Fred and Ethel Crowe Education Award
French Lick-West Baden Museum
Friends of the Paoli Public Library
Friends of Tots to Tots
Good Samaritans
Hackney-Ferguson Fund
IU Health Paoli Hospital
Irvin and Melba Mefford Memorial
Kelly Tow Memorial
Martin Family
Melton Public Library
OCCF, Inc. Operating Endowment
Orange County 4-H Clubs Assn., Inc.
Orange County Chapter D.A.R.
Orange County Habitat for Humanity
Orange County Historical Society
Orange County Humane Society
Orange County Players
Orleans Christian Church
Orleans School Corporation
Orleans Public Library
Paoli Christian Church
Paoli Mennonite Fellowship Operations and Missions
Paoli School Corporation
Paoli Running Start
Saving Historic Orange County
Simmons Fund for Old Union Cemetery
Southern Indiana Community Health Care, Inc.
Springs Valley School Corporation
Springs Valley Education Foundation
Throop Elementary PTO
Virginia Combs Literacy
Wm. And Mid Hoke Memorial
William & Sylvia Kearby, Elwood & Alana Walters Memorial
Wonder Valley Christian Assembly

Non-Permanent Funds

Add and Mable Gray Designated
Backpacks of Blessings
Blackhawk Blessings
Bulldog Backpacks
Charlie's Angels
French Lick Artisans
French Lick-West Baden Museum
Friends of Paoli Public Library
Good Samaritans
Nofziger Family Unrestricted
OCCF, Inc. Operating
OCCF Youth Council
OCCF, Inc. Scholarships Pass-thru
Orange County Cancer Patient Services
Orange County Service Council
Orange County Spelling Bee
Orleans Running Start
P.H. Rynehart Memorial Scholarship
Paoli Park Playground (Playoli)
Paoli Running Start
Rick Magill Memorial Clothe-a-Child
Safe Haven Recovery
Springs Valley Adopt-a-Classroom
Springs Valley Community Christmas
Springs Valley Pet Services
Springs Valley Running Start
Throop Elementary Jubilee Christmas
Throop Elementary PTO
Throop Elementary Sixth Grades
Town of Paoli

Unrestricted Funds

Brown Family
Red and Versa Burke
William H. and Connie A. Jenkins
OCCF "Share the Love"
OCCF Youth Council
Don Simmons
Tegarden
Michael and Janalyn VanEmon

Outgoing President

At its annual dinner in December, 2019, the Foundation honored outgoing President of the Board of Directors, Linda Gerkin. Linda had served nine years on the board, seven of them as President. She leaves behind a legacy of excellence unsurpassed by any president before her. Thank you, Linda. Your service and commitment to the Foundation have been greatly appreciated.



Matthew Ross, son of Phil and Heather Ross of Orleans, was named 2019 Lilly Endowment Community Scholar. Matthew is attending Indiana University and studying Biology to prepare for a career in medicine. Ultimately, he hopes to remain in Indiana as a doctor of sports medicine.

"I am fascinated by the field. After completing my undergraduate degree, medical school, and residency, I will be equipped to combine my twin passions of running and molecular biology as I teach athletes how to overcome and prevent sports illnesses and injuries," Matthew stated in his application.

We congratulate Matthew on his stellar school performance and his many contributions to his community.

Past Philanthropists

Wendell Gooch
 Diane Dillard
 Joe Summers
 Margaret Houston
 Leon Johnson
 Marilyn Fenton
 Phil Mininger
 Carolyn Barnett
 Debbie Turner
 James A. Babcock
 John Aylsworth
 Martha Lambdin
 Loretta Drake
 John Noblitt
 John Maier
 Sarann Weeks
 Judy Boyer
 William Willis
 William Tegarden
 Jo Ellen Reynolds
 Andy and Mary LaVerne Boston



Jim White Named Philanthropist of the Year

Jim White, founder and administrator of the Mercy Center and Grace Haven, was named the 2019 Philanthropist of the Year. Along with his wife, Betty, and friends, Robert and Cindy Longest, Jim's efforts have fed the hungry, housed the homeless, and helped those whose lives have been ripped apart by addiction put the pieces back together.

Ever the quiet, modest one, Jim had little to say about the recognition he received; but he did note that he didn't accomplish these philanthropic feats alone...he gave credit to all who helped in the efforts.

Those who give selflessly to others in need are the epitome of charity, and Jim and Betty, Robert and Cindy exemplify the caring commitment to loving mankind through their work with Mercy Center, Grace Haven, and the inclusion of Safe Haven and its services in their ministry.



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EXECUTIVE
DIRECTOR



*Cathy
Hardin*
MANAGER OF
FINANCE AND
ADMINISTRATION



*Destany
Pingle*
PROGRAM
ASSOCIATE




*Carolyn
Clements*
ADMINISTRATIVE
ASSISTANT

OCCF Staff

With more than 30 years of combined experience with the Foundation, the Orange County Community Foundation, Inc. staff continues to learn, update, and grow in the knowledge and skills required to serve the county's donors to the fullest extent.

During the 2018-2019 fiscal year, the staff of your community foundation attended meetings, seminars, webinars, summits, and collaborations to better build our local community. Here's a sampling of how we continued to grow during the year...

- Kids Count Conference
- Program Roundtables
- Southwest Indiana Regional Executive Directors meetings
- Indiana Philanthropy Alliance Regional Forum
- Digital Marketing/Social Media conference
- Long-range planning retreat
- Indiana Rural Health Conference
- Indiana Office of Community and Rural Affairs Regional Forum
- Web Security seminar
- Midwest Regional Placemaking Conference
- Regional Main Street Summit

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OCCF Board of Directors

At the beginning of the fiscal year, the Foundation welcomed two new members, Doug Finney and Marshall Noble. They filled the seats vacated by the ending terms of Peter Grigsby, a former Vice-President, and Don Brewer.

At the end of the 2018-2019 fiscal year, three long-term members of the Board of Directors fulfilled their nine years of service. They were Linda Gerkin, who had served as President; Brett Busick, who had served as both Vice-President and Treasurer; and Larry Hollan, who had served as Secretary.

At the same time, two members, Nikki Deckard and Karen Brosmer, ended their terms early due to family and business obligations.

While the passing from old members to new means losing the leadership and talents of former members, it also means the welcoming of fresh ideas and new talents and leadership abilities. As of October 1, 2019 we were happy to bring on board C.J. Fleenor, Mary Jo McClintic, Katlin Phillips, and Heather Ross.



Janalyn VanEmon
PRESIDENT



Miles Flynn
VICE-PRESIDENT



Shane Buffington
TREASURER



Marsha Tellstrom



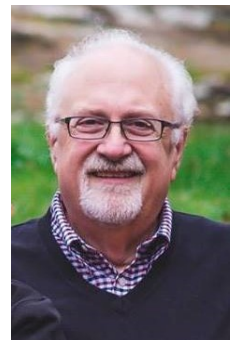
Sandy Blanton



Billy Chastain



C.J. Fleenor



Doug Finney



Susan Gilmore



Mary Jo McClintic



"Mac" McCullough



Marshall Noble



Katlin Phillips



Heather Ross



Past Emerging Philanthropists

- Stori Sullivan
- Christi Morgan
- April Kneieriem
- Holly Vincent
- Nikki Deckard
- Jordan Eickelberger
- Justin Winger
- Miles Flynn
- Jennifer Hill
- Delilah McAdams
- Katlin Phillips



Lauren Rutherford — Emerging Philanthropist of the Year

The youngest to ever hold the title, Lauren Rutherford was named Philanthropist of the Year for 2019.

Cited among her many philanthropic accomplishments was the fact that Lauren was instrumental in creation of the PHS Care Club, a group of Paoli High School students dedicated to raising funds to help those in need. Under Lauren's guidance, the club has grown to more than 40 members. She has directed the group's fund-raising activities, led in their philanthropic programs, and ensured the organization's continued operation and success following her graduation in May of 2020.

It's heart-warming to see someone so young—still a high school student—take such an active role in helping others who cannot help themselves. We applaud Lauren's efforts, and hope that her recognition will encourage other young people to seek ways in which they can give back to their community.

Our Six Pillars

COMMUNITY WELLNESS—With this pillar such an important source of community stability, the Foundation is working with a number of partners toward the soundness of mind and body among the people of Orange County. Orange County Thrive, Southern Indiana Community Health Care, local school systems, the Rojahn House, Grace Haven, and more are working tirelessly toward the same goal of health and wellness for our local residents.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT—Orange County is in need of both jobs and skilled workers, and it takes a huge effort among a number of organizations to help address these needs. Through our support of the Orange County Economic Development Partnership and our collaboration with Indiana Work One, Radius Indiana, South Central Indiana Economic Development, Regional Opportunity Initiative and more, the Foundation is helping to bring back the economic stability that Orange County enjoyed in years past...but with a newer, fresher approach.

EDUCATION—With the availability of scholarships already in place, it's time to seek out ways to help our young people who do not plan to attend college with their career planning. Working with local schools, the Foundation is hopeful of providing job fairs highlighting skilled labor and technology opportunities, apprenticeships and learning programs available outside of a traditional college education. This pillars helps us ensure that all our young people can find a career path that's right for them, as well as provide our community with much-needed tradesmen and craftsmen.

From the Sol Strauss Supporting Organization
Paoli Blessings Box
Psi Iota Xi Sorority (RIF)
Throop Elementary Thrive Program
Orange County CASA
Paoli Youth Diamond Sports

*From the Don Simmons Unrestricted Fund
and the Tegarden Unrestricted Fund*
Bulldog Regiment
Orleans Schools Art Department
Orange County CASA
OHS Academic Teams
Orleans Public Library
Orleans Running Start
Orleans School Nurse

From Program Grants
Paoli High School Agriculture Department
Hand Up Orange County
Throop Elementary School Nurse

*From the Orange County
Commissioners Supporting Organization*
Orleans Community School Corporation
Paoli Community School Corporation
Springs Valley Community School Corporation

*From the Dr. Luke and Mrs. Donna Mosemann
Donor-Advised Fund*
Orange County Habitat for Humanity
Paoli Food Pantry
Orange County Players

From the Nice-Riester Family Donor-Advised Fund
Orange County Habitat for Humanity

*From the James Farlow and Mabel Miller Donor-
Advised Fund*
Paoli Public Library

From the Orange County Women's Giving Circle
Orange County Thrive
Southern Indiana Community Health Care

From the F. Wendell and Helen Gooch Fund
Orange Co. Community Foundation, Inc.
Orange Co. Habitat for Humanity

Designated Distributions from Funds
Town of Orleans
Saving Historic Orange County
Springs Valley Education Foundation
First Chance Center
Friends of Tots to Tots
Orange County 4-H Clubs Association
Orange County Historical Society
Orange County Humane Society
Orange County Players
Wonder Valley Christian Assembly
Orange County Chapter D.A.R.
Orange County Habitat for Humanity
Delta Chapter Kappa Kappa Kappa
Orleans Public Library
Paoli 1st Presbyterian Church
Paoli School Corporation
Southern Indiana Community Health Care, Inc.
Springs Valley School Corporation
Paoli Mennonite Fellowship
Spring Mill Bible Camp
Orleans Community Schools
IU Health Paoli Hospital
Springs Valley Elementary School
Orleans Elementary School Nurse
Old Union United Methodist Church
Paoli Community Cemetery
Mt. Pleasant Cemetery
Stampers Creek Cemetery
Orleans School Foundation

2019 Grant Distributions

The Foundation has two basic purposes...to manage charitable funds and to provide grants to charitable organizations via those funds.

To fulfill the second purpose, the Foundation provides a payout each year from the charitable funds it holds. Those payouts go to designated charities, donor-requested charities, and to non-profits selected by our Grants Committee and approved by our Board of Directors.

In 2019, we granted more than \$264,000 from our managed funds and from program grants provided to us by Smithville Charitable Foundation, Lilly Endowment, Inc., and others.

From the OCCF "Share the Love" Unrestricted Fund

- Paoli Food Pantry
- Black Vulture Arts Center
- Let Music Speak
- Orange County Service Council
- Bulldog Booster Club
- Gateway Ministries
- Safe Haven Recovery Center
- French Lick-West Baden Museum
- Healing Arts Center
- Springs Valley Pet Services
- Orange County Sheriff's Department

From the Orange County Child Care Co-Op Fund

- Goody B Teen Center
- Goody B's Blessings Box
- Backpacks of Blessings
- Blackhawk Blessings

From the OCCF Education/CAPE Fund


- First Chance Center
- Purdue Extension Service
- Paoli High School SADD
- Hand Up Orange County
- Paoli/Springs Valley HS Essentials Project
- Goody B Teen Center

From the Add and Mabel Gray Punkin Center Fund

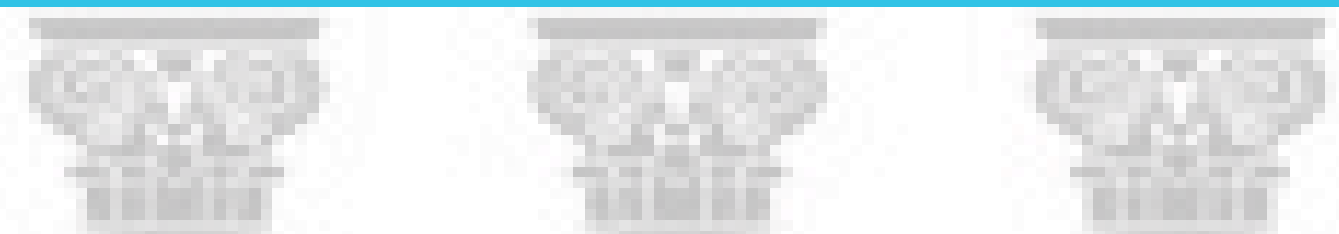
- Paoli High School Arts Department
- Orange Co. Community Foundation, Inc.
- Orange County Spelling Bee

From the OCCF Youth Council Endowment

- Backpacks of Blessings
- Black Vulture Arts Center
- Blackhawk Blessings
- First Chance Center
- Miss Orange County
- Paoli High School Arts Department

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...of Community Development



FARM TO TABLE—What better way to address the need for healthy, nutritious food for Orange County's people than by building on our own agricultural legacy. Through efforts with Lost River Market and Deli and Orange County HomeGrown, fellow non-profits, the Foundation is working to find ways to extend nutritious, locally-grown produce and meats to schools, restaurants, senior citizens, and children, as well as make these items available to the general public through market distribution. Prescription boxes, meal boxes, a community kitchen...the possibilities are endless.

LEADERSHIP—Tomorrow's leaders come from today's young people, and the Foundation is working to educate, inspire, and acclimate our local young people in the ways of modern leadership. Through the Orange County Service Council's leadership Orange County program, the OCCF Youth Council, and upcoming leadership training opportunities, we will be offering local residents the chance to hone their leadership skills and to take part in leading the way for a better community.

PLACEMAKING—Every community has its own identity and can offer its own brand of "place" to residents and visitors. After all, a happy place is a place more appreciated by its citizens and visitors alike. Through our placemaking pillar, the Foundation will help local communities with limited funding to express their full personality in attracting visitors and providing residents with fun, happy, and safe places to enjoy.

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OCCF Youth Council



The Orange County Community Foundation Youth Council had quite an eventful and productive year.

They started off the year by making the decision to completely re-write the curriculum for the 4th Grade Education Series. Brand new lessons, as well as activities, were put together for a three-part series on Time, Talent and Treasure. For the service project, Youth Council members challenged the 4th grade classrooms to create Birthday Boxes for donation to the local food pantries. Each box holds everything a parent would need to provide a birthday party for their child. Youth Council members also curated several boxes as examples.

Members of Youth Council served at both Judge Blanton's annual Basketball Dinners and the Golden Deeds Awards.

Monthly donations from Youth Council benefitted several local groups and charities – including Mercy Center, Toys for Tots, LIFE Family Resource Center, Humane Society and Running Start, just to name a few. They also spearheaded a hat and gloves drive for local elementary schools and collected socks for Goody B's Socktober event.

One of the Youth Council's favorite activities is National Philanthropy presentations to the county's 7th graders. These presentations were created by Youth Council members to share with the 7th graders facts about philanthropy and the Youth Council, and was created as a recruitment tool for future Youth Council members.

After a successful letter campaign fundraiser and awarding grants to local non-profits, Youth Council members traveled to Derby Dinner Playhouse for their summer outing. They gathered together for one final time to watch Shrek the Musical.

This year's group was the largest ever, with over 45 members serving Orange County, teaching and learning about philanthropy, and having fun together. All three schools are represented by members of the Youth Council, and they are a fine example of what can be accomplished when everyone decides to work together.

OU Health Paoli Hospital

Madison Jones

James A. Babcock Memorial

Rachel Umpleby

James M. Thompson Memorial

Victoria Albertson

Jared Hammack Memorial

Sydnee Moon

Joseph W. Crowder Memorial

Reed Tarr

Jackson Land

Kiara Wheat

Sara McClelland

Caitlyn Reynolds

Justin Moon Memorial

Timothy Burton

Justin Mullis Memorial

Jailynne Radcliff

Keith Howard Memorial

Cole Cooper

Kelly Jow Memorial

Amber Kendall

Kenny and Madge Newlin Memorial

Javen Brock

Audrey Elrod

Kerry Wyatt Memorial

Jacob McDonald

Chloe Elliott

Leon and Mary Newlin Lewis Memorial

Jace Ingle

Leonard and Janet Vaught

Hunter Morgan

Louis D. and Winnora G. Allen Memorial

Rachel Umpleby, Emma Osborn

Mark Sisco Memorial

Sydnee Moon

Mary Beth Cornwell Memorial

Emily Leone

Maud Anna Ham Memorial

Chloe Elliott

Maurice and Evelyn Jow Memorial

Jacob McDonald

Memories of Our Mothers (Mom Fund)

Eric Ming Wang

Moore Family in Memory of Sandra Moore Pearson

Maggie McGowen

Neva Fleming Memorial

Sara Kesterson

Orange Co. Child Care Co-Operative

Elizabeth Busick

Paoli High School Alumni

Tyler Griffith

Paoli Meridian Lions Club

Eric Ming Wang

Rosetta Mae Atkinson

Brooklyn Pittman

Russell O. Doan Memorial

Emily Leone

Ruth Farlow Uyesugi Memorial

Sara Kesterson

Sugarman Memorial

Alicia Pimpton

Terry L. Nofziger Memorial

Victoria Albertson

NON-TRADITIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS

Smithville Charitable Foundation

Jaylin Busick

Melissa Gilbert

Margaret Houston Memorial

Callie Mathers

2019
Community
Scholarships
Awarded

The establishment of scholarship funds has supported the educational aspirations of countless Orange County students through the years.

In 2019 alone, more than \$36,000 was awarded to graduating seniors and non-traditional students to assist them in the pursuit of college degrees and extended learning.

Anita Bradford Memorial Art Award

Breanna Ward

Arminta Sue Wagner Memorial

Ashton Minton

Billy Drury Memorial

Reed Tarr

C.B. Stout Memorial

Sierra Rodewig

Clarice White Bridgewater Memorial

Brooklyn Pittman

Cpl. John D. Cook Memorial

Michael Hall

Delta Chapter Kappa Kappa Kappa in Honor of Elinor Gardner Jones

Breanna Ward

Dogwood Pedal Century Ride

Joni Blackburn

Natalie Crowder

Evan Swayer

Don and Dody Conrad Agriculture

Jacob McDonald

Donnie Kee III Memorial

Madison Street

Donnie Martin Memorial

Maggie McGowen

Dr. E.J. Uyesugi Memorial

Emma Osborn

Dr. Vic Combs Memorial

Nick Douthitt

Trench Lick High School Alumni

Hailey Goldman

George and Evelyn Sorrells Memorial

Elizabeth Busick

Hoosier Hillsides Master Gardeners

Jacob McDonald

Golden Deeds



Each year, the OCCF Youth Council recognizes local individuals who have exhibited the spirit of philanthropy through their generous deeds and activities.

To honor these gracious individuals, the Youth Council hosts a special event each year, planned and financed through their own efforts. At the "Golden Deeds" event, they recognize each of the year's recipients with a biography, a trophy, and a huge "thank you" from each and every Youth Council member.

Recognition of these local philanthropists teaches Youth Council members the value of caring, giving individuals; and the recipients inspire others through their selfless contributions of time and talent to serve their fellow man.

2019 Golden Deeds Recipients

- Gary McClintic
- Kara Schmidt
- Dr. Kara Pickens
- Joni Lawyer
- Rob Lee
- Kristina Hole
- Bill and Gayle Laughlin
- Mary Magner

Originally created to assist local women facing breast cancer, in 2019 the Orange County Women's Giving Circle broadened its focus to include all women's health issues and the well-being of Orange County's children.

In collaborations with Southern Indiana Community Health Care and Orange County Thrive, the Giving Circle assisted in providing mammograms, bone density scans, and other diagnostic tests for area women. With the advent of Orange County's Thrive program, the ladies of the Giving Circle stepped up to assist that program, as well.

Thrive assesses children in the county's school systems to ascertain the level of adverse childhood experiences (ACE) each one suffers from. Consideration of an ACE score determines whether or not the child is subject to a number of mental and physical issues in later life, and assessment of ACE can assist both professionals and parents in helping the child overcome the negative experiences over which they have no control.

The Giving Circle supported Thrive's efforts through grants to Southern Indiana Health Care for the Orange County Thrive strategic planning of its program and implementation throughout Orange County, as well as funding toward the training and certification of a mindfulness professional in the schools.




Women helping others . . .

The Orange County Women's Giving Circle has, since 2011, worked toward raising funds to support the health and well-being of both women and children throughout Orange County.

For many years, the group provided free mammograms to local ladies who were uninsured or underinsured, and expanded that support to bone density and secondary breast exams.

The group has provided support to clinics offering health care to individuals with little or no insurance coverage, and provided the supplies and materials necessary to offer those services.

A healthy community is a happy and thriving community. Through its fund-raising efforts, the Orange County Women's Giving Circle — women and mothers themselves — works toward supporting and promoting wellness among the women and children of Orange County to help the Foundation build a better community and a better tomorrow for our children.

For the  **LOVE** *of* COMMUNITY

We are grateful to the partners we work with toward building a better community . . .

Indiana Office of Community and Rural Affairs

Indiana Philanthropy Alliance

IU Center for Rural Engagement

IU Health Paoli Hospital

Lilly Endowment, Inc.

Local non-profit organizations

Lost River Market and Deli

Orleans School Corporation

Orange County Economic Development Partnership

Orange County Health Coalition

Orange County HomeGrown

Orange County Service Council

Paoli School Corporation

Radius Indiana

Smithville Charitable Foundation

Springs Valley School Corporation

And all the good people of
ORANGE COUNTY

We are so pleased to welcome local programs to our charitable family.

These programs provide services to Orange County under the charitable designation of the Orange County Community Foundation, Inc., and the Foundation serves as financial administrator for each of them.

- Backpacks of Blessings
- Blackhawk Blessings
- Bulldog Backpacks
- Charlie's Angels
- Good Samaritans
- Orange County Cancer Patient Services
- Orange County Service Council
- Orange County Spelling Bee
- Paoli Park Playground (Playoli)
- Running Start—Throop
- Running Start—Orleans
- Running Start—Springs Valley
- Springs Valley Community Christmas

In addition, we have been granted program funds for the following programs:

- Community Development/Placemaking
- Continuing Education
- Economic Development
- Keep Orange County Beautiful
- OC Community Wellness
- OC Leadership and Youth Leadership