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Community Foundation Awards Grants To Charitable Groups

The Washington County Community Foundation (WCCF) recently awarded \$15,300 to local charitable groups from its permanent field of interest and discretionary funds as follows:

Abernathy Fund for Conservation –

- ❖ \$1,000 to Revitalization Main Street Hickory for landscaping expense
- ❖ \$1,000 to Washington County Watershed Alliance for a walking trail along the wetlands area of Canonsburg Lake.
- ❖ \$1,000 to Washington & Jefferson College to purchase equipment for the long-term ecological monitoring of the Abernathy Baumplatz (field station)

Acorn Fund - \$1,000 to the First United Methodist Church of Canonsburg to help install an ADA compliant bathroom

John & Barbara Campbell Fund - \$1,000 to AMI for purchase of educational materials for its Certified Peer Specialist Program

Canonsburg Community Fund - \$200 to the Washington County Community Center in Canonsburg to purchase table games and other recreational equipment for the after school program

John R. Duskey Fund – \$500 to the Brownson House for equipment for the Girls' Volleyball program

Ben Franklin Fund - \$700 to the Washington Symphony Orchestra for a guest artist and publicity for the May 2008 concert

Roy R. Gillespie Fund - \$1,000 to the Arc Human Services for financially needy families to participate in its Club Arc Activity Program

Judge David L. Gilmore Fund - \$150 to the Crossing the Jordan Christian Health Center to purchase informational brochures

McBride-McMaster Fund - \$250 to the First Presbyterian Church of Washington to purchase supplies for its prayer shawl ministry program

Dr. William & Nora McMahon Fund - \$150 to Bentleyville Public Library to help create a Story-Time Corner for area children

Joseph A. Perkins Fund - \$200 to the Tri-State Foundation for Safety & Education for helmets for a bicycle derby being held in Burgettstown in partnership with the Burgettstown Fire Department

Dr. Wilson B. & Merne E. Pizzi Fund - \$150 to the Canonsburg General Hospital for its Project Healthy Children Program, in partnership with area schools

Community Endowment for Peters Township -

- ❖ \$2,000 to the Washington County Literacy Council for its English as a Second Language Program in Peters Township
- ❖ \$1,500 to the Peters Township Police Department for the DARE / Model Railroad Project
- ❖ \$1,500 to the Peters Creek Historical Society for work on the historic Enoch Wright House

Judge Samuel L. Rodgers Fund - \$500 to Southwestern PA Human Services - Connect for its After-School Book Club

Friends of Frank Tracanna Fund - \$200 to the Nazareth Baptist Church for its After-School Program

Juliana J. Uram Fund - \$1,000 to the Greater Washington County Food Bank for operating support

Washington County Endowment for the Arts & Humanities - \$300 to Little Lake Theatre for transportation expense

The WCCF follows a quarterly grant-making cycle and has cumulatively awarded more than \$1 million since 1996. For additional information, please visit the Foundation's website at www.wccf.net.

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