2024-25 Annual Report





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Never forget the difference you make. Your contributions continue to have a significant impact on our community. Distributing over \$1 million in grants yet again this year is a testament to the generosity of our donors and the effective work of the Foundation.

These grants have supported education, food security, healthy families, arts and culture, parks and recreation, local agriculture, and more. The Tiffin Community Foundation truly serves as a vital bridge between generous donors and the critical needs of Tiffin and Seneca County.

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Andy Stephey Chairman



Featured on the cover: Donors and members of Operation Hallmark join Mayor Wilkinson and Park Director Bryce Kuhn, to announce the Sutton Bank Ice Skating Rink to be built in Oakly Park, Tiffin, Ohio.



YAC Members pictured above from left: Blake Coleman, Braden Drosky, Macy Schubach, Mackenzie Fortney, Isabel Stockmaster, Sydney Brickner, Olivia Rotella, Miley Helmstetter, Grace Blonde, Liam Pursell, Jack Colatruglio, Mitch Stephey.

RECIPIENTS OF 2024 YAC GRANTS

YAC students awarded their biggest grant ever this year to Heavenly Pizza NP, Inc to purchase outdoor games for their new park. The following grants were made possible by The White Family Fund of The Tiffin Community Foundation. Total granted was \$10,000.

- · Heavenly Pizza NP, Inc
- Seneca County Common Ground
- Seneca County Youth Center
- Tiffin Women In Action-Kids Korner
- Tiffin YMCA

THANK YOU

Thank you to everyone who shared organizational missions with us this year:

- Heavenly Pizza NP
- Tiffin Community Kitchen
- Tiffin Seneca Economic Partnership

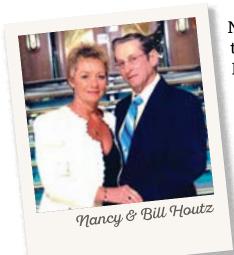
Special thanks to Danny Perry and the Tiffin Pedal Company for the ride!



The mission of the Youth Advisory
Council of The Tiffin Community
Foundation is to become educated
about community needs and
how we can help meet them
by observing local non-profit
organizations and taking part in
the grant-making process.



NEW FUNDS



Nancy Houtz recently opened two funds with the Foundation to help her meet her charitable giving goals. Nancy and Bill Houtz were very committed to education and especially career training. Nancy served on the Board of Vanguard Sentinel at the time the new building was built in Tiffin. Her husband Bill was a Boy Scout leader and served many years on the Sandusky County School Board. Many of their children and grandchildren attended the Vanguard-Sentinel Career Center.

THE HOUTZ FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP FUND will

provide scholarships for seniors at Sentinel and Lakota High School, a Florian Coleman Boy Scout Scholarship to Seneca County Boy Scouts, and support children's retreats at Grace

Grant Kneeskern

Community Church in Tiffin. Nancy is passionate about supporting children's church camp retreats, as that is where she herself became a Christian. The Houtz Family has established this scholarship fund to further their legacy of leadership and passion for children's education.

THE HOUTZ FAMILY CHARITABLE FUND will support qualified charitable or educational organizations, especially The Ritz Theatre, the YMCA in Tiffin, the Tiffin-Seneca Public Library, the Allen-Eiry Senior Center of Tiffin, Ohio, and Samaritan's Purse.

THE GRANT KNEESKERN AGRICULTURAL

of Grant Kneeskern who discovered his passion for farming while growing up in Seneca County. Grant worked at National Machinery for more than 20 years and eventually turned his love for farming into his life-long career. He was a proud farmer, loving husband, father, and grandpa who was always happy to have his grandkids riding with him in the combine. Grant graduated from Tiffin Columbian High School in 1979 and was an avid reader and lifelong learner. Beginning in 2026, scholarships in the amount of \$1000 will be awarded annually to Seneca County or Oak Harbor high school seniors who are currently enrolled in Agricultural studies and are pursuing a post-secondary degree in a program of further Agricultural study.



Steve Jozwiak and Maria Anderson have created the **JOZWIAK-ANDERSON FUND** to honor their passion for the care and rescue of domestic animals. Steve and Maria stand in front of a photo of Ramen, a recent addition to their home. This fund will provide annual grants to the Humane Society of Seneca County in Tiffin, Ohio and the Best Friends Animal Society of Kanab, Utah.

THE TIFFIN-SENECA CHILD

CARE FUND has been established in



2025 to support the future needs of Tiffin-Seneca Child Care Center (TSCCC). Their mission is to help each child enjoy and be enriched by the care given in a safe atmosphere that develops

each child's social, physical, emotional and educational growth. TSCCC has been a licensed day care center by the State of Ohio for over 40 years.

THE HOPEWELL-LOUDON ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP FUND

has been established in 2025 by very generous and committed graduates of Hopewell-Loudon High School. This fund will provide annual scholarships to graduating seniors, or seniors of

Hopewell-Loudon High School, who have worked to the best of their ability to demonstrate excellence in the tradition of Hopewell-Loudon Alumni.

THE JAMIE LININGER MEMORIAL FUND

of Tiffin Community
Foundation was
created by his family
in 2025 to honor the
memory of Jamie
Lininger who was
at his best as a
coach and family



man, deeply committed to his family, his community, and his passions. For 26 years, Jamie was a dedicated teacher at New Riegel Schools, where he wore many hats. He was especially renowned as the head softball coach for 17 seasons, leading his teams to an impressive 331-133 record, three State Semifinal appearances, and ensuring every player made it to at least one Regional Tournament. Jamie will be remembered for his unwavering dedication to those he loved, and his profound influence as a mentor and coach who shaped the lives of countless students and athletes. This fund will provide annual scholarships to all graduating seniors who have been 4-year participants in softball at New Riegel High School.

List of Funds & 2024 Contributions and Dedications

Sincere thanks to our many donors for their extraordinary generosity and commitment to Tiffin and Seneca County. Tiffin Community Foundation received more than \$1.3 million in 2024 contributions.

194 Riverside Drive Fund (2002)

The address of the late Kuebler sisters' home, which was given to The Tiffin-Seneca Library Foundation. A percentage of the fund value is distributed annually to support The Tiffin-Seneca Library Foundation and St. Joseph Catholic Church, Tiffin.

Access to Recreation (A2R) Endowment

Fund (2009) Endowment to provide ongoing support for accessibility projects in a manner consistent with the Access to Recreation grant guidelines.

G. Sue Allbaugh Scholarship Fund (2017)

Annual scholarships awarded to collegebound seniors of Columbian High School who are pursuing a four-year degree.

Sue Allbaugh

Allen Eiry Center, Tiffin Fund (2017)

Endowment to assist this agency and fulfill its general public goals.

Allen Eiry of Tiffin

Deborah Kisabeth

Catholic Schools.

Charles & Jodie Reinbolt - In Memory of Marilyn Kisabeth

Gary C. and Jeanne M. Anderson Memorial Fund (2020) *Grants from this donor advised fund will support the charitable interests of the Anderson*

family in Tiffin and Seneca County.

Paul J. and Florence S. Arbogast Tuition
Assistance Fund (2014) To provide for
tuition needs of students at Calvert

Urban & Dorothy Arbogast Memorial Scholarship Fund (2023) Annual

scholarships to Seneca East students.

Pauline Fey

Virginia Robinson

Marcia Tuzzolini - In Memory of Charlie Schank

Angela Roush - In Honor of Virginia Robinson's 75th Birthday and Susi Robinson's Birthday

Charles R. Ardner Memorial Scholarship

Fund (2011) Annually provides funds to Calvert Catholic Schools to support The Bishop's Cross Scholarship awards.

Robert & Lucy Witt

Charles & Vanessa Ardner

Theresa & Tom Sullivan

Charles & Linda Ardner - In Memory of Steven Kraft

Thomas & Edith Bosler - In Memory of Steven Kraft

Bob Ames Memorial Scholarship Fund

(2015) Annual Scholarship awarded to a college-bound senior of the Tiffin Columbian boys' basketball team.

Bascom Communications Scholarship

Fund (2019) Provides scholarships to Seneca County students with a preference for students pursuing a degree in Information Technologies

Betty Jane Memorial Fund (2008)

Supports area charitable organizations that assist and promote physical, mental, social and vocational rehabilitation.

Carl & Bonnie Miller

Thomas R. Borer Scholarship Fund

(2020) Established in memory of Thomas R. Borer to award scholarships to New Riegel High School seniors pursuing post-secondary education.

Jeanette & Duane Nye - In Memory of Jerry Borer

Robert L. Brickner Memorial

Scholarship Fund (2021) Established in memory of Robert L. Brickner to award scholarships to New Riegel High School seniors pursuing a post-secondary education.

Mike Kelbley

Mary Ellen Brickner - In Memory of Don Weinandy, Evelyn Bouillon, Bill Reinhart, Kathleen Faeth, and Robert Brickner at Christmas

William & Delores Reinhart - In Memory of Bill Reinhart

Charles & Jodie Reinbolt - In Memory of Friar Mark Weaver & Kathleen Faeth

Stephen Brodman Memorial Scholarship

Fund (2008) Annual tuition scholarships awarded to students of Calvert Catholic Schools.

D. Murray Carley Fund (2020)

Established in memory of D. Murray Carley to provide grants and scholarships for the education of athletic trainers of primary, secondary, undergraduate, graduate, and professional levels.

Mark & Amy Somodi PT Rehabilitation, Inc Larry & Jeanne Adelsperger

The Carmie Fund (1989) Established in memory of Carmella Fabrizio to grant scholarships to "Carmie Scholars" graduating from Calvert Elementary School who will be attending Tiffin Calvert High School.

Larry & Jeanne Adelsperger

Clouse Construction Scholarship Fund

(2021) Awarded to Seneca County high school seniors.

Clouse Construction Corp Charles & Jodie Reinbolt - In Honor of Kenny Clouse

NOAH (Community Christmas Dinner)

Fund (2008) Provides funds for an annual Community Christmas Dinner as well as other community meals.

Klepper Family Fund Joyce Harrison James Hoyda Ron & Sharon Lucas Patricia Snay Carl & Bonnie Miller

Teresa Durst - In Honor of Steve & Alicia Shuff

Susan Michaels - In Memory of Joan Smith

Steve & Alicia Shuff - In Honor of Theresa Durst

In Memory of Doug Ducsay
Jonathan Ducsay
Terryl & Sarah Beck
Carla Gallagher
Andrew & Teresa Miller
Rebecca Schmidt
Daniel Mathias
Kelly Smith
Carol Nordholt
J.M. & D.R. Koerper
Charles & Jodie Reinbolt
Deborah Gerschutz

George E. Cranch Memorial Fund\Boy Scouts (1987) Annual grants support Black Swamp Area Council of the Boy Scouts of America.

George E. Cranch Memorial Fund\ Heidelberg College (1987) Annual Science Day scholarship award.

James L. and Alicia D. Dapore Fund (2019) Annual distributions to support WBGU Public Television.

George W. Deinzer Endowment Fund (1993) Annual grants support the performing arts in Tiffin and Seneca County.

Double W Empowerment Fund (2021)

This fund offers scholarships to young ladies graduating from New Riegel High School, as well as grants to empower women in need.

Phyllis Watts - In Memory of Maurine Kirchner Richard & Carol Kline- In Honor of Phyllis' Birthday

Dunn Family Scholarship Fund (2016)

Annual scholarships are awarded to high school seniors from Seneca County.

Jean E. Egbert Memorial Scholarship Fund (2021) Annual scholarships to Columbian seniors attending Heidelberg University with a focus on leadership, government, or public policy.

John L. & Mary I. Eichhorn Family
Scholarship Fund (2020) Annual
scholarships awarded to graduating
seniors of Calvert Catholic High School
pursuing a degree in the medical field.
Larry & Jeanne Adelsperger

Emergency Fund (2020) Established to meet the short-term urgent, funding needs that may be created by unexpected events that interrupt essential services of Seneca County Ohio 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations.

Shanti Sattler Alfred Tonti Trust

Casey Rochelle Elchert Memorial Scholarship Fund (2007) Annual

scholarships awarded to graduates of Columbian and Calvert High Schools.

Larry & Jeanne Adelsperger Thomas & Deborah Gerschutz

Fred and Kathy Fabrizio Catholic

Fund (2007) Annual grants to donor designated charitable organizations in Tiffin and surrounding area, with emphasis on supporting Tiffin Catholic Schools and Tiffin Catholic Churches.

Stephen & Kayleen Hoover

Fanny Fern Fahrenbruck and Janet O. Fahrenbruck Memorial Fund (2008)

Supports the Zimmerman Nature Preserve and Access to Recreation.

Fred and Marie Fahrenbruck Memorial

Fund (2008) Supports the Christian Education Department of Trinity United Church of Christ, Tiffin.

Dennis and Gayle Foos Fund (2023)

Annual grants from income to benefit The Ritz Theatre in Tiffin.

Garlapati Family Scholarship Fund (2011)

Grants for education to prevent bullying and annual scholarships awarded to one 8th grader and one senior from Tiffin Schools who demonstrates leadership to prevent bullying.

Dr. Krishnaiah & Mrs. Garlapati

Gase Family Literacy Fund (2018) *Grants*

to support literacy in Seneca County.

William Reineke, Jr Daniel & Nikki Reineke Bob & Carolyn Manz Clark Hutson Clyde Young Farmers

Brad & Kim Newman

Robert Huntington & Susan McCafferty Larry & Deborah Kisabeth

Nancy Rubenstein

Dave Seislove Todd Wright

Glenn & Kimberly Orwig Christopher & Joann Widman John C "Jack" Felton, DDS, Inc

Jeannine Curns

Coppus Motors, Inc

Steve & Alicia Shuff - In Memory of Cathy Bennett

Charles and Jodie Reinbolt - In Memory of Jeanette Ruess

Brent Howard & Susan Hering Howard

- In Honor of Dr. Andrew and Anne Gase's Grandchildren

Bev Martin - In Honor of Kelly Dariano
Dr. Andrew and Anne Gase- In Honor
of our Family and In Memory of Rich
Focht, Fr. Mark Weaver and Beau
Schultz

Richard & Martha Gase - In Memory of Fr. Mark Weaver Ronald & Susanne Rochester

Ronald & Susanne Rochester Gene & Phyllis Allebach Philip & Rosalind Gase Seneca Friends Joe Herbert

Paul R. Glick Memorial Fund (1993)

Annual grants awarded to help support Meadowbrook Park, Bascom, Ohio.

Greenlawn Cemetery Fund (2013)

Endowment to assist with the preservation, beautification and maintenance of Greenlawn Cemetery.

Bradley & Kim Newman Gary & Sandra Arnold Frances Fleet **Kneeskern Family Fund** Gene & Phyllis Allebach Mike & Kay Hoffert Karen Hesson Brady - In Memory of The Hesson & Wyndham Families

Houtz Family Scholarship Fund (2024)

Annual scholarships to Sentinel and Lakota High School seniors as well as Florian Coleman Boy Scout scholarships and grants for Grace Church kids' retreats.

Nancy Houtz

Thomas and Anne (Warnement) **Hummer St. Joseph Cemetery Fund**

(2021) Provides support for the preservation, beautification, and maintenance of all public aspects of St. Joseph Cemetery.

Bob and Elaine Hunt Memorial Fund

(2020) Grants from this fund will support the charitable interests of the Hunt family in Tiffin and Seneca County.

Jr. Home Alumni Association of **Tiffin Fund (2013)** Provides support for maintenance and enhancement of The Jr. Home Memorial Park, The Ohio Memorial Church, and the Kernan Memorial Scholarship Fund at Heidelberg University.

Umadevi and Dr. Prasad C. Kakarala Scholarship Fund (2016) Annual scholarships awarded to graduates of Tiffin Columbian High School. Preference given to students entering the medical

Dr. Prasad & Umadevi Kakarala

Umadevi and Dr. Prasad C. Kakarala Seneca County Schools Scholarships

Fund (2018) Annual scholarships awarded to seniors at Seneca Countu Schools with preference to students entering the medical field.

Dr. Prasad & Umadevi Kakarala

Umadevi and Dr. Prasad C. Kakarala Vanguard-Sentinel Career Center Scholarship Fund (2017) Annual scholarships are awarded to a Vanguard-Sentinel senior. Preference given to students entering the medical

Dr. Prasad & Umadevi Kakarala

Mike & Joella Kerschner Family Fund

(2021) Grants from this fund will support the charitable interests of the Kerschner family.

Teresa Kessler Memorial Scholarship

Fund (1997) Annual scholarships awarded to New Riegel High School seniors.

Robert & Kathleen Tiell - In Memory of Richard Bumb

Diane Vansteenbergen Family of Doris Ann Williams - In Memory of Doris Ann Williams Robert & Kathleen Tiell - In Memory of Scott Hall

Dennis & Brenda Bouillon Family - In Memory of Roger Bumb, Kathleen Faeth, Richard Bumb, and Evelyn **Bouillon**

Barbara Theis & Family - In Memory of Ralph Theis

In Memory of Ray Kessler Justine Maag Bob & Sally Minton Douglas & Constance Ferenbaugh Mary Ellen Brickner Marion & Alma Lucius

Daniel G. Klepper Memorial Scholarship

Fund (1970) Annual scholarships are awarded to graduates of Tiffin Calvert High School. Tuition assistance scholarships awarded annually to support Catholic education.

Robert Huntington & Susan McCafferty

Gayle A. Kraut Scholarship Fund (2016)

Annual scholarships to graduating seniors of Tiffin Calvert and Tiffin Columbian High School, who are pursuing a degree in Education.

Rosalie Distel Wayne & Jane Shepherd Brad & Kim Newman Stephen & Kayleen Hoover Ruth Letzring - In Memory of Gayle A. Kraut

Lautermilch Fund (1992) Supports the general and physical maintenance of St. Mary Catholic Church.

Cynthia and Mark Levans Type One **Juvenile Diabetes Fund (2011)** Provides financial support (through the Tiffin-Seneca United Way) to persons under age 23 who suffer from Type One Juvenile Diabetes and do not have health insurance.

Cole Ludwig Memorial Scholarship Fund

(2019) Annual scholarships awarded to Tiffin Columbian graduating seniors. Cole Ludwig Memorial Golf Outing

Clive E. Lupton Fund (2006) Supports capital improvements at Hedges-Boyer Park.

The Donna Warns March and Donald R. March Scholarship Fund (2011) Provides annual scholarships to Hopewell-Loudon graduating seniors.

Helena Baer Machamer Fund (1999)

Supports Christian education at Trinity United Church of Christ in Tiffin.

Mercy Community Nature Preserve Fund (2012) Supports maintenance and enhancement of nature trails on the campus of Mercy Tiffin Hospital.

Father Edmund F. Morman Memorial Scholarship Fund (1987) Annual scholarship awarded to a New Riegel High School senior who is pursuing a two or four year degree program. **Anonymous**

Father Francis A. Murd and Romaine W. Murd Fund (2019) Provides annual grants for maintenance of Chapel and grounds at Marygrove Immaculate Conception Chapel in Swanton, Ohio.

New Riegel Moose Lodge Scholarship

Fund (2009) Provides tuition-assistance college scholarships to graduating seniors of high schools in Seneca County.

New Riegel Moose Lodge #872

Pancoast Family Scholarship Fund

(2017) Awards annual scholarships to graduating Heidelberg University students who have been accepted to an accredited postsecondary institution in the U.S. and who will be pursuing a graduate degree in the natural sciences.

Marisa Erin Paulus Memorial Fund

(2010) Provides grants to charitable organizations which help at-risk children in the Tiffin area.

Anthony Paradiso Larry & Jeanne Adelsperger David and Michelle Franz - In Memory of Marisa Erin Paulus David and Michelle Franz - In Honor of John and Michaelina Paulus

John E. Pollock Fund (1995) Annual grants to qualified organizations providing training for handling boats under manual or sail power; public boating safety education, and natural and applied science education.

Prostate Cancer Awareness Fund (2011)

Provides grants for education and support of Prostate Cancer Awareness.

Richard & Kelly Mitchell John & Inis Breidenbach

KGS Ohio LLC

Five Star Maintenance & Construction

Urocare Associates

Reineke Tiffin Ford Lincoln Inc Matt Tille Enterprises Inc

Reser Chiropractic LLC

UIS

Tiffin University

Brian R. Smith

William Feniger

Northwestern Holding Company

Tiffin Deluxe Services Inc

King Industrial Supply Inc Entrepreneurial Ventures Inc Rich Focht

Shook Family Funeral Homes Lisa Young CPA

First National Bank of Sycamore

RMHC LLC

Resolute Wealth Advisor

Driven Foundation

Michael D. Morgan

Pyramid Recruiting Offices Inc

Michael & Joella Kerschner

James Bosse DO Inc

KLK Haircutters Inc

First Federal Bank of Ohio

Scott & Alyssa Kromer

John & Elaine Hilbert

Michael & Rhonda Cool

Frederick Zoeller

Larry & Suzanne Davenport

Rick & Lynn Harbaugh

Louise Ducsay

Patrick & Kathleen Kennedy

Michael Herbert

Rvan & Lauren Difranco

Stephen & Barbara Decker

Eric & Denise Gillett

Mark & Amy Somodi

Michael Baltzell

John & Rebecca Lav

James & Juli Seiwert

DeAnn Krauss & Anthony Paradiso

Dana Bennett

Tiffin Ace Properties LLC

Gary & Ann Hart

Michael Reser

F.J. & R. Reimer

Anthony & Kelly Petrosino

Jeffrey & Irma Rutkowski

Mary Ellen Kennedy

Lucy Kramer

Michael & Joyce Hart

James & Gina Reuter

Steve C. Shuff

Thomas Reser

Brent & Lynn Busdeker

Michael & Sue Reser

Thomas & Joann Shook

Stephen & Katherine Corthell

Rebecca Hill

Tiffin Metal Products

Paul Reimer

Bernard & Michelle Steinmetz

Ewald Furniture

Robert "Bo" Reid Athletic Memorial

Fund (2004) Annual arants are awarded to donor designated charitable organizations and activities in Tiffin or the nearby area with an emphasis on athletics and recreation.

Larry & Jeanne Adelsperger

Catherine A. Matthews Reineke

Memorial Fund (2018) To support causes relating to, but not limited to mental illness and grieving support for children and adults.

Carl & Bonnie Miller Makenzie Weininger - In Honor of Will Reinbolt's 4th Birthday William Reineke, Jr - In Honor of Norine M. Begell

The Ripple Effect Scholarship Fund

(2021) Provides annual scholarships to Seneca East graduating seniors.

Eric & Denise Gillett **Aaron Lindsey** Ripple Effect Apiary, LLC

Fund for the Ritz Theatre (2007)

Endowment to assist Tiffin Theatre. Inc. fulfill its general public goals and activities in Seneca County.

Steve & Alicia Shuff, In Honor of Larry & Sue Herbert

Foundation of Tiffin Club Fort Ball Park and Gazebo Fund (2005) Endowment for maintenance, repair and improvement of the Fort Ball Park and the Gazebo located at the park.

Foundation of Tiffin Club General Fund

(2005) Endowment to assist this agency fulfill its general public goals and activities in Seneca County.

The Dorothy Roush Scholarship Fund

(2021) Annual Scholarship awarded to a Hopewell Loudon High School senior who is pursuing a two or fouryear degree program at a college or university.

Dennis Roush

Ken and Marie Schroth Family Fund

(2017) Grants to support the Seneca County community by providing funding for various recreational projects with a special interest in walking and bike trails within Tiffin and Seneca County.

Mary Lou Schultz Memorial Scholarship **Fund (2010)** Awards annual scholarships to students studying to become Registered Nurses.

Seneca County Park District Fund

(2014) Endowment for maintenance and enhancement of property and programs of the Seneca County Park District.

Carl and Bonnie Miller Mike & Kay Hoffert

Seneca County Council on Homelessness Fund (2023) Supports the Seneca County Transformational Life Center.

Seneca County Council on Homelessness Fund

Sisters of St. Francis Fund for The Poor and The Elderly (2015) To provide for Donor's activities in caring for the poor and the elderly.

Sisters of St. Francis Fund for Ministries and Retired Sisters (2015) To provide for Donor's spirituality and peacemaking activities as well as for care for the poor, retired Sisters, and of all of Creation. Sisters of St. Francis

Smitty Auto Diesel Mechanic Scholarship Fund (2023) *Scholarship for* those in the auto-diesel mechanic field. Patricia Smith

Barbara N. Somers Scholarship Fund (2006) Annual scholarship grants to students attending Calvert Catholic Schools in Tiffin.

Michael & Martha Somers Stephen & Kayleen Hoover

Fredric C. and Deborah A. Spurck Scholarship Fund (2018) Offers

scholarships annually to citizens of Seneca County who are pursuing a degree and have demonstrated compassion for and a commitment toward the well-being of animals.

The James C. and Eleanor Streacker CCS Scholarship Fund (2010) Annual scholarships are awarded to Calvert High School Juniors.

James Streacker

Sergeant Anthony J. Paradiso, Seneca County "Support Our Troops" Fund

(2008) Grants awarded to qualified organizations that provide ongoing support and fulfill the unmet needs of United States of America military troops and veterans from Tiffin and Seneca County and their families.

Carl & Bonnie Miller **Anthony Paradiso**

St. Francis Care Center Foundation of Green Springs Scholarship Fund (2010)

Awards scholarship grants to students currently enrolled in health care Associates, Bachelor, or higher degree programs.

Tiffin Stadium Fund (1998) Endowment for the repair, maintenance, renovation and expansion of The Frost-Kalnow Stadium, National Machinery Field, and Dick Edmond Memorial Press Box located at Tiffin Columbian High School, Tiffin.

Charles & Jodie Reinbolt - In Memory of Rich Focht

John and Janet Steinmetz Family Scholarship Fund (2013) Provides annual scholarships to Hopewell-Loudon graduating seniors.

Philip A. and Jo Ann H. Stevens Family Fund (2006) Supports the Tiffin-Seneca Public Library.

Sutton Bank Charitable Foundation Fund (2022) Provides arants and/or scholarships for qualified charitable

or educational requests, primarily in Seneca Countu.

Robert G. Teach Fund (2018) Provides support to The American Civil War Museum of Ohio. The Seneca Countu Museum, The Humane Society of Seneca County, Friends of The Tiffin Bark Park, Republic Community Park, The Village of Republic Fire Department, and St. Jacobs United Church of Christ.

Tiffin Columbian Alumni Association Academic Enrichment Fund (2005)

Endowment to provide funds to financially assist the academic programs of Tiffin City Schools.

Larry & Deborah Kisabeth Aditya & Jessica Naik Dr. Richard & Linda Ellinger **Snavely Construction** Mary E. Rueb Trust Dan & Mary Pfeiffer Yavuz & Sandra Bozer **David Young**

Jeffrey Shawberry, DDS Joan Stoner

Ronald & Joan Shaull Rachel Fowler

Karen Hesson Brady

William Bero

R. Reed & Mary Fraley Elizabeth & Daniel O'Connor Family

Foundation Paula Crum

Patricia Smith

Carl & Bonnie Miller

Jerry & Jennifer Smith - In Memory of Barbara Smith Brown

Charlotte Schultz - In Memory of John Stoner Class of '57

Paul & Richarda Traunero - In Honor of Larry Clausing

Janet Meyer - In Memory of Robert Meyer

Stephen & Patricia Wilcoxson - Class of 1962

Sandra Maistros - In Memory of John Maistros

Elizabeth Tracy - In Honor of Class of

Thomas Hayward - In Memory of Jean Wilson Hayward

William & Sharon Lutz - In Memory of Joyce McClellan

Lois Berger - In Memory of James Berger

Dr. Ernest & Bonnie Estep - In Memory of Wade Estep, Jr.

William Anspach Jr. - In Memory of Becky Anspach

Judith Henderson - In Memory of Sandra (Blust) & Michael Doncyson, Steven Blust, and Sharon Blust

Tiffin Columbian Class of 1961 - In Honor of all Classmates

Scott & Stacey Kiesel - In Memory of Coy Ritchie, Doug Ducsay, Rich Focht, Joyce Hart, Marilyn Kisabeth James & Delilah Abbott-Woodland -

In Memory of Guy H. Abbott Jr.
"Hans" (Class of 1955)

Bradley & Kim Newman - In Memory of Nevin E.B. Martin

Phillip & Roberta Hoffert - In Memory of Dorothy Riddle

Loren Hintz - In Memory of Christopher Byrom

Tiffin Columbian Alumni Association Scholarship Fund (2005) *Annually*

awards scholarships to graduates of Tiffin Columbian High School.

Larry & Deborah Kisabeth Elizabeth & Daniel O'Connor Timothy Opsitnick & Janet Goshe

Mary E. Rueb Trust

Thomas & Cheryl Borgen

Hubert Bernet

Rachel Fowler

Raymond & Beth Gaydos

Karen Hesson Brady

R. Reed & Mary Fraley

Steven Brown

Bradley & Michelle Burns

Glenn & Kimberly Orwig - In Memory of Gail Shreiner

Phillip & Roberta Hoffert - In Memory of Miss Dorthey Riddle

Georgia Nusbaum - In Memory of Jennifer Kneeskern

Wayne and Jane Shepherd - In Memory of Bill Davidson

Thomas Hayward - In Memory of Jean Wilson Hayward

Thomas & Carol Snyder - In Memory of Marquerite Conrad

David & Carol Pinkerton - In Memory of Robert and Mina Pinkerton

Donald & Barbara Hiser -In Memory of Bernice Estep Lytle and Wade (Butch) Estep

William Bordner - In Memory of Steve Myers

Joseph Blust - In Memory of Sharon Blust

Lynn Seery - In Memory of Vicki Seery Fergeson

Bradley & Kimberly Newman -In Memory of Suzann Krupp, and Nevin E.B. Martin

Tiffin Historic Trust Endowment Fund

(2015) Endowment for historical and architectural preservation in Tiffin.

Tiffin Metal Products Co. Charitable

Fund (1997) Grants are awarded to donor designated charitable and educational organizations.

Tiffin Metal Products Scholarship

Fund (2021) Scholarship awarded to Seneca County high school seniors.

Tiffin Community Foundation Administrative Fund (2018) *To support*

future administrative expenses of the Tiffin Community Foundation.

Tiffin Recreation and Beautification

Fund (2008) Endowment for the repair, maintenance, renovation and expansion of the parks and rights-ofway of the City of Tiffin.

Tiffin Women In Action Fund (2022)

To provide grants and/or scholarships from income and principal to qualified charitable or educational organizations whose programs benefit women and children in Tiffin and the surrounding community.

Alexander & Mildred Hay
TWIA
John C. "Jack" Felton DDS
Kroger, Inc
Klepper Family Fund
Tiffin Deluxe Services, Inc
JAM'S spring market
Anonymous
Thomas & Deborah Gerschutz
Linda Ellinger

Unrestricted Fund of The Tiffin Community Foundation (2003)

Provides grants to meet the future emerging needs of Tiffin and Seneca County.

Threads, Inc

Oakley Meadow Condo Association Owen M. Ballreich & Martha J.

Ballreich Charitable Holding Trust

Jeannine Curns

Thomas & Debra Kahler

Estate of Lucia F. Lupica

Kiwanis Club of Fostoria

Bob & Carolyn Manz

AJ & Leslie Felter

Anonymous

Loretta Kaplan

Concordance Healthcare Solutions

Daniel & Char Pope

Patricia Smith

Ryan Campbell

Jim & Marilyn Deats - In Honor of Giving Tuesday

Eloise Reinhart - In Memory of Deacon Lewis Reinhart

Charles & Jodie Reinbolt - In Memory of Shelly Maiberger

Wright & Moore Law Co LPA - In Memory of Betty Wertz

Dawn Ducsay - In Memory of Doug Ducsay's 1st Heavenly Birthday In Memory of Charles Pullins
Michael & Lori Huth
Neil & Barbara Jordan
Donna Pryor
Joni & Jerry Faeth
Nancy Mitchell
Rita Goshe

In Memory of Douglas Ducsay
Troy Gerschutz
Tanya Kramber
Elizabeth Buckle
Kathleen Lyden
Mickey Nichols

Tiffin-Seneca United Way Endowment Fund (2008) Endowment to assist this agency fulfill its general public goals and activities in Seneca County. **Tiffin-Seneca United Way**

Seneca County Ohio Victims Assistance Endowment Fund (2008) Endowment to assist this agency fulfill its general public goals and activities in Seneca County.

New Riegel Moose Lodge

Harland and Ida Warns Scholarship Fund (2007) Annual scholarships are awarded to graduates of Hopewell-Loudon School who plan to pursue a career in education.

Katie Wertz Memorial Scholarship Fund (2012) Annual scholarship awarded to a senior at Sentinel Career and Technology Center with a passion for volunteer work in the community.

The White Family Charitable Fund (2005) Grants awarded to qualified charitable organizations supporting education and the well-being of the citizens of Tiffin and Seneca County.

The Leanne O. Wolff Fund (2005)Provides support to St. Paul's United Methodist Church, Tiffin.

The Daniel Wood "Woody" Memorial Scholarship Fund (2021) Annual scholarships awarded to Tiffin Columbian High School seniors who

scholarships awarded to Tiffin Columbian High School seniors who participated in athletics and are pursuing post-secondary education.

Big Sticks Baseball Club

WSJ Reineke Family Fund (2022)

Provide grants to qualified charitable or educational organizations.

William Reineke, Jr.

Linda K. Wurm Memorial Trust (1996)

Annual scholarship awarded to a graduating senior of Calvert High School who intends to pursue studies in the medical or health related field.

Phyllis Wurm Allen Schultz - In Memory of David Hoover and Michael Graham

In Memory of Phyllis Wurm Laura Conn Kenneth Jr & Janet Corliss David & Linda Aldrich Lois Payne Mary Zahn Don & Kathy Boehm Tammy Reitter Mary Harding Paul & Elinor Boes Thomas Ring Carol Reinhart Terry & Elaine Nusbaum Wayne & Sara Wax William & Mary Boyer Mary Ellen Kennedy Scott Brickner Joe Kuebler Tom & Jovce Breidenbach Dave Ehrenfried Dan & Mary Reimer Kevin & Chris Stinson Barbara Neikirk Donna Fate Donna Letterhos Phyllis Wagner Anonymous Gale Emmett & Ellen Cleary Paul Do Forno & Heather Blackmon-Do Forno Rita & Mark Meier John & Kathleen Zahn Janet Wise

Gerald & Karen Meier

Nick Zeyen Memorial Scholarship Fund (2010) Annual scholarship is awarded to a graduating senior of Tiffin Columbian High School.

Zimmerman Alzheimer's Activity Fund (1996) Supports activities, outings and entertainment for Alzheimer residents at Elmwood at the Shawhan in Tiffin.

Roland Zimmerman Inspiration
Scholarship Fund (2011) Annual
scholarships awarded to graduating
seniors pursuing a post secondary
degree in a program of further
agricultural study.

Carl & Bonnie Miller

In Kind Donations

Maria Wahl Rob Malone Guy & Jude Dell Justin Reinbolt

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this contributions list. If we have made an error, please let us know.

The Foundation is an IRS 501[c]
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HOW A FUND IS CREATED

A permanent charitable or educational fund may be created by entering into a fund agreement with The Tiffin Community Foundation, or by naming The Tiffin Community Foundation as beneficiary in your Will or Trust and describing your fund and its purpose in that document.

To date, we have over 110 component funds that have been created by individuals, families, businesses, nonprofit, and other organizations. A minimum \$15,000 contribution can begin now to grow into a source of funding for the future. The investment of endowment funds is managed to achieve maximum earnings. All funds are created and maintained as separate funds. All correspondence, accounting, federal and state reporting that is required is done by the foundation.

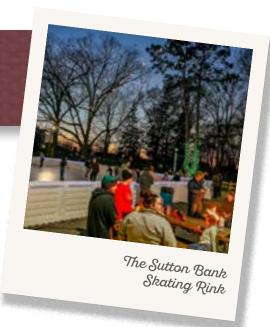
Consider how you might join in the work of The Tiffin Community Foundation by establishing a fund in your name. All grants distributed from your fund are awarded to charities and/or educational facilities, as determined by you, in the name of your fund.

"Together we can do so much" -Helen Keller

COMMUNITY GRANTS

from Agency & Donor Advised Funds

Agency, Designated and Donor Advised Funds are established by individuals who wish to support personal charitable interests and make recommendations for grants from their funds, subject to the approval of The Tiffin Community Foundation Board of Trustees. In 2024, The Tiffin Community Foundation awarded over \$930,000 in Agency, Designated and Donor Advised Community Grants.



194 Riverside Drive Fund

Tiffin Seneca Public Library St. Joseph Catholic Church

Betty Jane Memorial Fund

Family Learning Center
Tiffin YMCA
St. Francis Senior Ministries
Financial Assistance for Cancer
Treatment
Geary Family YMCA
Flat Rock Home



Carmie Fabrizio Memorial Fund

Calvert Athletic Boosters
Calvert Catholic Schools

George E. Cranch Memorial Fund/Boy Scouts

Black Swamp Boy Scouts of America Council

James L. & Alicia D. Dapore Fund WBGU Public Television

George W. Deinzer Endowment Fund St. Paul's UMC

Fred & Kathy Fabrizio Catholic Fund Calvert Catholic Schools

Fanny Fern & Janet O. Fahrenbruck Memorial Fund

Seneca County Parks

Fred & Marie Fahrenbruck Memorial Fund

Trinity UCC

The Dennis & Gail Foos Fund

Ritz Theatre

Gase Family Literacy Fund Dolly Parton's Imagination Library

Paul R. Glick Memorial Fund Meadowbrook Park

Thomas & Anne (Warnement) Hummer St. Joseph Cemetery Fund St Joseph Cemetery

Mike & Joella Kerschner Family Fund

Tiffin University A Little Faith Ministries East Green Foundation CJD Foundation

Lautermilch Trust

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Francis A. Murd and Romaine W. Murd Fund

Trinity Catholic Parish

NOAH Foundation

Community Christmas Dinners

Marisa Erin Paulus Memorial Fund SMYL

John E. Pollock Fund Camp Fire Sandusky County

Prostate Cancer Awareness Fund

Mercy Health Foundation Tiffin

The Robert "Bo" Reid Athletic Memorial Fund

Big Sticks Baseball



WSJ Reineke Family Fund

Seneca County CEO Franciscan Earth Literary Center

Seneca County Park District Fund Seneca County Parks

St Francis Fund for Ministries and Retired Sisters Fund Sisters of St. Francis

Philip A. and Jo Ann H. Stevens

Tiffin Seneca Public Library

Family Fund

Sergeant Anthony J. Paradiso Seneca County Support Our Troops Fund

Seneca County Honor Bus

Sutton Bank Charitable Foundation

Tiffin Park & Recreation Department

Robert G Teach Fund

Scipio Republic Fire Department Village of Republic The American Civil War Museum Friends of the Bark Park St. Jacob's Church Barnes-Deinzer Museum Foundation

Tiffin Columbian Alumni Association Academic Enrichment Fund

Tiffin City Schools

Tiffin Metal Products Charitable Fund

Humane Society of Seneca County FELC programs Ritz Theatre Tilly's Christmas Bucyrus-Tiffin YMCA Prostate Cancer Fund

Tiffin Recreation & Beautification Endowment Fund

City of Tiffin

Tiffin Women In Action Fund

SCCOH Transformation Life Center Salvation Army CASA of Seneca, Sandusky and Wyandot

Unrestricted Fund

Tiffin YMCA
East Green Foundation
East Green Summer Concert Series
Tiffin Women In Action
Tiffin-Seneca Child Care Center
TSEP

Leanne O. Wolff Fund

St. Paul's UMC

Zimmerman Alzheimer Activity Fund
Zimmerman Fund of Elmwood

Thanks to our generous donors, more than

\$930,000

Community Grants were awarded in 2024.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Bob Ames Memorial ScholarshipBrady Gooding

Urban & Dorothy Arbogast Memorial Scholarship
Hannah Chaffee

Charles R. Ardner Memorial Scholarship Fund (The Bishop's Cross Award) Andrea Orr and Jacob Rombach

Bascom Communications Memorial Scholarship Kaden Obringer

Thomas R. Borer Scholarship Madalyn Faeth

Robert L. Brickner Memorial Scholarship Scout Coffin

Clouse Construction Scholarship Josie Granata and Justin Lininger

Double W Empowerment Scholarship Erin Brian

Dunn Family Scholarship Corinne Griffin, Brody Hohman and Brooke Johnston

Jean E. Egbert Memorial Scholarship Vaughn Zimmerman

John L. & Mary I. Eichhorn Family Scholarship Brooklyn Brown

Casey Rochelle Elchert Memorial Scholarship

Ashley Edmond and Olivia Miller

Garlapati Family Scholarship
Aiden John and Faith Close

Umadevi and Dr. Prasad C. Kakarala Scholarships

Georgia Yandura, William Fruth, Hannah Tackett, Madalyn Faeth, Nathaniel Parks, Alexia Chevalier and Morgan Elchert

Teresa Kessler Memorial Scholarship Olivia Schalk

Daniel G. Klepper Memorial Scholarship
Jacob Rombach and Andrea Orr

Gayle A. Kraut ScholarshipJonathan Nominee and Lucas Recker

Cole Ludwig Memorial ScholarshipJessica Herron and Alexander Bupp

Donna Warns March & Donald R. March Scholarship Megan Arbogast

Father Edmund F. Morman Memorial Scholarship Brody Hohman, Madalyn Faeth, Asher Schalk and Alayna Schalk

New Riegel Moose Lodge Scholarships Makenzy Shaferly, Madalyn Faeth, Katelyn Dryfuse and Nathan Brodman

Pancoast Family Scholarships
Brynlee Vermillion, Noah Stahl, Emily
Fox, Melanie Cohn, Hannah Huthmaker,
Alyssa Derr, Crimson Stuckert, Kaiden
Murphy, Allison Krebs, Kevin Scrudders,
and Nicholas Hausman

Ripple Effect ScholarshipOlivia Stockmaster, Brycen Lantz,
Lillian Lee Schiefer and Caroline Kagy

Dorothy Roush Scholarship Cambree Miller

Mary Lou Schultz Memorial Scholarship Allee Ritzler and Brady Gooding

The Smitty Auto-Diesel Mechanic Scholarship Alana Fox

Barbara N. Somers Memorial Scholarships

Tucker Coleman, Victoria Juarez, Eric Osbourn and Rylee Snyder

Fredric C. & Deborah A. Spurck Scholarship

Brooklyn Brown

John and Janet Steinmetz Family Scholarship Cambree Miller

St. Francis Care Center Foundation Scholarship Ashley Felter, Anna Stephey and Kadin Snay



James & Eleanor Streacker CCS Scholarship Emma Collins and Isabella Lucius

Herb Thibodeau Scholarship Riley Wagner and Laura Cook

Tiffin Columbian Alumni Association Scholarships

Corinne Croy, Aiden John, Ava Laird, Brooke Johnston, Ana Morrison and Riley Wagner

Tiffin Metal Products ScholarshipAndrew Duffy and Bradyn Frankart

Harland & Ida Warns Scholarship Cambree Miller

Katie Wertz Memorial Scholarship Emmaline Wertz

Daniel Wood "Woody" Memorial Scholarship

Brady Gooding, Jessica Herron and Gavin McLane

Linda K. Wurm Memorial Scholarship Allison Spaun

Youth Advisory Council Scholarships Lucas Recker, Olivia Stockmaster and Asher Schalk

Nick Zeyen Memorial Scholarship Ashley Edmond

Roland Zimmerman Inspiration Scholarships Audra Miller, Alana Fox, Hannah Chaffee

Audra Miller, Alana Fox, Hannah Chaft and Kristopher Bonnigson

\$200,000

in tuition assistance and scholarships were awarded for the 2024-25 school year to local students.

WHITE FAMILY CHARITABLE FUND GRANTS

In 2005, Tiffin Community Foundation was named one of the income beneficiaries of the Sherman White Jr. and Virginia H. White Charitable Fund. Through the generosity of Mr. and Mrs. White, Tiffin Community Foundation is able to award grants to charitable organizations in Tiffin and Seneca County, Ohio.



Big Sticks Baseball

Baseball equipment

Tiffin City Schools Business Council

Camp Invention

Tiffin Police Department

Drone equipment

St. Paul's UMC

Food containers

American Red Cross of North Central Ohio

Seneca County blood drives

Stemtown Historical Society

Windows, computers & software

Salvation Army of Tiffin

Security cameras and food

Calvert Catholic Schools

Beautification project

Tilly's Christmas for Kids

Christmas gifts

STEMMUnity

Robotic car kits

Tiffin Parks & Recreation

Oakley Park skating rink

Allen Eiry Senior Center

Lifelong Learning, art supplies

Seneca County Honor Bus

Travel for veterans

Firelands Counseling and Recovery

Zero Barrier Treatment, client benches

Sisters In Shelter

Security enhancements

Society of St. Vincent DePaul, St. Wendelin Conference

Appliances for those in need

Mercy Health/Allen Eiry Senior Center

Parkinson's Exercise classes

SCAT

Computers

FACT

Treatment, supplies, medication

Axess Pointe Community

Health Centers

Volunteer support

Tiffin-Seneca Childcare Center

Kitchen upgrades in new building

YMCA Bucyrus-Tiffin, Inc.

Pool

Hopewell Loudon Art Dept

Art day support

Seneca County CEO

Travel costs for students

SCCOH

200 nights of food and housing

First Presbyterian Church of Tiffin

Non-food pantry items



FINANCIALS

ASSETS	12/31/2024	12/31/2023
Cash & cash equivalents	\$ 161,591	\$113,279
Investments	\$ 27,016,988	\$24,831,302
Beneficial Interest-Perpetual Trust	\$ 7,312,510	\$6,654,668
Other assets	\$ 135,665	\$136,256
Total Assets	\$34,626,754	\$31,735,505
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
Accounts Payable	\$ 2,183	\$2,015
Grants Payable	\$ 623,553	\$587,426
Agency Funds	\$ 8,031,509	\$7,135,596
Other Liabilities	\$ 3,249	\$7,949
Total Liabilities	\$8,660,494	\$7,732,986
Net Assets	\$25,966,260	\$24,002,519
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$34,626,754	\$31,735,505
REVENUE		
Contributions	\$1,020,837	\$1,636,430
Investment Income	\$2,197,070	\$2,564,983
Administrative Fee Income	\$236,785	\$209,075
Total Revenue	\$3,454,692	\$4,413,883
EXPENSES		
Grants & Scholarships	\$1,371,743	\$1,108,129
General Administrative	\$119,208	\$118,591
Total Expenses	\$ 1,490,951	\$1,226,720
INCREASE/(DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS	\$1,963,741	\$3,187,163

The financial information is derived from the financial statements, audited by Fruth & Company, PLL. Copies of the audited financial statements and IRS Form 990 are available upon request.

Professional services provided by: Merrill Lynch, Stifel Nicolaus & Co., Fruth & Company, PLL, Lisa Young, CPA



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Nine people from our community are nominated and elected Trustees to three-year terms. They are unpaid volunteers. Four of them are nominated and elected Officers annually. The Board is responsible for the financial and administrative functions of The Tiffin Community Foundation. The Board reviews, and must approve the addition of new component funds of the Foundation, every grant awarded, every distribution, policies and financial documents. They are responsible for carrying out the mission of the foundation and its management. Their decisions help sustain the good works done in our community and provide for programs and opportunities that make our community a great place to live, learn and work.

Appointments are made for fund advisors and grant application evaluators. We are especially grateful for everyone who volunteers their time to discern our many scholarship and grant applications.

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The Tiffin Community Foundation is a community trust for charitable and educational purposes to assist and promote the well-being of the citizens of the City of Tiffin and Seneca County, Ohio.



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