

# WYANDOT COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

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NEWSLETTER VOLUME II ISSUE II

JULY 2016

## Save the date!



**Come for the CAR SHOW...**

**Stay for the SOCK HOP!!**

**When: Saturday, September 24**

**Where: Viceroy Hall, 124 N. Sandusky Ave.,  
Upper Sandusky**

**Time: 7:00-10:00 PM**

Silent Auction\* concludes at 9:30 PM

**Cost: \$1.00 donation at the door**

**Enjoy an evening of food, fun, dancing and music from  
the 50's & 60's**

**An event sponsored by the Wyandot County Community Foundation**

*\*Silent Auction proceeds will supplement the  
Wyandot County Community Foundation's Grant Program*



## Courthouse Open House

The Wyandot County Community Foundation was proud to be a part of the Courthouse Restoration Open House June 12. Limited Edition Commemorative Keepsakes were sold. Profits from the project will help support the foundation's grant program.

"I am impressed with the leadership of the board and the willingness of everyone working together for the betterment of Wyandot County," said Darren Frank, new board member. Ms. Frank joined the board in February and serves on scholarship selection and development committees.

Recently she accepted the business development position at First National Bank of Sycamore after nearly 25 years of work with Farm Bureau organizations and area farmers in Wyandot and surrounding counties. The job move brought her back to the community where she grew up and closer to her parents Eddie and Terry Doss who still reside in the Sycamore area.

Darren lives in rural Tiffin with her husband, Don. They have two grown daughters; Alexa, who is a graduate student at the University of Wisconsin in Whitewater and Alicia, a graduate student at the University of Toledo.

## Meet Darren Frank Newest Board Member



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## 2016 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS



In May, seventeen area students were awarded scholarships through funds established with the Wyandot County Community Foundation while fifty-nine Upper Sandusky graduates received a Masters Scholarship from a fund established by Willis and Irene Masters at the Toledo Community Foundation. Scholarship fund recipients were . . .

### **R.G.A. Goodman Scholastic Award (WCCF) \$1000**

Mr. Mark Stenson, Wayside Christian School

### **Goodman Scholastic Award Fund for Upper Sandusky High School (WCCF) \$1000**

Ms. Corrie Knapp, Upper Sandusky High School

### **Charles and Jean Gottfried Scholarship (WCCF) \$1000**

Mr. Chase Barnett, Upper Sandusky High School  
Mr. Cody Barth, BGSU  
Mr. Collin Gardner, Ohio University  
Ms. Katelynn Kinley, Capital University  
Ms. Mya Morris, Mohawk High School  
Mr. Bradford Roeder, BGSU  
Mr. Lance Riedlinger, Upper Sandusky High School  
Ms. Emma Smith, Upper Sandusky High School  
Ms. Mallory Weininger, Ohio Northern University

### **Agnes Lutz Scholarship (WCCF) \$1150**

Mr. Alec Porter, Riverdale High School  
Ms. Allison Rader, Riverdale High School

### **Christina L. Minehart Scholarship (WCCF) \$1700**

Ms. Logan Dible, Upper Sandusky High School

### **The Dwain Sayre Agricultural Honor Scholarship (WCCF) \$1000**

Ms. Jena Baum, Mohawk High School

### **Martha Stephan Weaver & Rita Stephan Stangby Scholarship (WCCF) \$600**

Ms. Ashley Cano, Upper Sandusky High School  
Ms. Danielle Brodman, Ohio State University

### **Upper Sandusky High School Masters Scholarship (TCF) \$2000**



Mr. Joshua Amert  
Mr. Chase Barnett  
Ms. Kelly Bather  
Ms. Nicole Bell  
Ms. Monica Boes  
Ms. Ashley Cano  
Ms. Alison Caudill  
Mr. Derek Clark  
Ms. Hannah Dible  
Ms. Logan Dible  
Ms. Amanda Dierkes  
Mr. Sam Duress  
Mr. Taylor Emerick  
Mr. Mitchell Fogle  
Mr. Cody Gabriel

Ms. Zoe Garber  
Ms. Kristen Gardner  
Ms. Katie Greulich  
Ms. Olivia Grove  
Mr. Johnathan Hansen  
Ms. Morgan Haycook  
Ms. Breann Hendricks  
Ms. Amber Hildebrand  
Ms. McKenzie Kessler  
Mr. Robert Kinley  
Ms. Shelby Kinley  
Ms. Corrie Knapp  
Ms. Thomas Martin  
Ms. Alexis Martinez  
Ms. Nichole Mattix

Ms. Sydney McMillan  
Mr. Brandon Miller  
Mr. Cory Miller  
Mr. Trey Miller  
Mr. Carson Mittermaier  
Mr. Austin Myers  
Ms. Samantha Newell  
Ms. Molly Owens  
Ms. Madison Paras  
Ms. Shelby Passett  
Mr. Gabriel Payne  
Mr. Bailey Ray  
Mr. Lance Riedlinger  
Ms. Kambria Romanko  
Ms. Renee Sherman

Ms. Jaya Smalley  
Mr. Tanner Smalley  
Ms. Emma Smith  
Ms. Jenna Spitler  
Ms. Grace Stober  
Mr. James Terry  
Ms. Emily Thiel  
Ms. Emily Troxel  
Ms. Rene Vent  
Ms. Hope Voorhees  
Mr. Jeran Ward  
Ms. Cassandra Webster  
Ms. Taven Wentling  
Ms. Betsy Young

### **GRANT APPLICATIONS DUE JULY 30**

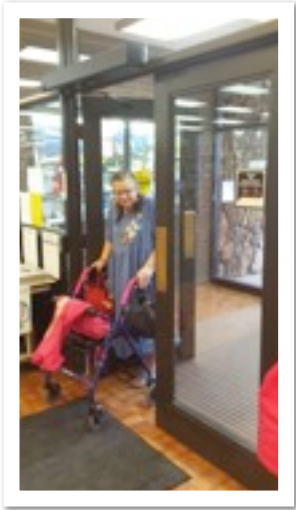
The Wyandot County Community Foundation's mission is to build a permanent collection of endowed funds to support nonprofits and governmental units who effectively serve the community in the areas of

**education/youth development  
parks/recreation**

**health/wellness  
family/social services**

**arts/culture  
preservation of our heritage**

We are now accepting applications for the 2016 Grants Program. Grants awards are made possible because of the generosity of our donors who established or contributed to community needs funds held by the foundation. The board anticipates grants to be in the range of \$200 to \$1000. Grant guidelines and an application can be downloaded from the foundation's website at [www.wyandotcommunityfoundation.org](http://www.wyandotcommunityfoundation.org)



## Upper Sandusky Community Library

The Upper Sandusky Community Library, in order to increase safety, accessibility and convenience for visitors to the Library, wished to add automatic door openers to the front entrance. Upon receiving a 2015 grant from the Wyandot County Community Foundation in the amount of \$1,000, the Library Board approved the remaining funds required to install automatic door openers at the library's front entrance. The installation was completed on December 23, 2015, just in time for Christmas! Numerous favorable comments have been received from library visitors.



### *County Nonprofits Benefit from Grant Program*



Angeline Art Connection



Upper Sandusky Head Start

**ART CONNECTION** - "The addition of a table top kiln has positively impacted the artists of Art Connections," said Amber Kahler, Art Facilitator and Studio Manager. Purchased with a small foundation grant and support from the Carey Kiwanis, it allows artists with developmental disabilities the opportunity to explore their creativity through 3-D art. "The kiln is ideal for firing metal, clay, jewelry and glass creations," said Kahler, "and is the perfect size for testing out an idea before a final creation is made." Art Connections is a division of Angeline Industries and proudly features the work of artists with disABILITIES.

**REACH** - A \$600 Foundation Grant offset some of the costs associated with program T-shirts given to participants, instructors and volunteers for the 2016 REACH program, a community outreach project of St. Paul and First Lutheran Churches. Held three Saturdays in April, the program provides a safe, loving environment where children can explore and enrich their God-given talents. This year, 276 youth participated in classes as diverse as karate, cupcake decorating, photography, Minecraft, bowling and tasty science.

**UPPER SANDUSKY HEAD START** - Upper Sandusky Head Start staff members used grant funds to make their classroom more home like while addressing the diverse needs of the 40 children they serve. Items often used in pretend play were purchased including a mobile dress up cart, coffee table and farmer's market models. For dual language learners, baby dolls with clothing of different ethnic backgrounds and a collection of magnetic global children were purchased. Head Start is a FREE, family-focused, preschool program for low to moderate income families with children three years of age through kindergarten.



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