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Please plan to join us on **Friday, October 11th** at Glenmoor Country Club for our 50th Anniversary Gala.

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From the President



Welcome to the first issue of our annual publication!

As we celebrate 50 years of serving the Stark County community, we thought that one of the best ways to share our story was through the stories of our donors. As you browse through the articles, perhaps you can see yourself in these stories. Is education important to you and your family? Have you thought about creating a fund that supports students? Or maybe you are considering a donor advised fund. If so, then I encourage you to read the articles about how four new funds are supporting education in our community and the impact that the Joe Hibbard Memorial Fund will make in western Stark County.

When it comes to fun, yet educational programs for children during the summer months, you might be interested in learning how we've helped fill the void through our SummerTime Kids program. This SCF grant initiative recently exceeded $1 million in grants back to the community to make sure that our children stay engaged with education even during the summer months.

The common thread through each of these stories is the service that Stark Community Foundation provides to our donors – your neighbors – to help them achieve their philanthropic goals. For the past 50 years, we have been "your trusted partner in giving." During that time, we have grown to almost 600 individual funds. These funds are the result of meeting with prospective donors, learning what is important to them, and providing a solution that fits their needs. If you're interested in learning how we can assist you, please give us a call. We'll be happy to answer your questions - and we'll ask a few of our own. In the end, it's all about helping you achieve your charitable goals, and in the process, strengthening our community.

Mark Samolczyk

SummerTime Kids Program Celebrates A Milestone



This year marks an exciting milestone for the **SummerTime Kids Program**. During the 2013 review process of applications and final awards, the program has surpassed the $1 million dollar mark of grants in the community to organizations. This grant initiative, now in its 21st year, continues to enrich the lives of the youth who participate each year.



In 1993, Stark Community Foundation's Board of Directors voted to establish the SummerTime Kids (STK) grant initiative to provide charitable grants of $500 to $2,000 to imaginative and unique summer programs with an emphasis on character and community service. Funds totaling $20,000 were used from the Hieronimus Trust, The Hillman Charitable Trust and the William E. Shanafelt Philanthropic Fund; all Field of Interest funds directed by the donor to support the needs of children.

In its first year, eighteen awards were granted to local organizations and churches, serving more than 775 children. Due to the ever-increasing need for creative summer programs throughout the county, the program expanded in 1999 to granting $50,000 to programs serving almost 2,000 children.

Since its inception, a volunteer oversight committee along with Foundation staff guided the grantmaking process. More than 275 community volunteers have served on the review committee, devoting countless hours of reading proposals, reviewing budgets and awarding dollars.

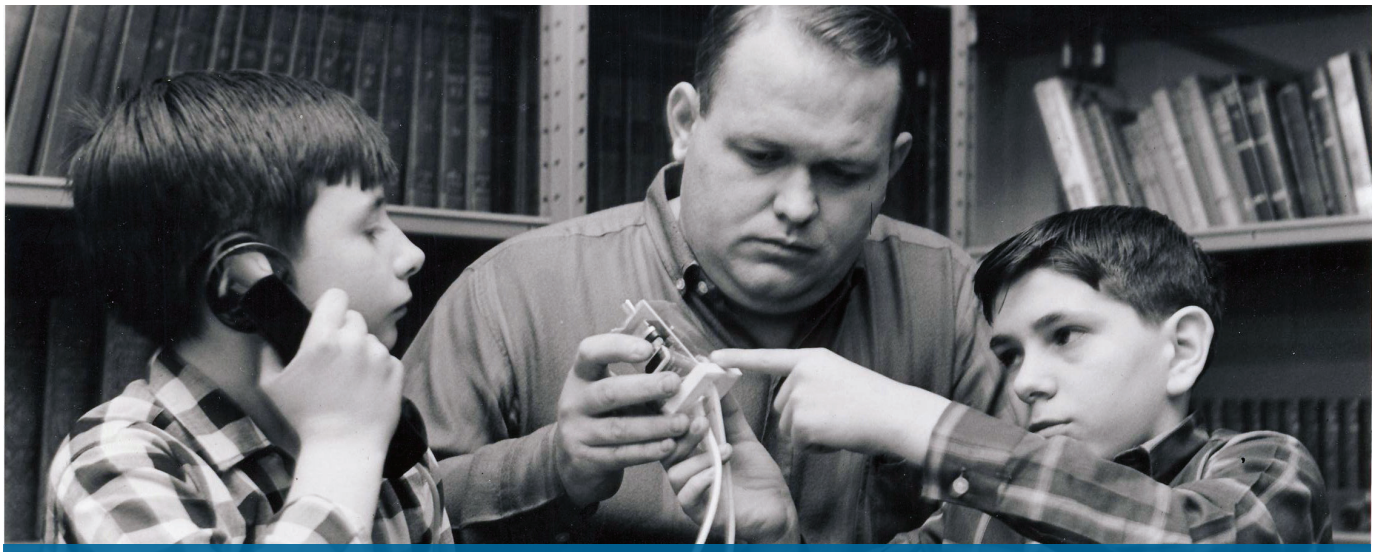
In 2010, Foundation leaders took a new direction and began discussions with Leadership Stark County (LSC) to consider a partnership to promote and administer the program. The end result was a win-win for both organizations. Members of the Signature class of Leadership Stark County had an opportunity to serve as a member of the selection committee as part of their Leadership experience. The process included reviewing grant requests, going on site visits and evaluating the programs. The experience broadened their knowledge of each organization's needs, along with their programs and services.

The collaboration allowed the Foundation to talk to current and future leaders about charitable giving in all pockets throughout Stark County. It also created a steady pool of volunteers to review grants. In 2012, LSC alumni assumed the responsibility as the selection committee. We wish to thank all who have served, past and present, in helping us reach this milestone of giving back to our community.

To view the SummerTime Kids program grant awards for 2013,
please log onto our website and click on "News."

It's All For The Kids

Mention the name **Joe Hibbard** to folks in western Stark County and you'll most likely hear a story or two. For many, Joe was more than the Executive Director of the Boys and Girls Club of Massillon; he was a friend, a father figure, and a selfless leader in the community.



Joe in his early days at the Club

Recently Joe's widow, Linda, and daughters, Brenda and Lisa, established the Joe Hibbard Memorial Advised Fund at Stark Community Foundation to honor and memorialize Joe's legacy. The fund will support individuals and families who are affiliated with the Boys & Girls Club of Massillon during the holiday season.

Joe's passion for helping children and his commitment to making the community a great place came from his early years in Hamilton, Ohio. As the oldest of eight children and without a father in the home, Joe assumed many responsibilities at a young age. The Boys' Club was his release, a safe place, and somewhere he could just be a kid. Today, the Boys and Girls Club still serves as a home away from home for kids who are looking for a place to learn and play - whether it's after school or on the weekend.

Joe met and married Linda while living in Hamilton. She must have known he was destined to have a long and successful career with the Club when she took it upon herself to send an application on Joe's behalf for a position at a Club in Massillon. In 1967, the Hibbard's left their hometown to embark on a new adventure in Stark County with Joe serving as the Massillon Boys' Club's Assistant Director.

Joe and Linda immersed themselves into the community and developed relationships with the families whose children were members of the Club. They raised two daughters, Brenda and Lisa who both still live in Massillon and have children who are members of the Club. For Joe and his family, the Club was more than a place where Joe worked; it was a way of life. "It was not unusual for us to have 2 or 3 children around the dinner table, sometimes of a different ethnicity or color. They became family to me and my sister," says Brenda.

When Joe assumed the role of Executive Director in 1975, he didn't waste time putting new programs in place. Tom Ferrero, former club member and long-time supporter of the Club said, "Joe Hibbard was an institution in Massillon because of his leadership at the Boy's and Girl's Club. He transitioned the Club from basically a place for sports to a Club that offers fine arts, tutoring, computer, self-esteem, and many more programs to its members in the western Stark County area. He was the heart and soul of the Boy's and Girl's Club for a number of years."

"Joe Hibbard touched the lives of so many in the Massillon community..."



Brenda and Lisa have fond memories of growing up at the club. That's where Brenda met her husband, Steve Pedro, who currently serves as the Assistant Director of the club. Brenda recalls, "My dad loved two things – Disney and Christmas. One year, he organized a trip to Disney that included a charter bus load of children, staff and volunteers." Most of the expenses were covered by fundraising efforts.

"We used to call people aunt, uncle and grandma because they were so close to my sister and me. Our family is from southern Ohio; these people were our surrogate family. The relationships that were formed 40 plus years ago are still in existence today," said Lisa.

Linda remembers when year-end finances were tough at the Club. "Joe gave up his paycheck so his staff could get paid at Christmas time," she said. He also made a special effort to provide for those who were in need. The Joe Hibbard Memorial Fund will carry on the traditions that Joe held close to his heart. Each year, staff members at the Boys and Girls Club assess the needs of the members and their families. Linda, Brenda and Lisa purchase items such as clothing, shoes, toys, food—whatever it takes to make sure Christmas is a special day for these kids. "My Dad always told us; don't ever be too proud to ask someone for money to help a kid," said Brenda.

In 1986, Joe and Club volunteers, Linda Wacker and Liz Shelt, organized an auction as a means to raise Club funds. Items included diaper pails, car seats and mailboxes donated by the Massillon Independent. Back in those days, they raised approximately $2,000 to $3,000. The auction, now in its 27th year, still remains the major fundraiser for the Club raising in excess of $150,000.

Brenda, Lisa and Linda continue to give their time for the annual auction. "That Club meant the world to Dad. That's one reason we wanted to make sure the Club received the proceeds from his Memorial Fund," says Lisa. This year, the committee incorporated a new idea, Raise the Paddle. "The outpouring of the attendees was amazing. We raised $17,000 that night just for his fund," she said.

"Joe Hibbard touched the lives of so many in the Massillon community. He was a simple man who was genuine about his caring for the kids of the community. Joe and his family often went without so others didn't," says long-time family friend and current Board member, Jerry Schroer. "He found ways to bring people together for the sole purpose of raising money so that the club could provide services for the kids." Maybe that's why it wasn't unusual to hear people say, "here comes Joe; get out your wallet," says Brenda laughingly. "Joe was a genuine friend with a warm heart and a strong desire that no kid should go without. You didn't have to be around him for long and you felt his passion to help kids," added Jerry.

"A family wrote to us after our father passed away, telling us of a time when Dad took their children downtown to buy shoes and new glasses. This is the kind of man my father was," recalls Lisa.

Joe passed away in 2003 at the age of 59. He is sorely missed by all that knew him but his memory lives on within the halls of the Boys and Girls Club. Joe's life and career can be summed up in his slogan, "It's all for the kids." If your life has been touched by Joe Hibbard, you are better for it. And maybe someday, one of "Joe's kids" will follow in his footsteps and continue his legacy of care and concern for children of the next generation.

Pet Program Provides "Peace of Mind"

If you're a pet owner, most likely you share a special bond with your animal. Pets provide unconditional love and companionship especially for those who live alone and the elderly. Recently, Stark Community Foundation awarded a grant in the amount of $20,000 to Community Hospice to support their newly-created Pet Services Volunteer Coordinator position to oversee the **"Pet Peace of Mind" (PPOM) program**.

Community Hospice, formerly known as Hospice of Tuscarawas County, Inc., was established in 1986 as a private, community-based non-profit organization to provide care for those with a life-limiting illness. In its first year of operation, Hospice served 26 patients and their families. Throughout their three county area Hospice serves an average of 141 patients each day in their homes, nursing homes, or Hospice House.

Pet Peace of Mind is a national program for nonprofit hospices that enables hospice patients to keep their pets at home with them throughout their end-of-life journey. Community Hospice is the only hospice in Stark County who is partnering with the Banfield Charitable Trust to administer the Pet Peace of Mind program.

Bob Phipps, Director of Development for Hospice, explained the importance that pets play in the health and well-being of hospice patients and recalls how they were introduced to the program. "In 2011, Nadine was preparing to move into our extended care facility in Tuscarawas County. Her long-time companion and sole housemate, Cheech, was also facing difficult health issues. Not only was she dealing with her own situation, she had to face "Cheech's" end of life too. When she entered hospice after having Cheech put down, she was gifted a stuffed dog which she named after her real companion who was no longer with her."

Not long after, two Hospice staff members were in Columbus for a seminar and saw a video about PPOM. Nadine's longing for the companionship of her dog had greatly affected Community Hospice staff, so when they discovered Pet Peace of Mind, her story served as a source of inspiration for their decision to bring the program to their hospice community.

Hospice applied to the Banfield Charitable Trust for funding and was selected to receive a start-up grant. They put a plan in place, created materials, and recruited volunteers. The next step was setting-up training in Stark and Tuscarawas Counties. Once these elements were in place, the program was handed over to the Volunteer Coordinators. The coordinator's responsibility is to oversee volunteers who are involved in many aspects of the organization. This includes fundraising, office work, direct patient care, and taking medications to the home, or to simply sit with a patient. In order to properly administer the PPOM program, they needed a dedicated staff person who could focus solely on the program.

At the same time, there's another part of pet involvement they wanted to explore which was the notion of bringing pets to patients that don't have pets. "We know the total value of integrating some kind of animal–human interaction," said Bob. "We have two or three people who have been in our volunteer workforce that have trained, certified therapy dogs but we weren't able to use them because we didn't have the program and the coordination to do it. That's when we came to Stark Community Foundation."



Community HOSPICE
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Nadine is recognized by Community Hospice staff as the inspiration behind the PPOM Program

The grant from Stark Community Foundation gave Hospice the resources to hire a part-time coordinator to orchestrate, organize, and implement PPOM to make sure that patients who have pets are getting served and at the same time, bring in the therapy dogs and start utilizing them for patients. "There's a lot of work involved as there are three different credentialing sources for therapy animals. Alisa Warner, our Pet Services Coordinator is engaged in coordinating Pet Peace of Mind along with establishing protocols and procedures for pet visitation and working toward our having use of therapy dogs," adds Phipps.

When a patient comes into the program, the social worker will discuss the status of their animal after their passing. Usually the patient or the family has a plan in place. If they don't have any plans, Warner can start helping them find a home through building relationships with organizations like the Humane Society and other similar organizations.

PPOM provides routine pet care, training to arrange grooming, boarding, how to exercise a pet correctly, and how to get food supplies into place. There is no cost to the patient to become involved with the program—other than direct costs for vet visits or groomers.

Dr. Wendy Kuceyeski, also known as "Dr. Kooz" of the Town & Country Veterinary Clinic in New Philadelphia, is a consulting veterinarian to the program. They consult with her for "problem" situations along with doing some training of volunteers and staff. A new group of volunteers just came on board for PPOM. Two dozen volunteers have taken the required training.

When asked about their program goals, Phipps says, "We hope with this position to firmly establish PPOM in all three counties. We've done the training but we need to give it a boost in order to get the program better known to our patients. Once we start getting referrals of patients, we'll want to keep up with referrals to make sure we're servicing them." On the therapy side, they want to introduce the therapy animal concept to patients in their own homes and to bring animals into Hospice House to visit patients.

Adoption is on their radar screen. "It's sensitive and difficult," says Phipps. "Once the program is established and Warner has time under her belt, it will become easier to integrate into the PPOM program."

The Pet Peace of Mind Program is not just about pets—it's about patient care, which is what Community Hospice is all about.

Long-Standing Traditions and Legacies Support Students

Have you ever wanted to **create a legacy and make an impact** in the life of a student? Here's how four new funds in the Foundation are accomplishing this through Designated and Endowment Funds.



Sandy Valley Alumni Association

2013 Edition

Our Mission…

This publication is from the Sandy Valley Alumni Association. Our mission is to support universal education of the children of the Sandy Valley community and provide opportunities for alumni to gather together for remembrances of the past and visions for the future.

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Annual Scholarship Dinner—Saturday May 4th

The Annual Scholarship Dinner is the primary method of fundraising for SVAA Scholarships. It will be held Saturday, May 4th at the Sandy Valley High School.

This event is open to all alumni, staff, and friends of Sandy Valley Local Schools.

The dinner will be catered by Trax Diner and the buffet menu includes four entrée selections (roast beef, chicken picatta, salmon, and penne pasta), side dishes, salad bar, desert, and drink.

Cost of the event is $25 per person.

Social hour begins at 6:00 pm. Dinner will be served at 7:00 pm.

The evening will feature a silent auction and 50/50 drawing.

The evening's program will also recognize the Classes of 1963 and 1988 (celebrating their 50th and 25th year reunions, respectively).

Please RSVP by April 27th using the form on the back of the newsletter.

Questions on the Scholarship Dinner can be directed to Emily Provance at (330) 866-3339.

Even if you are unable to attend the dinner, please consider making a donation to support the scholarships & endowment fund.

If you would like to donate an item to the Silent Auction, please contact Gloria Junkins at (330) 866-9519.

Annual Scholarship Dinner
Saturday, May 4th
6:00 pm Social Hour
7:00 pm Dinner
$25 per person

Money earned from the Annual Scholarship Dinner fund SVAA Scholarships

Golden Day for the Red & Gray
Honoring the Class of 1963

All Sandy Valley "Golden Grads" from the Classes of 1955 through 1963 are invited to attended the Golden Day for the Red & Gray.

The event will be held on Friday, May 3, 2013 in the Sandy Valley High School Performing Arts Hall.

The event will begin at 9:30 am with a light brunch and social time followed by a program beginning at 10:00 am.

We look forward to celebrating this 8th Annual event with all.

All former graduates from the classes of 1955 through 1963 are welcome to attend. No RSVP is necessary.

Special thank you to Emily (Kennedy) Provance (Class of 1992) for coordinating this special event.

The Sandy Valley Alumni Association (SVAA) is one example of the good work volunteers are doing to promote and support students and their desire to achieve a college degree. During the past year, they applied for and received tax-exempt status, published their first newsletter, and established an endowment fund with SCF.

They came to the Foundation because their fund had grown to the point that they wanted and needed investment advice. "We weighed the decision of doing everything ourselves-developing, monitoring and providing investment management or look for an organization in the community who could do it for us," says Finance Committee member, Janine Garber. "Once the decision was made to move the Sandy Valley Endowment Fund to the Foundation, it allowed us to concentrate on raising funds to provide educational opportunities in perpetuity."

The Alumni Association has four initiatives for building their fund including an annual fundraising dinner and offering named scholarships. The Golden Alumni Scholarship Drive, which has been in existence since 2004, calls upon the class who is celebrating their 50th anniversary and challenges them to raise dollars. All monies raised is then split and used for current scholarship awards while the balance is contributed to the endowment fund.

The final initiative, the Cardinal Class Challenge, was recently kicked off according to Garber. The challenge invites each alumni class to raise funds matching their class year in dollars through projects or individual donations from class members. For instance, the class of 1954 is asked to raise $1,954. "If everyone gives their donation in pennies, we can raise the money without asking too much from our alumni," added Garber. Since its reorganization in 2004, the Sandy Valley Alumni Association has awarded more than $40,000 in scholarships to graduating seniors.



Heritage Christian School is a non-denominational Christian school, located in Canton. The school occupies what was formerly Lincoln High School and serves children from preschool through 12th grade. Last year, they contacted Foundation staff to begin the conversation about establishing an endowment fund. "Because of the matching gift program of SCF, Heritage Christian is able to have an endowment fund that will enable it to meet both operating and capital needs of the school now and in the future," said Charles Riddle, school administrator and fund development director.

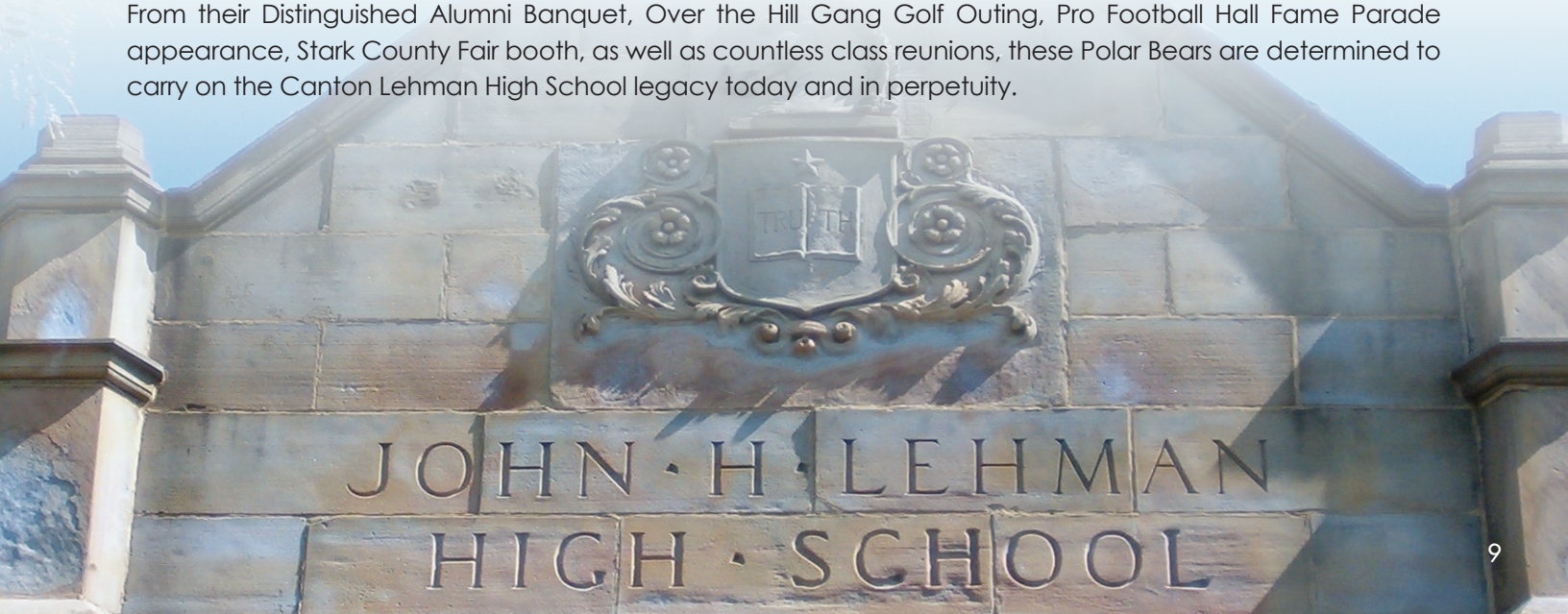
The Heritage School Endowment Fund is designed to accept gifts that the donor may designate for the following areas of support: Academic Excellence, Biblical Living Activities, Community Commitment, and Facility Improvements/Maintenance. This year, Heritage Christian School is celebrating its 45th anniversary. More than 9,500 graduates are serving across America and the world in various professions and in the military.

In 1976, Lehman High School closed its doors as one of four Canton city high schools. However, you would never know judging by the activities and enthusiasm of their Alumni Association. In 2012, the Canton Lehman High School Alumni Association turned to SCF to manage and invest their endowment fund. "We had money and didn't have a place to put it with reasonable investment. We brought alumni together who have business experience to look at it from an investment standpoint," said Larry Taylor, Alumni Board President. Ultimately, the Association chose to keep one-half of the endowment for their annual scholarship awards while investing the other half with the Foundation for future use.

"Emotionally, it wasn't an easy decision to let go of the funds," said Taylor. From a business standpoint, it seemed to make sense. "Our goals were two-fold: to develop a perpetual remembrance of Lehman High School far into the future so that scholarships will continue to be awarded when the Association no longer exists and to provide an easy vehicle for alumni to donate to the fund through their estate planning," he added.

Generous alumni continue to contribute to the Association so they may award fifty scholarships each year to the children and grandchildren of former Lehman High School graduates. Over the last 17 years, they have distributed 518 scholarships totaling $259,000. Monies raised at the annual "Polar Bear Party" provide income for their scholarship fund.

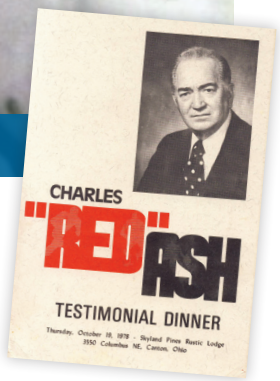
Taylor says there are 750 active alumni members, participating in a variety of events throughout Stark County. From their Distinguished Alumni Banquet, Over the Hill Gang Golf Outing, Pro Football Hall Fame Parade appearance, Stark County Fair booth, as well as countless class reunions, these Polar Bears are determined to carry on the Canton Lehman High School legacy today and in perpetuity.



In early 2013, Drs. David and Jon Ash made the decision to transfer the Charles Red Ash Memorial Fund to Stark Community Foundation. Here's how one family is continuing a true labor of love in honor and memory of a man who cared for his community.



1940's - Red and Wildcat basketball team members enjoying a few laughs off the court



The Fund got its initial start when Howard Joliffe, who played basketball for Red and served as Principal at Canton South when Red retired, approached him with the idea of establishing a fund in his name. Thinking it was a great idea, Red put money into the scholarship fund and awarded the first scholarship. After Red passed away, and Jon came back to the area, he and his brother, David, knew they wanted to raise additional funds in order to keep the scholarship fund going. They organized a golf outing at Spring Valley Golf Course, hosting 15 teams in its inaugural year. Today, the Red Ash Memorial Open is in its 18th year and has more than doubled the number of teams participating in the event.

Throughout his career at Canton South, Red wore several hats: teacher, coach, and athletic director–and was well respected in all arenas. Memorial contributions poured into the Fund when Red passed away. "It's neat to see the community ownership of it too," commented Jon. "As much as we can say it's our family's scholarship, it really is the whole community's fund. I don't know how many times I have heard people say, Red Ash and Canton Local are so intertwined; when you think of one, you think of the other," he added.

Initially the family managed the Fund, but soon realized that if they turned it over to the Canton Local School District they could offer a tax deduction for contributions. The school district was doing a great job handling the fund but the Ash family wanted to look for a way to expand their investment opportunities. That's when talks began with the Foundation. "It's what you guys do; you're the professionals," said Jon. "It gives you a good feeling that your monies are in good hands," he added.

The scholarship is a combination of academics and athletics. "Character counts a lot and we expect community involvement because it meant a lot to Red," Jon said. Each year, the Charles Red Ash Scholarship is awarded to two student athletes. It's a fitting tribute for 39 years of service and a wonderful way to keep Red's memory alive.

To learn how you can establish a fund to support students,
contact Bridgette Neisel in our Advancement Office.

Did You Know...

Donor Advised Funds grew at a faster rate in 2012 than any other time in our 50 year history. The reasons are simple. They offer maximum flexibility, you can add to your fund and recommend grants from your fund at any time. Through a Donor Advised Fund you can manage all of your giving from one account, and even support multiple nonprofit organizations if you wish.

Why turn to Stark Community Foundation versus a charitable arm of an investment firm? When you establish a Donor Advised Fund at the Foundation, you join forces with hundreds of your friends and neighbors right here in Stark County to achieve the greatest possible impact. Your fund is considered a component fund of the Foundation; therefore, your dollars are invested with over $182 million of Foundation assets, providing a greater return on your investment. We build endowment funds that benefit the community forever and help create personal legacies. You can count on us because we're here, in your community. "We are your trusted partner in giving."

Here are 3 Simple Steps to Establish Your Fund:

- **Step 1:** Create a personal Donor Advised Fund by making an irrevocable gift of assets worth $10,000 or more. If you don't have the resources today, consider making a pledge. You can pay it in equal installments over a five-year period.
- **Step 2:** Name or personalize your fund with a fund agreement.
- **Step 3:** Make grants to support your favorite nonprofit organizations and causes.

For more information about establishing a Donor Advised Fund, contact Bridgette Neisel in our Advancement Office at 330-454-7992 or bneisel@starkcf.org.



We want to say thank you today – for what you have in mind for tomorrow.

Stark Community Foundation has created a **Legacy Society** to recognize and thank individuals and families who plan to leave a gift to the community through a bequest, trust, life insurance policy, retirement plan, or charitable annuity. Members of our Legacy Society care about the future of Stark County and realize that their gift will strengthen the projects and programs of local nonprofit organizations and the people they serve.

Not sure how to give, who to give to and through what mechanism? Deferred gifts can be made to establish a new fund, directed to an already existing fund, or can be added to the Foundation's Community Charitable Fund, allowing our Board to respond to ongoing needs through our competitive grantmaking process. Whichever option you choose, you can be assured that your gift will be professionally stewarded to make a lasting difference.

Here are a few benefits to becoming a member of the **Legacy Society**:

- Your name will be listed in our Annual Report and "Our Family Tree" publications (unless otherwise requested)
- You will stay connected to the Foundation through our newsletters and annual reports
- Be invited to an event held annually for members
- Receive an invitation to a variety of Foundation programs, events and initiatives

Later this year, we will be unveiling our **Legacy Society** at our **50th Anniversary Gala** on Friday, October 11th at Glenmoor Country Club. We hope you will be there to join us and be recognized.

Become a member today. Whether you have already made provisions in your estate plans for a deferred gift to Stark Community Foundation, or are still considering how you can thoughtfully give back to your community, call Bridgette Neisel at 330-454-7992.

Spring Donor Gathering 2013

Stark Community Foundation honored and thanked donors at the annual Spring Donor Gathering on Thursday, June 6th at Gervasi Vineyard. It was a record turnout as guests reconnected with old friends and were introduced to many new donors.













"give BIG Stark County" Initiative Provides Double the Impact!

Thanks to many generous donors, Stark Community Foundation's **"give BIG Stark County"** Initiative was a resounding success!

Last November, we kicked-off the campaign in honor of our 50th anniversary by offering $500,000 in matching funds to current and future donors to the Foundation. Any new donation that met the minimum fund balance of $10,000 was matched dollar-for-dollar. We were pleasantly surprised with the results of our efforts. These matching dollars were utilized in just 25 days, and we leveraged our dollars two for one!

"The Stark County District Library Foundation was thrilled to be one of the fifty recipients of a matching grant from Stark Community Foundation's "give BIG Stark County" initiative. Working together to support local funds and charities is one of the best ways to improve the quality of life here in Stark County," said Library Foundation President, David Waikem.

More than twenty new funds were established by individuals, families, and corporations during **"give BIG Stark County,"** while over 25 current donors contributed additional dollars to their funds. "We chose to participate in the matching grant program because it will increase our ability to give more money to charities of our choice in the community," said Bob Leibensperger.

The response to "give BIG Stark County" speaks volumes in terms of our donors' care and concern for our community. Their generosity will have a tremendous impact on programs and services today and well into the future.

Thanks again, Stark County!

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