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Your generosity continues to advance and enhance the quality of life in the Roanoke Valley and the other communities we serve, and your concern for others can be expressed in different ways. Many of you have causes that are very near and dear to your hearts. You may want to support the arts, or health care, or meet the needs of young children or older adults. You may have an affinity for the environment, or economic development, or helping young scholars pursue their educational dreams. With each specific cause, we are honored to help you achieve your charitable objectives.

For others, your support of the community through the Foundation comes from a more general sense of affection for your hometown, your city or county, or this region. You may have raised a family here, built a successful business, attended college, or chose to retire here. Your passion is simply to provide charitable assets that will make good things happen locally.

Establishing an unrestricted endowment within the Foundation or contributing to the Foundation’s pool of unrestricted grant funds are both wonderful and powerful choices. Such philanthropy enables us to quickly and effectively meet urgent, important, or previously-unknown needs as they arise — for generations to come.

We encourage you to find the appropriate fit for you, and we deeply appreciate your support and involvement!
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Are you passionate about improving the lives of those around you?

Become a member of our philanthropic family.

For more than 27 years, Foundation for Roanoke Valley has been empowering people just like you to do great things in our community. We provide the professional service to help you accomplish your charitable goals. Whether you make an annual gift to the Foundation’s Operating Fund, unrestricted Community Enrichment Fund or a major gift to create your own named fund, all have enduring and important value. Our board’s prudent financial oversight and our program staff’s professional expertise will help you fulfill your philanthropic wishes while establishing your legacy in the community.

There are many advantages to giving through Foundation for Roanoke Valley:

IT’S EASY: Foundation staff handles your fund’s set-up, investments and grant administration, much like a private foundation but with none of the administrative work for you.

IT’S COST EFFECTIVE: A minimum gift of $10,000 (with the exception of Scholarship or Grantee Endowment funds which require $25,000) establishes your fund, which can accept additional gifts at any time. There are no set-up fees, and it can be done quickly using a simple fund agreement. Each fund provides a modest annual administrative contribution that enables the Foundation to carry out its work in the community.

IT’S A TAX BENEFIT: Because the Foundation is a public charity, we offer the maximum tax advantages under state and federal laws.

IT’S LOCAL: The Foundation’s deep roots and keen local knowledge can help you maximize your gift’s impact in the community.

IT’S FOREVER: Your gift keeps on giving long after you are gone. Giving cash, stocks, real estate, retirement assets or even intellectual property are all ways to support the community you love. You can donate these assets during your lifetime or through a planned estate gift. Your Community Foundation staff, working with your attorney, accountant or other advisor, can help create a plan that will achieve your philanthropic dreams.

For more information contact us at 540.985.0204 or visit our website at foundationforroanokevalley.org.
ENDOWMENT FUND OPTIONS

Almost any charitable purpose can be served through the variety of funds offered by the Foundation, and funds can be established in your name or in the name of a loved one.

COMMUNITY CATALYST FUNDS

Imagine if you could touch the lives of people in every corner of the community – all with a single gift. That’s what donors to our Community Catalyst Funds make possible. Every year the Foundation receives far more grant requests than it is able to fund. Your help in building our unrestricted Community Enrichment Fund is greatly needed and is certainly appreciated by the Foundation and the nonprofit organizations we serve.

This year, 26 grants exceeding $200,000 were funded through the generous donations to the Community Enrichment Fund and the unrestricted funds listed. These unrestricted funds provide the best long-term flexibility to meet a broad range of important community needs as determined by the Foundation’s Board and Community Programming Committee.

(These funds were established by the donor(s) either through a lifetime gift or an estate gift.)

Anonymous Fund

Dorothy S. Anderson Memorial Fund
Established through the estate of Dorothy S. Anderson.

Edith P. and Frank W. Bova Fund
Established by Edith and the late Frank Bova.

James Elmer and Margot Lange Brown Fund
Established by the estate of Margot Lange Brown.

John D. and Frances Huff Carr Memorial Fund
Established through the estate of Frances Huff Carr.

Community Enrichment Fund
Established by a member of the Board of Governors.

J. W. “Bill” and Alice G. Davis Fund
Established by the late Bill Davis.

J. B. and Grace Fishburn Memorial Fund
Established by Louise F. Kegley.

Al and Olivia Graham Fund
Established by Olivia G. Graham.

Gene A. Hylton Memorial Fund
Established through the estate of Gene A. Hylton.

Robert S. and Mary M. Hutcheson Fund
Established through the estate of Mary M. Hutcheson.

Mary Anne and Robert A. Kulp Fund
Established by the late Mary Anne Kulp.

The Sarah Snyder Laughon Charitable Fund
Established through the estate of Sarah Snyder Laughon.

Doris and Weldon Lawrence Family Fund
Established by Doris and the late Weldon Lawrence.

Lawrence Transportation Systems, Inc. Fund
Established by the Lawrence family.

Babe and Sidney Louis Fund
Established through the estate of Sidney Louis.

Jim and Anne Taylor Nimmo Fund
Established by Walter M. Dixon, Jr.

John and Sarah Belle Parrott Fund
Established by John and Sarah Belle Parrott.

The Patsel Fund
Established by the late Martin “Jake” Patsel, Jr.

Richard and Alva Scammon Fund
Established by the late Alva R. Scammon.

Robert H. and Doris G. Teter Funds
Established through charitable gift annuities by Robert and Doris Teter.

The Vinyard-Wood Fund
Established by the late Claiborne Vinyard.
FIELD-OF-INTEREST FUNDS

These funds reflect donors’ charitable interest areas. The Board of Governors of the Foundation and the Community Programming Committee annually select well-qualified grant recipients from within the specified field-of-interest. Donors who are interested in helping provide significant long-term support to an interest area below are invited to contribute assets to these “open” funds at any time or to establish a new fund that reflects the causes near to their hearts.

James R. Alvis Jr. Children’s Hospice Fund
Established by the late Roger Hodnett, Dr. William Baker, the late Al Tignor, family and friends, this fund helps needy children or needy parents of a child involved with a hospice program.

Anonymous Fund
This fund focuses on education.

C. Mead Boxley Memorial Fund
Established by the Boxley Family, this fund addresses the needs of young children under the age of six (75%) and also focuses on the research and treatment of spinal-cord injuries (25%).

Raymond and Mary Brodie Memorial Fund for the Education of Children
Established through the estate of Mary Brodie, this fund provides for educational opportunities for children under age 18.

Helen Cadd Elderly Protection Fund
Established by the grandchildren of Helen Cadd, this fund enables elderly citizens to feel more secure and safe in their residence.

Marion S. and Willie Z. Camp Fund for Eldercare
Established by the late Willie Z. Camp, this fund addresses the needs of the elderly in the Roanoke Valley.

Monte Cohen Fund
Established through transfer of the Monte Cohen Fund from Goodwill Industries of the Valleys, Inc., this fund, initially established by Sigmund and the late Harriet Davidson, provides assistance to persons with disabilities.

Anne E. Craghead Charitable Fund for the Needy
Established through the estate of Anne Elizabeth Craghead, this fund supports a local church and organizations that serve the needy.

The Earl D. and Carrie Leigh Doran Fund
Established through the estate of Earl D. Doran, this fund supports nonprofit agencies that were of interest to Earl, helps agencies that serve individuals and families confronting catastrophic, life-altering circumstances, and supports agencies that provide shelter, care and assistance to battered women.

The Hope Fund
Established by anonymous donors, this fund’s primary purpose is to support organizations that serve individuals and families in need of food, shelter or medical assistance, as well as battered women and children; also to support organizations that serve our Wounded Warriors that have been injured as a direct result of a military deployment, along with other non-profit organizations of interest to the donor.

Melva P. Jones Fund for Music and Art
Established through the estate of Melva P. Jones, this fund supports music and arts programs, preferred for the Town of Vinton.

Phalia M. and Guy M. Kinder Fund
Established by Phalia Miles Kinder and Guy Millard Kinder, this fund supports agencies and organizations which are effective and efficient in preventing cruelty to animals; research and medical advancement for the cure of the diseases in animals; professional education of animal caretakers; and programs that promote the positive relationship between humans and animals.

The Camille M. Lownds Charitable Fund
Established through the estate of Camille Lownds, this fund supports the needs of children with cancer or cancer research.

Mary Louise Home Fund
Established with assets from the Mary Louise Home of The King’s Daughters, this fund supports and cares for elderly indigent residents of the Roanoke Valley.

Thomas P. and Lewise S. Parsley Fund
Established by the late Lewise Parsley, this fund places a premium on the preservation of dignity, hope and personal independence for the elderly and needy. The fund addresses three specific community concerns: to help the elderly and

Marion K. Ramsey Fund
Established by Dr. and Mrs. Douglas E. Pierce, the fund supports elderly citizens in the community.

Roanoke Valley Children’s Fund
Established by the B. Wilson Porterfield, Jr. Foundation, this fund addresses the broad needs of children in the Valley from prenatal care until their sixth birthday.

School Violence Assistance Fund
Established by numerous donors to assist the victims and families of victims of the April 16, 2007 tragedy at Virginia Tech. Unused funds will be available to address other school violence issues.

Dr. Charles L. Shedd Endowment Fund
Established by the Shedd School Foundation, this fund honors and commemorates the life of Charles Livingston Shedd, Ph.D. and supports educational needs.

Jacqueline S. (Jackie) and Shelborn L. (S.L.) Spangler Fund
Established by the late Shelborn L. Spangler, this fund supports a wide variety of important community needs and opportunities in the communities of Poages Mill, Bent Mountain, Copper Hill and Check, Virginia.

Larry Woodrow Vest Fund
Established through the estate of Larry Woodrow Vest, this fund supports a wide range of community needs with particular consideration being given to charitable organizations providing services to Floyd County, Virginia residents.
These funds help young men and women pursue educational opportunities based on criteria established by the fund donors.

The Alphin Family Scholarship Fund
Established by the late Samuel B. McGhee and nieces and nephews in memory of Elizabeth Alphin Brown and Louise Alphin McGhee, this fund provides undergraduate higher education scholarships to deserving Rockbridge County High School graduates.

Anonymous Fund
This fund will provide educational scholarship assistance and supports local social service agencies.

Sue Blackwell Scholarship Fund
Established by the Roanoke Valley Aquatic Association, an anonymous donor and many friends, this fund provides college scholarships to high school seniors who are members of RVAA.

Cave Spring Lions Club Scholarship Fund
Established by the late Lion Frank W. Martin, this fund provides college scholarships to Roanoke Valley high school seniors, with an emphasis on volunteerism and leadership.

CITY School Foundation Scholarship Fund
Established through Roanoke City Public Schools with royalties from Empty Chairs, this fund will perpetuate the legacy of CITY School by providing educational scholarship assistance to young men and women attending Patrick Henry High School and William Fleming High School.

Scholarship Fund for Craig County High School Students
This fund provides college scholarships to Craig County High School graduates.

Christi Crutchfield Memorial Scholarship Fund
Established by Roanoke Valley Wine Company, this fund provides educational scholarship assistance to young men and women attending Northside High School or Lord Botetourt High School.

Helen F. Dickson Scholarship Fund
Established through the estate of Helen F. Dickson, this fund provides higher education scholarship assistance to Alleghany High School and Covington High School students.

Lenna E. Etzler Scholarship Fund
Established through the estate of Lenna E. Etzler, this fund provides higher education scholarship assistance to Lord Botetourt High School students.

Franklin County Ed-U-K8or Scholarship Fund
Established by Walter K. and Kimberley Young, this fund will provide educational scholarship assistance to needy, deserving students attending Franklin County Public Schools.

Gilbert-Thompson Memorial Award Fund
Established by Dr. and Mrs. James I. Gilbert, Ill and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Thompson, this fund provides higher education scholarship assistance to Alleghany County High School students.

Joseph Waskey Gilbert Memorial Fund Award
Established by the Falling Springs Presbyterian Church, Covington, Virginia, this fund provides higher education scholarships to students involved with the church.

Clarence M. Gillis Memorial Scholarship Fund
Established by Thelma Haynesworth and family members in memory of Clarence M. Gillis, this fund provides higher education scholarship assistance to Roanoke City high school students.

Nancy and Bud Goehringer Scholarship Fund
Established by Nancy and Bud, this fund provides scholarship assistance to Franklin County High School students who are pursuing an Associates Degree through a Virginia community college or advanced studies at an accredited career or technical school, college or university.

Michael Dean Guilliams Memorial Scholarship Fund
Established by Penny Guilliams and her family and friends, this fund provides scholarship assistance to students who are pursuing studies to enhance their career in a vocational or technical field.

Ethel Snidow Holland Memorial Scholarship Fund
Established through the estate of Ethel S. Holland, this fund provides scholarships to high school graduates who wish to continue their education in college or vocational school.
Margaret Jones Irvin Scholarship Fund
Established by the late Reid Jones, Jr., this fund provides college scholarships to students pursuing an undergraduate, graduate or doctoral degree.

Jefferson College of Health Sciences Scholarship Fund
Established by Jefferson College of Health Sciences Education Foundation, this fund provides educational scholarship assistance to deserving young men and women who intend to pursue a career in the health sciences.

Melva P. Jones Scholarship Fund
Established through the estate of Melva P. Jones, this fund provides educational scholarship assistance to young men and women attending William Byrd High School who desire to further their education after secondary school.

Grace Lovegrove Memorial Scholarship Fund
Established by Patrick Henry High School and many donors, this fund provides educational scholarship assistance to young men and women attending Patrick Henry High School.

Lucy Addison High School Class of 1965 Scholarship Fund
Established by members of the Lucy Addison High School Class of 1965, this fund will provide college scholarships to help worthy young people attain their higher education goals.

Marion Senior High School Memorial Scholarship Fund for Music, Art, the Performing Arts, and Education
Established by several donors in memory of deceased members of the Class of 1970 and for all classes of the school who wish to memorialize classmates and loved ones.

Edwin K. Mattern, Jr. Memorial Scholarship Fund
Established by Deborah N. Mattern and Summers Mattern Henderson, this fund provides college scholarships to Roanoke Valley high school seniors.

Connie Stephens May Scholarship Fund
Established by Teresa M. Stowasser, this fund honors and memorializes her mother’s long interest in education by helping worthy students who are resuming or beginning their higher education after a lapse of years to attain their higher education goals.

Ronald L. Mayfield, Jr. Scholarship Fund
Established by friends and colleagues of Ron Mayfield, this fund provides college scholarships to Patrick Henry High School or William Fleming High School seniors enrolled in the English Language Learners Program.

The Louise and Sam McGhee Scholarship Fund
Established by the late Samuel B. McGhee and nieces and nephews, this fund provides undergraduate higher education scholarships to deserving James River High School graduates.

Carol Lee McGuire-Bishop Scholarship Fund
Established by Norris C. Bishop, Jr., this fund provides college scholarships to graduating seniors at Alleghany High School who are pursuing a degree at Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.

Dorothy and Julien Meyer, Sr., M.D. Scholarship Fund
Established by the late Julien H. Meyer, Sr., this fund provides higher education scholarships to Roanoke Valley high school graduating seniors to pursue premedical studies.

Clarissa Edwards Noland Memorial Scholarship Fund
Established in memory of Clarissa Edwards Noland, this fund awards scholarships to deserving students intending to pursue a career in teaching or creative writing.

The National Honor Society – Felton Pendleton Memorial Scholarship Fund
Established by Edmund Pendleton, this fund provides undergraduate higher education scholarships to deserving George Wythe High School graduates.

Walter M. Otey, III Scholarship Fund
Established by Walter M. Otey, III, this fund provides undergraduate educational scholarship assistance to deserving students pursuing degrees from Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University’s College of Agriculture and Life Sciences and Roanoke College.

Jean L. Price Scholarship Fund
Established by the late Jean L. Price, this scholarship fund will provide financial scholarships to underprivileged students living in the Roanoke Valley.

Dr. Robert A. Pruner Memorial Scholarship Fund
Established by Carol Pruner, this fund provides college scholarships to Patrick Henry High School graduates.

2015 SCHOLARSHIP IMPACT
43 Students
59% FEMALE | 41% MALE
$99,800 Awarded
The Foundation held its Annual Scholarship Dinner at Roanoke Sheraton Hotel and Conference Center on May 21, 2015. Close to $100,000 in scholarships was awarded to many deserving young men and women throughout the Greater Roanoke Valley. Approximately 140 donors, parents, and students attended this wonderful event.

**Phillip Charles “Flip” Reid Scholarship Fund**
Established by the late Charles Preston Reid, this fund provides scholarships to Alleghany High School baseball players.

**The E. Price Ripley Memorial Foundation Fund**
Established through the transfer of the E. Price Ripley Memorial Foundation to the community foundation, this fund provides higher education scholarships to Roanoke Valley high school graduates.

**Frank W. (Bo) Rogers Scholarship Fund**
Established by the family of Frank W. Rogers, Jr. and Woods Rogers, PLC, this fund provides scholarship support to local students, with an emphasis on volunteerism.

**David Roller Memorial Scholarship Fund**
Established by David Roller’s family and friends, this fund provides college scholarships to at least one student each from Patrick Henry High School and William Fleming High School who plan to study art at the college level.

**Frances Parker Rupert Memorial Scholarship Fund for Music and the Performing Arts**
Established by Burdette A. Rupert, Sr. and B.A. Rupert, Jr., this fund provides music and art scholarships for student artists in the Alleghany Highlands region.

**Michael David Scott Memorial Scholarship Fund in honor of the James River High School Class of 2000**
Established by Michael’s father, Billy; mother, Holly; brother, Kyle and family and friends, this fund provides higher education scholarships to James River High School seniors with learning disabilities.

**Frank D. “Bo” Shrader Memorial Scholarship Fund**
Established by Sarah W. Davis and family and friends, this fund provides scholarship assistance to Bath County High School seniors to pursue vocational arts studies.

**Eddie Simpson Scholarship Fund**
Established by the late W.B. Overstreet, this Fund honors and memorializes Captain Eddie Simpson by helping worthy students attain their higher education goals through scholarship support.

**Joyce and Shad Solomon Family Scholarship Fund**
Established through the estate of Joyce H. Solomon, this fund provides higher education scholarships to Bath County High School students.

**Samuel “Bo” Terry Scholarship Fund**
This fund honors and memorializes Samuel “Bo” Terry’s life and commitment to the community through educational scholarships for deserving young men and women.

**Bryan William Thomas Scholarship Fund**
Established by Jean and Jay Thomas, family and friends, this fund provides college scholarships to Glenvar High School senior athletes.

**Kenneth D. Twitchell Memorial Scholarship Fund**
Established through the estate of Kenneth Twitchell, this fund provides scholarships to students who are the children of hourly employees of Branch & Associates, Inc.

**H.B. and E.B. Wharton Scholarship Fund**
Established through the estate of E. B. Wharton, this fund provides higher education scholarships to Roanoke City or Roanoke County students, preferably of the Christian Scientist faith and preferably to attend Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University. The fund will also support the First Church of Christ Scientist of Roanoke.

**Dianne E. H. Wilcox Scholarship Fund**
Established by the late Reid Jones, Jr., this fund provides college scholarships to students pursuing an undergraduate, graduate or doctoral degree.

**The John W. Wilks, M.D. Excellence in Science Memorial Scholarship Fund**
Established by the family of John W. Wilks, M.D., this fund will provide educational scholarship assistance to support needy and deserving students with the intention of pursuing a career in the medical field.

**Melva Dulaney Wright Memorial Scholarship Fund**
Established by Emie Wright in memory of his mother, the fund provides financial assistance to Cave Spring High School Students, Cave Spring High School Students who are employees of Integrated Textile Solutions, and the children of employees of Integrated Textile Solutions.
These funds allow donors to choose up-front a specific nonprofit organization or group of organizations to receive long-term support.

**Administrative Endowment Fund**
Supported by numerous donors, this fund helps support the daily administrative needs of the Foundation.

**Stella M. and Grover C. Agee Charitable Gift Annuity**
Established by Stella and the late Grover Agee, this fund will support The Rescue Mission of Roanoke, Inc.

**Mary Josephine Haynes Allen Fund for Continuing Education**
Established by the Mary Josephine H. Allen Charitable Trust, this fund will support Bethany Hall.

**Elizabeth B. and Richard G. Anderson Charitable Gift Annuity**
Established through a charitable gift annuity by Elizabeth and Richard Anderson, this fund will support two Rockbridge County organizations.

**Anonymous Fund**
This fund focuses on selected social service and cultural organizations.

**Thomas L. and Virgie H. Ayers Charitable Gift Annuities**
Established by Thomas and the late Virgie Ayers, these funds will support The Rescue Mission of Roanoke, Inc.

**Dorothy Back and Nathaniel Back Charitable Fund**
Established by the late Nathaniel Back, this fund is designated to support a local agency.

**Carroll E. and Vella H. Bowyer Charitable Gift Annuity**
Established by Carroll and Vella Bowyer, this fund will support The Rescue Mission of Roanoke, Inc.

**Margaret I. Camplejohn Charitable Gift Annuity**
Established by Margaret I. Camplejohn, this fund will support The Rescue Mission of Roanoke, Inc.

**Reba K. and Sidney Falkenstein Fund**
Established by Joan F. Brenner and David S. Falkenstein, this fund supports Temple Emanuel and Greenvale School, Inc.

**Howard Feiertag Charitable Gift Annuity**
Established by Howard Feiertag, this fund will support the Warm Hearth Foundation Fund.

**Fund for Educating Ministers and Missionaries**
Established by the late Samuel B. McGhee, this fund provides higher education scholarship assistance to students at Union Theological Seminary and Presbyterian School of Christian Education to pursue a career as an ordained minister or as a missionary.

**Fund for Garth Newel Music Center**
Established by Edward A. and Susan R. O’Neal, this fund benefits Garth Newel Music Center.

**The Glenvar Football Fund**
Established by an anonymous donor, this fund benefits the Glenvar football programs.

**The Zelda and Julius Halpern Fund**
Established through the estates of Zelda and Julius Halpern, this fund supports six nonprofit organizations.
The Help, Inc. Fund
Established by W. Stebbins Hubard, Jr., this fund will support Bethany Hall, Inc.

The Samuel Charles and Neva Carol Baker Hill Charitable Fund
Established through the estate of Samuel C. Hill, this fund benefits the Bradley Free Clinic and The Salvation Army.

Rita Knox Hutts Memorial Fund
Established through the estate of Rita Knox Hutts, this fund supports many of her favorite charities and organizations helping those in need.

Gene A. Hylton Administrative Endowment Fund
Established through the estate of Gene A. Hylton, this fund supports the Foundation’s work in the community.

John A. Jamison Fund
Established by the Jamison family and by Blue Ridge Community Services, this fund helps selected clients of Blue Ridge Behavioral Healthcare pursue educational opportunities.

Sara W. Johnston Charitable Remainder Annuity Trusts
Established by Sara W. Johnston, these funds will support organizations of interest to Sara.

V. Diane Kelly Fund for Forgotten Victims
Established by Elizabeth (Ibby) Greer, this fund supports the Forgotten Victims Program of the Mental Health America of Roanoke Valley, a child advocacy program.

Sandy Mac Campership Fund
Established in honor of W. Alexander McEachern to provide camp experiences for youth at UUC youth camps.

The Conrad and Clara Avril Maier Fund
Established by Mary C. Maier, this designated fund benefits the scholarship program of Hollins University and may also benefit The Nature Conservancy, Christendom College, and a hospice in the Roanoke Valley.

Dr. Norman G. and Doris M. Marriott Charitable Gift Annuities
Established by Norman and Doris Marriott, this fund will support The Rescue Mission of Roanoke, Inc. and Warm Hearth Foundation.

Debra C. Meade Fund for United Way of Roanoke Valley
Established by Debra C. Meade, this fund will support United Way of Roanoke Valley.

Dorothy and Julien Meyer, Sr., Fund
Established by the late Julien H. Meyer, Sr., this fund supports capital improvements for Temple Emanuel, Roanoke, Virginia.

Julien H. Meyer, Sr. Fund
Established by the late Julien H. Meyer, Sr., this fund supports the Roanoke Symphony.

Barton and Margaret Morris Administrative Endowment Fund
Established by Margaret and the late Barton Morris and supported by numerous donors, this fund helps support the daily administrative needs of the Foundation and provides an annual challenge to the Foundation’s Board of Governors.

The Dorothy S. and Walter Muir Memorial Fund
Established through the estate of Walter Muir, this fund supports the Roanoke Valley Chess Club, the Fintel Library at Roanoke College, and the Western Virginia Foundation for the Arts and Sciences.

Kenneth L. Murdock Charitable Gift Annuity
Established by Kenneth Lyle Murdock, this fund will support the Warm Hearth Foundation Endowment Fund.

Mabel R. Naff Charitable Gift Annuities
Established by Mabel Naff, these funds will support The Rescue Mission of Roanoke, Inc.

Betty Grubb and C.E. Norris Fund
Established by Betty Grubb Norris, this fund will support Pikeville High School, Pikeville, KY for the school’s C.E. Norris Scholarship and Girl Scouts of Virginia Skyline Council, Roanoke, VA for The Betty Grubb Norris Scholarship Fund.

Louis and Agnes Popp Fund
Established through the estate of Louis F. Popp, this fund benefits seven charitable organizations.

George A. and Pauline Pruner Endowment Fund
Established by Pruner Family members, this Fund benefits Lebanon Memorial United Methodist Church of Lebanon, Virginia.

Pultz-Young Memorial Endowment Fund
Established by James M. Young and Barbara P. Young to honor their parents, this fund benefits the Presbyterian Community Center.

Melvin B. Spencer Charitable Gift Annuities
Established by Melvin Spencer, these funds will support The Rescue Mission of Roanoke, Inc.

Melva Ruth Wise Stovall Charitable Gift Annuity
Established by Melva Ruth Wise Stovall, this fund will support The Rescue Mission of Roanoke, Inc.

Martha and Nelson Teague Fund
Established by Martha and Nelson Teague, this fund supports the needs of the Child Health Investment Partnership.

Dr. Robert Manton Wilson Memorial Fund to Eradicate Leprosy
Established by the late Samuel B. McGhee, this fund supports worldwide efforts to eradicate the scourge of leprosy.

Wings Scholarship Fund
Established by anonymous donors, this designated fund provides scholarship assistance to Southwest Virginia Higher Education Center.
These funds enable donors to be active partners with the Foundation in the grantmaking process by allowing them to make grant recommendations from the fund to the Foundation’s board. Donors can make the same or different recommendations each year.

**E. Ralph Anderson Memorial Fund**  
Established through a bequest from Barbara F. Anderson, the fund is advised by D. Gary Anderson to support a wide range of important community needs and designated to support Woodlawn United Methodist Church, Roanoke, Virginia.

**Anonymous Fund**  
This fund focuses on education.

**Polly and Bill Armistead Fund**  
Established by the late Polly and Bill Armistead, this fund focuses on the needs of the medically indigent as advised by Elfleda Ring.

**The Blue Mountain Fund**  
Established and advised by Tom and Mary Evelyn Tielking.

**Audrey U. Boggs Fund**  
Established and advised by Audrey Boggs.

**John W. and Sadie M. R. Boyle Fund**  
Established by Sadie M. R. Boyle and advised by John Boyle.

**The John and Matilda Bradshaw Fund**  
Established and advised by John P. and Matilda H. Bradshaw, Jr.

**Bundy Family Fund**  
Established and advised by Patricia and William Bundy.

**Doris B. Chrisman Fund**  
Established by the late Dan A. Chrisman, this fund supports the History Museum, the Historical Society of Western Virginia, and the Raleigh Court United Methodist Church, and as advised by his son, D. Kent Chrisman.

**The William M. Claytor Family Memorial Fund**  
Established through the estate of William M. Claytor and advised by family members.

**The Clifton Family Fund**  
Established by Dorothy S. and the late Orrin W. Clifton and advised by Dotsy.

**John D. and Mary S. Copenhaver Charitable Fund**  
Established and advised by Mary S. Copenhaver.

**Dennis R. and Elaine Milan Cronk Fund**  
Established and advised by Dennis and Elaine.

**Harriet Davidson Memorial Fund**  
Established and advised by Sigmund E. Davidson.

**Eva and Calvert de Coligny Fund**  
Established and advised by Eva L. and Calvert G. de Coligny.

**The DeVerter Charitable Fund**  
Established and advised by John S. and Ruth H. DeVerter.

**Frank T. and Lucy Russell Ellett Fund**  
Established and advised by Frank and Lucy Ellett, this fund supports a wide range of important community needs with a special emphasis on environmental and educational issues.

**Bill and Diane Elliot Fund**  
Established and advised by William D. and Diane W. Elliot.

**Alvin B. Fink Memorial Fund**  
Established and advised by Marc and Suzy Fink, this fund is used to attract and underwrite Jazz performances at The Jefferson Center, Roanoke, Virginia.

**Katherine Nelson Fishburn Foundation Fund**  
Established through transfer of the K. N. Fishburn Foundation, a private foundation, to the community foundation, this fund provides grants primarily to social service, educational and...
cultural organizations and is advised by family members.

The Flippin Fund
Established and advised by G. Franklin Flippin and Sarah M. Copenhaver.

J. Spencer and Joy Frantz Donor Advised Fund
Established and advised by James Frantz, Jr. and Robert Frantz.

Spencer and Joy Frantz Fund
Established and advised by J. Spencer and Joy D. Frantz.

F. Fulton Galer Fund
Established and advised by Fulton Galer.

Rand and Jan Garrett Fund
Established and advised by Rand and Jan, this fund supports programs and agencies which address issues relating to infants and young children, generally but not exclusively from prenatal care through age two.

Robert E. and Clydenne R. Glenn Fund
Established by Robert E. and the late Clydenne R. Glenn and advised by Bob.

The Griffin Family Fund
Established and advised by Catherine Griffin.

Lucian Y. and June B. Grove Fund
Established by the late Lu and June Grove and advised by family members.

Joe and Linda Hopkins Fund
Established by Joe and Linda Hopkins.

A. Anson and Theresa G. Jamison Fund
Established through the estate of Theresa G. Jamison.

Dan and Nancy Karnes Fund
Established and advised by Daniel E. and Nancy W. Karnes.

Philip C. Kistler Memorial Fund
Established by Mary Kistler Bickford and advised by Mary Kistler Bickford and her children Ashley Kistler, Gene Kistler, Elly Cote and Kathy Craft.

The Stan and Elise Lanford Family Fund
Established and advised by Stan and Elise.

William Jacob and Barbara Inez Boyle Lemon Fund
Established by Bill and the late Barbara Lemon, this fund supports a wide range of important community needs with a special emphasis on cultural activities, conservation and preservation, social services and education as advised by Bill Lemon.

Iris Snyder McCallum Fund
This fund supports a wide range of important community needs with primary support to the Virginia Baptist Children’s Home and Family Services.

The McClain Family Fund
Established and advised by Mark McClain.

The McClurg Family Fund
Established and advised by Cathy Z. Ford and James T. McClung, Jr.

Sara L. and Samuel H. McGhee, III Fund
Established and advised by Sara L. and Samuel H. McGhee, III.

Debra C. Meade Family Fund
Established by Debra C. Meade, this fund will support United Way of Roanoke Valley.

The Lynn and Julien Meyer Fund
Established and advised by Lynn and Julien H. Meyer, Jr.

Barton W. and Margaret J. Morris Fund
Established by Margaret and the late Barton Morris and advised by B. Wistar Morris, III and Anna J. Morris.

Marshall and Monika Mundy Fund
Established and advised by Marshall and Monika.

Dr. Robert L. and Marjorie J. Murray Fund
Established and advised by Robert and Marjorie Murray.

Phyllis and Jim Olin Fund
Established by Phyllis and the late Jim Olin and advised by Phyllis.

S. Kime Patasel Fund
Established and advised by S. Kime Patasel.

Nancy and Ballard Pinkard Fund
Established and advised by Nancy B. and Ballard F. Pinkard.

Doris and Roy R. Pollard, Jr. Fund
Established by Doris and the late Roy Pollard, this fund supports a wide range of important community needs with a special emphasis on underprivileged children as advised by Doris.

B. Wilson Porterfield, Jr. Foundation Fund
Established through transfer of the B. Wilson Porterfield Foundation, a private foundation, to the community foundation, this fund supports a wide range of community needs. Its advisors are Bittle W. Porterfield, III and Charlotte K. Porterfield.

The Pruner Fund
Established by Carol W. and the late Robert A. Pruner and advised by Carol.

The Richard and Jean Rakes Foundation Fund
Established through transfer of The Richard and Jean Rakes Foundation, this fund provides support for the University of Richmond, the Law School, and Greene Memorial United Methodist Church, as well as a wide range of important community needs as advised by Richard and Jean.

James and Nancy Revercomb Fund
Established by Nancy and the late Jim Revercomb and advised by Nancy Revercomb.

Roanoke Greek Festival Fund
Established and advised by the Committee of the Roanoke Greek Festival.

William and Margaret Robertson Fund
Established and advised by William and Margaret Robertson.

The Robertson Family Fund
Established and advised by Thomas M. Robertson, Sr.

The Marty and Sherry Robison Family Fund
Established by Martin L. and the late Sherry R. Robison and advised by Marty.

Frank W. (Bo) Rogers, Jr. Fund
Established and advised by the family of Frank W. Rogers, Jr. and Woods Rogers, PLC, this fund supports a wide range of important community and educational needs.

Alan E. Ronk Executive Director’s Discretionary Fund
Established by Foundation for Roanoke Valley Board of Governors and other community members and advised by Alan E. Ronk.
Nonprofits can establish a fund solely for their benefit within the Foundation rather than separately creating and managing such a fund themselves. Donors who are interested in helping provide significant long-term support to the named agencies below are invited to contribute assets to these "open" funds at any time.

**Frances Parker Rupert Memorial Fund for Music and the Performing Arts**
Established by Burdette A. Rupert, Sr. and B.A. Rupert, Jr., this fund supports music and arts organizations in the Alleghany Highlands region.

**Vera A. Sadler Charitable Gift Annuity Fund**
Established through a charitable gift annuity by Vera Sadler.

**Christopher Shoup Fund to Promote Mental Health and Prevent Substance Abuse**
Established and advised by Barry L. and Cynthia M. Shelor in memory of Christopher Shoup, this fund promotes positive mental health and the alleviation, treatment, and prevention of alcohol and substance abuse in the community.

**Louis R. Showalter Fund**
Established and advised by Lou Showalter.

**Apple Ridge Farm Endowment Fund**

**Shirley Berbert Memorial Fund**

**Big Brothers Big Sisters of Southwest Virginia**

**Blue Ridge Land Conservancy Fund**

**Blue Ridge Parkway Foundation Trust**
Established through the generosity of Bud and Brenda Hilton to encourage others to protect and preserve the Blue Ridge Parkway.

**The Shirley and Cabell Brand Fund (For TAP)**
Established by TAP through the support of nearly 200 individuals, corporations, foundations and organizations in honor of the late Cabell Brand's long service to the community.

**CHIP of Roanoke Valley Fund**

**Civitan Club of Roanoke, Inc. Fund**

**The Spetzler Fund**
Established and advised by Bert and Clarine Spetzler, this fund supports a wide range of important community needs with an emphasis on education and social opportunity.

**The Sudan Fund**
Established and advised by anonymous donors, this fund addresses a wide variety of important needs and opportunities through grants to eligible charitable agencies and missions working to serve the peaceable, physical and spiritual needs of Sudanese residents.

**Sumdat Foundation**
Established and advised by Sonny Fleisher.

**Ken and Sara Tuck Fund**
Established and advised by Ken and Sara Tuck.

**The Walter P. Dungan Literacy Fund, Literacy Volunteers of Roanoke Valley**

**Good Samaritan Hospice Fund**
Established through the generosity of Dr. and Mrs. George K. Bowers and two anonymous donors.

**Historic Fincastle, Inc. Endowment Fund**

**History Museum & Historical Society of Western Virginia’s David H. Burrows Endowment Fund**
Established by the Museum through the generosity of David Burrows to support the Crystal Spring Pumping Station.

**History Museum & Historical Society of Western Virginia Kegley Publication Fund**
Established by the Museum through the generosity of the Kegley family to support the Kegley Publication Fund.
The Turner Family Fund
This fund supports a wide range of important community needs.

Ralph Joseph Walters Memorial Fund
Established and advised by Joe and Susan Walters, this fund supports a wide range of important community needs with a special emphasis on young children.

Mary and Douglas Waters Fund
Established and advised by Mary and Doug Waters.

The Barton J. and Jacqueline B. Wilner Family Fund
Established by Dorothy A. Wilner and advised by Barton J. and Jacqueline B. Wilner.

Historical Society of W. VA — Vinyard-Showalter Fund
Established by the Museum through the generosity of W. Darnall Vinyard to inspire others to provide endowment resources for the long-term benefit of the Agency.

Mill Mountain Theatre Fund

Opera Roanoke Fund for Performance and Education

Partners for SUCCESS Fund
Established by Roanoke City Schools.

Planned Parenthood Health Systems, Inc.

The Rescue Mission Fund
The following funds were established as Charitable Gift Annuities to benefit The Rescue Mission Fund:
- Richard Allfather and Julia M. Horner Fund
- Lillian S. Brown Fund
- Burt C. Horne, Jr. Fund
- Walter M. Lockett Fund
- Mary H. Milan Fund
- Betty D. and Jimmy T. Moore Fund
- Nancy B. Robertson Fund

Roanoke Adventist Preparatory School Endowment Fund
Roanoke Area Ministries Fund
Roanoke Valley Academy of Medicine Foundation
Roanoke Valley S.P.C.A. Endowment Fund
Rockbridge Area Hospice Fund
United Way of Roanoke Valley, Inc. Fund
Warm Hearth Foundation Fund
The following fund was established as a Charitable Gift Annuity to benefit Warm Hearth:
- Lee B. Brown Fund

Did you know ...
Foundation for Roanoke Valley provided more than 600 HOURS of technical training to local nonprofit organizations
STEPPING UP WHEN IT MATTERS

You may remember Underdog, for whom a booming voice would cry out: “There’s no need to fear — Underdog is here!” Or perhaps Mighty Mouse, who would staunchly and lyrically proclaim “Here I am to save the day!” Harmless cartoon fantasies acted out in a world much different than our own.

Or, are there indeed superheroes amongst us? We would propose that the many donors who support the Foundation’s unrestricted grants program are regularly dispelling fear and saving the day for countless children, families and older adults!

Whether it is underwriting employment training for homeless veterans when hope is lacking

Sparking a passion for Science and Technology in underprivileged children when they are in danger of being left behind

Placing AED equipment in facilities otherwise vulnerable to being caught unprepared for a medical emergency

Buying specialized equipment so a special-needs infant could have a better life

Making sure families have proper nutrition when the cupboards begin to get bare

Ensuring that folks lacking dental care for decades could get new dentures

(To be filled in by future unrestricted assets.)

You are making it happen through your concern for others and your trust in the community foundation. You give us the wherewithal and the flexibility to identify major gaps in services throughout the year and then to actively pursue solutions through well-considered grants.

Tomorrow will always bring new needs and opportunities, and together we will meet the challenges in the years ahead!
BE THE KEY

Some of the most important work being done in our communities is being funded by visionary donors who entrusted their funds to Foundation for Roanoke Valley based on its decades of thoughtful stewardship.

When you establish an Unrestricted Fund, you demonstrate an unparalleled commitment to the community’s future. You are the KEY to our ability to move our community forward in perpetuity.
WAYS TO ESTABLISH A FUND

The Foundation has lots of flexibility in serving the needs of donors. We enable you to create an endowment fund using a wide variety of gift techniques, such as those shown. We always encourage you to discuss these ideas with your attorney, accountant or other professional advisor, as this information is not intended as legal advice.

Outright Gift

CASH
You may establish a fund through an outright gift of cash. This is a simple and convenient way to give and receive tax advantages.

APPRECIATED SECURITIES
Gifts of appreciated securities are particularly attractive to donors. When you transfer ownership of the securities to the Foundation, you avoid capital gain on the appreciation. The Foundation is a public charity, meaning that it qualifies for the best available treatment under current tax laws and offers full market value deductions.

PROPERTY
Some donors may also choose to contribute real or tangible property as the initial assets of the fund.

Bequest
You may start a fund through a bequest in your will. Some donors designate a specific dollar amount or a percentage of their estate. Others simply leave the residue of their estate to the Foundation to create their named fund. Bequests are usually fully deductible for federal and state tax purposes.

Life Remainder Trust
If you have a paid-up life insurance policy that you no longer need for your family’s protection, you might consider giving it to the Foundation to establish a fund. Such a gift would qualify for an income tax deduction. If the policy is not fully paid-up, you may continue to pay the premiums and receive tax deductions for the amount of the premiums.

Charitable Remainder Trust (CRT)
A CRT enables you to provide a lifetime income to yourself, your spouse, or other beneficiary and provide the trust principal to the Foundation at your death. This principal is then used by the Foundation to create a permanent fund named for you or a loved one to forever carry out your charitable wishes.

Charitable Lead Trust (CLT)
A CLT enables you to provide current support to the Foundation through annual payments from the trust’s income for a period of years. These payments could flow into a permanent endowed fund named for you. Upon the termination of the trust, the principal would go to beneficiaries such as your grandchildren or others.

Private Foundation Transfer
For some trustees of private foundations, the demands of administering and making grants from a foundation can become burdensome. The assets of the private foundation can be transferred to the public community foundation, and a fund carrying the same name as the private foundation would be set up. The trustee could continue to be involved with the fund as an advisor but without any of the administrative headaches. The fund would also be relieved of excise taxes and other regulations.
INFORMATION FOR GRANT SEEKERS

This information details the Foundation’s grants program. Please be aware that the Foundation receives many more worthy requests than it can support.

Who Makes the Grant Decisions?
Foundation staff review proposals and conduct preliminary research, including site visits if necessary. The Foundation’s Community Programming Committee then considers requests and submits recommendations to the full Board of Governors for final decisions.

Who Is Eligible to Receive a Grant from the Foundation?
The Foundation supports qualified nonprofit organizations primarily in the cities of Roanoke and Salem and the counties of Roanoke, Alleghany, Botetourt, Craig and Franklin. Consideration may be given to organizations through our geographic affiliates in other areas or when specified by the donor, such as our Vest Fund for Floyd County, or our other funds benefiting southwestern Virginia.

What Projects and Programs Appeal to the Foundation?
The Foundation looks for projects and programs where a moderate amount of grant money can produce a significant result. We look for innovative but practical approaches to solving community problems. Grantees should show a well-planned approach to important public issues; a base of other support (financial, participatory and voluntary); efficient use of community resources; involvement of underserved constituencies; and coordination, cooperation and sharing among nonprofit organizations and elimination of project duplication.

What Does the Foundation Typically NOT Support?
Foundation grants are usually awarded only for the accomplishment of a definite purpose within a specified time period—normally not more than one year. Except for advised or designated funds, the Foundation typically does not support deficit reduction, capital campaigns or endowments, fundraising events, sectarian, fraternal or religious programs, or individuals.

What is the Application Process?
Please check the Foundation’s website www.foundationforroanokevalley.org for details as information about grant opportunities is posted at various times throughout the year.

Does the Foundation Require Reports on Grants?
The grant letter will indicate if a final report is required. If required, grantees may not re-apply to the same fund without having a completed report for the previous grant on file.
Through the wonderful generosity of many donors, the Foundation awarded nearly 800 grants and scholarships totaling nearly $2.4 million in fiscal year 2015. The grants ranged from $100 to $150,000. Many of the organizations listed below received multiple grants.

Access Exchange International
Adult Care Center of Roanoke Valley, Inc.
All Austin Cooperative Nursery School
Alleghany Highlands Arts Council
Alzheimer’s Association
American Cancer Society
American Conservative Union Foundation
American Diabetes Association
American Heart Association
American Leprosy Missions
American Lung Association of Virginia
American Red Cross, Roanoke Valley Chapter
American Shakespeare Center
American Society for Technion
AmeriCares Foundation
Angels of Assisi
AOPA Foundation, Inc.
Apple Ridge Farm, Inc.
Arthritis Foundation, Mid-Atlantic Region
Baptist Bible Hour
Bedford Community Health Foundation, Inc.
Belmont Baptist Church Roanoke
Bethany College
Bethany Hall
Blue Ridge Autism and Achievement Center
Blue Ridge Behavioral Healthcare
Blue Ridge Institute and Museum of Ferrum College
Blue Ridge Land Conservancy
Blue Ridge Literacy
Blue Ridge Parkway Foundation
Blue Ridge PBS
Blue Ridge Soaring Society
Blue Ridge Zoological Society of Virginia
Botetourt Resource Center
Boy Scouts of America,
Blue Ridge Mountains Council
Boys & Girls Clubs of Southwest Virginia
Boys’ Home, Inc.
Bradley Free Clinic
Brain Injury Services of SWVA
Callands Volunteer Fire Department
Cape Fear Academy, Inc.
CARE
Canilion Medical Center
Carmelite Sisters for the Aged and Infirm
Catholic Near East Welfare Association
Catholic Relief Services, Inc.
Cave Spring Rescue Squad
Center for Religious Tolerance
Charlotte Preparatory School, Inc.
Charlottesville Center for Peace and Justice
Check Elementary School
Child Health Investment Partnership
Children’s Hospital of Alabama
Children’s Trust Roanoke Valley
Christ Episcopal Church
Christopher and Dana Reeve Foundation
Church of the Brethren
Clean Valley Council
Cleveland Institute of Music
College Foundation of the University of Virginia
College of William and Mary
Community Christmas Store
Community School
Concord University
Conflict Resolution Center
Converse College
Cornell University
Council of Community Services
Covenant Presbyterian Church
Craig County Historical Society
Craig County Public Library, Inc.
Craig County Public Schools
Craig County Rescue Squad/EMS
Craig County Youth & Community Services Board
Cultural Arts For Excellence, CAFE
Dabney S. Lancaster Community College
D-Day Memorial Foundation
Disabled American Veterans-Dept. of VA Inc.
Doctors Without Borders USA
Easter Seals UCP of Greater Salem
Eastern Mennonite University/CJP
Emory & Henry
Explore More Discovery Museum
Fallon Park Elementary School
Family Promise of Greater Roanoke
Family Service Association of Redlands
Family Service of Roanoke Valley
Feeding America Southwest Virginia
Fellowship of Christian Athletes — Central and Southwest Virginia Chapter
Ferrum College
Fincastle Volunteer Fire Department
Fisher House Foundation, Inc.
Floyd Community Educational Association
Floyd County Schools
Foundation for Rehabilitation Equipment and Endowment (FREE)
Frank H. Kenan Chapel at Landfall
Free Clinic of Franklin County
Freedom Alliance
Friends of the Blue Ridge Parkway
Friends of the Roanoke City Public Library
Furman University
Garth Newel Music Center
George Mason University
Georgia Institute of Technology
Georgia Tech Foundation, Inc.
Girl Scouts of Virginia Skyline Council
Girls on the Run Roanoke Valley
Glenvar High School
Glenvar High School — Theatre Arts Dept.
Glenvar Middle School
Good Neighbors Fund
Good Samaritan Hospice, Inc.
Goodwill Industries of the Valleys, Inc.
Goucher College
Grandin Theatre Foundation
Greater Raleigh Court Civic League
Greenvale School, Inc.
Grove High School
Habitat for Humanity
Hampden-Sydney College
Harrison Museum of African American Culture
Healing Strides of VA
Heritage Foundation
Herman L. Horn Elementary
Hillsdale College
Historic Fincastle, Inc.
Historical Society of Western Virginia
Hollins Communications Research Institute
Hollins University
Hollywood Cemetery Company
HopeTree Family Services
Huntington’s Disease Society of America
Institute for Multi-Track Diplomacy
International Rescue Committee
James Madison University
Jefferson Center Foundation
Jefferson College of Health Sciences
Jefferson’s Poplar Forest
Joint Resident Council, Inc.
Jubal A. Early Preservation Trust
Judicial Watch
Junior Achievement of Southwest Virginia, Inc.
Roanoke Valley Gives is an initiative of Foundation for Roanoke Valley. The goal is to raise significant funding for participating Roanoke Valley nonprofits in a 24-hour period while bringing attention to the work and worth of each participating organization. All donations to the participating organizations on this website are tax-deductible.

It’s as easy as POINT-CLICK-GIVE, for as little as $10. Only on March 16, 2016.

rvgives.givebig.org
The Roanoke Women’s Foundation was co-founded in 2004 by Ginny Jarrett and Katherine Elliott in an effort to help women become philanthropic leaders. The Roanoke Women’s Foundation (RWF) currently has a roster of 153 women who have agreed to the group’s requirement to give $2,100 to the Foundation annually for three years. The RWF is focusing on giving grants to support critical needs, new ventures, capital campaigns, operating expenses, and innovative approaches to solving problems.

**Roanoke Women’s Foundation Grants**

In November 2014, the RWF awarded six impact grants totaling **$302,000**.

- **Brain Injury Services of Southwest Virginia** was awarded **$40,000** to fund research and provide operational support for two years that would allow the expansion of its internet based program called CLiC (Community Living Connection).

- **Healing Strides of Virginia** was awarded **$30,000** to help fund its first covered roof to ensure an environment safe for the young, medically fragile and elderly clients they serve.

- **Jefferson Center** was awarded **$30,000** to provide additional space and extra workstations for its Music Lab.

- **LEAP for Local Food** was awarded **$100,000** to complete the LEAP Community Kitchen located at the new West End Village.

- **Mill Mountain Theatre** was awarded **$30,000** to purchase up-to-date sound and lighting technology and replace equipment installed in 1983, some of which was “pre-owned” at the time.

- **New Horizons Healthcare** was awarded **$72,000** to fund its new, state-of-the-art dental clinic; specifically, a hygienist position who will provide comprehensive oral health care services to uninsured and underserved individuals, regardless of their ability to pay.

To date, the RWF has awarded **$2,096,000** to benefit the community.
PUBLIC SUPPORT

FOUNDING DONORS
(Endowment Fund)

It is a privilege to recognize a special group of individuals, families, private foundations and nonprofit organizations who established permanent endowment funds during the Foundation’s critical early years. These visionary donors saw the importance of endowing a community foundation that would provide significant resources to enrich the quality of life for current and future generations of Roanoke Valley citizens. Funds created by the donors listed below were put in place through outright gifts by December 31, 1996. Such Funds helped the Foundation reach and exceed its initial “critical mass” endowment goal of $5 million. In recognition of this support, each donor will be recognized in perpetuity as a “Founding Donor.”

James R. Alvis, Jr. Family and Friends
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Blue Ridge Community Services
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Margaret and Barton W. Morris
Jess Newbern, III
Lewise S. Parsley
Partners for SUCCESS (Roanoke City Schools)
Martin J. "Jake" Patsel, Jr.
Planned Parenthood of the Blue Ridge, Inc.
Doris W. and Roy R. Pollard, Jr.
B. Wilson Porterfield, Jr. Foundation – Bittle W. Porterfield, III
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Julie T. and Ronald M. Stagg
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United Way of Roanoke Valley, Inc.
Susan and Joe Walters

The Society of Founders
(Administrative)

The Society of Founders recognizes donors who have made gifts of $25,000 or more to the Foundation to support its administrative operations – either through contributions to the annual operating fund or to the administrative endowment.

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A dream of ... a Lasting Legacy

LEGACY SOCIETY MEMBERS

The Foundation’s Legacy Society recognizes those individuals and families who have included or did include the community foundation in their estate plan. We are deeply honored to recognize the members shown below. Future estate commitments from Legacy Society members and from others who prefer to remain anonymous at this time now total over $70 million. These future gifts will play a critical role in further strengthening this community for generations to come.

Eleanor W. Alvis*
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Frank W. “Bill” Bova, Jr. and Ruth J. Bova
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Donors who understand the importance of a permanent community endowment have trusted the Community Foundation to carefully manage and distribute their charitable funds for generations. If you would like to join this tradition of extraordinary generosity, please let us know so you can be recognized. We would be pleased to provide you with information necessary to make an informed giving decision.

A planned gift to Foundation for Roanoke Valley will have meaning and impact on our community for generations.

Choosing to include the Foundation as part of your estate plan is a wonderful way to provide permanent benefit to the community and organizations that are near and dear to you.

An estate gift to the Foundation is tax-wise and economical, flexible, permanent, and most importantly, personal. You can choose where your assets go – whether into a fund that perpetuates your name or the names of loved ones and your charitable interests, or into the Foundation’s unrestricted Community Enrichment Fund, Operating Fund, or one of the hundreds of existing endowment funds we administer.

In making estate gift decisions, we always encourage you to seek the advice of your professional advisors.
2014–15 Friends of the Foundation

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Building for the Future
Become a Friend of the Foundation

Our goal is to have 75 “Friends” this fiscal year, with a future goal of 100 or more annually as we grow. To do so, we need your help. Please consider a gift of $500 or more to Foundation for Roanoke Valley’s annual operating fund.

To learn more about the Friends of the Foundation program, call us today at 540.985.0204 or visit www.foundationforroanokevalley.org.
That’s what we’ve been doing for more than 27 years! We are fortunate that many of these good people demonstrate each year that a good cause they care about is the Foundation itself. These donors understand that, while we work very efficiently and frugally, it does take time and financial resources for us to be able to help hundreds of charitable organizations each year with our grants and technical assistance as well as help folks establish new endowments to benefit the community. For that we are honored to recognize them as “Friends of the Foundation.”

Individuals, families and organizations who give unrestricted administrative support to the Foundation in the amount of $500 or more are members of Friends of the Foundation for that fiscal year. The support is vital to keeping the community foundation strong and vibrant as we work hard to make this community an even better place for all. Thank you!
We are honored to recognize and thank the following donors who made administrative or endowment gifts or gifts-in-kind during the 2015 fiscal year.

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- Mr. and Mrs. John Abercrombie
- Mrs. Nancy Howell Agee
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