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I have been honored to be the President of the Hinton Area Foundation Board this year. It has definitely been a year of learning for me, but I have gained so much insight and knowledge on what it takes to be a community leader. The Foundation made an excellent decision to hire a full-time Executive Director, Myra Hogan, in early January of 2019. Working alongside Myra has been a blessing, as well as a learning process for both of us. The Board is expanding, and I am very excited about what changes and growth have and will come out of this. As I reflect on the past year, I have learned so much about the community’s leaders that are part of this organization.

The Foundation is full of hardworking individuals that have a sincere interest in serving our entire community. I have learned what all that community service embodies. Whether it be through the foundation, church, or nonprofit organizations, we have community leaders stepping up in many services that others might not be informed about. Performing community service is not about the recognition, it is about bettering the community that we all live in, work in, and raise families in. It is about helping others that need the support, encouragement, and often times hope. Serving our community can take the form of many different activities such as working with children, providing therapy, providing meals for people in need, providing aid to the elderly, rescuing animals, and working with youth sports. The list of how individuals have supported our community could go on and on.

Picturing a world without key community leaders is unimaginable. Without volunteers and people eager to help their community grow, many events and activities would not occur. I have always been a strong believer in anything worth having will take hard work and effort. Hinton is fortunate enough to have these community-minded individuals, and by working together we can make Hinton and Summers County a thriving and strong community. The Hinton Area Foundation Board appreciates everyone that supports the Foundation and volunteers their services to help our community. We would be lost without these volunteers and key members.

Thank you,
Kristi Scott

“Life’s most persistent and urgent question is, ‘What are you doing for others?’ ”

~ Martin Luther King Jr.
OW! What a year it has been. 2019 was full of change for me and for the Hinton Area Foundation. The old saying, “Be careful what you ask for” explains the feelings that the Board of Directors and I have experienced in moving from an all-volunteer organization to working with a full-time Executive Director. It’s like becoming a new parent, you are overjoyed with this new stage in life with all its amazing hopes and dreams, but the initial reality is kind of tough. That being said, the Hinton Area Foundation Board of Directors has been a patient and loving “parent,” guiding me through the course of this year’s challenging learning curve to the point where I can walk (toddle) without holding on to the furniture.

My emergence on the Hinton Area Foundation scene has made it possible for your community foundation to get the message about what we do out to current and former Summers County residents, who want great things to happen here. I want them to know that the Foundation, with their volunteer and financial support, can help the Summers County community support our mission to keep the good, while building the new here. We are quite well known for our support of graduates, non-traditional students and returning scholars to receive scholarships for college education. We are very proud of that tradition.

We are also proud of our support of local organizations who meet other critical needs in our area such as healthy meals and snacks for kids who need them when they are not in school; support for reading, writing and math skills over the school breaks; summer camp scholarships; sports equipment and uniforms; Learning Innovation Grants to teachers who put in some extra effort to reinforce learning in out-of-the-box ways; supporting folks who need extra help coping with the demands of cancer treatments; providing ways for our community to come together to enjoy arts and music through Second Saturdays; and on and on.

From 1992 to 2018, the Foundation had been mainly run quite successfully by volunteers. Our Board managed to start the Foundation, nurture it through its infancy, childhood and adolescence to the stage of its emerging adulthood. Starting with just over $100,000 in 1992 and growing the endowment to $4.6 million in 2015, the Board set an ambitious goal to grow the endowment to $10 Million by the end of 2020. You may be thinking, “That’s a lot of money!” But the Board knew it needed to aim high to meet the many goals for building on the potential for great things embodied in our community. Now, we can celebrate the achievement of having almost $8 million in our endowment as of December 31, 2019.

What many of you may not know is that Summers County is in the midst of a major transfer of wealth from the older generations to our younger generations over the next 40 years. In a study done by Keep5Local (www.keep5local.org) which came out in 2010, the estimated transfer of wealth from “hardworking citizens, industries, agriculture, natural resources, and businesses” within Summers County over the next 10 years is estimated to be $330 million. If just 5% of that wealth ($16.7 million) stayed in the local community and (even better) was invested in the Hinton Area Foundation’s endowment, our annual grants payout would be $830,000 – in perpetuity! Think about what we could do with $830,000 a year to build strength and resiliency into Summers County.

It is my goal to keep building that endowment (especially through discretionary funds that have the flexibility to meet the critical needs as they are presented in the community). I also aim to keep the community informed about how they can participate, because we need everyone who has the means to support Hinton and Summers County (young, old, current and former residents, friends, family, and other foundations, etc.).

One of my favorite fortune cookie fortunes says it best: “The mighty oak was once a little nut that stood its ground.” Won’t you join us in becoming that mighty oak?

Thank you for ALL that you do,

Myra Hogan
Executive Director
LEVELS OF GIVING

FUNDS

GOAL
$5,000,000

CURRENT COMMITMENTS
$3,947,422

CURRENT DONORS
0

GOAL
1,500

NUMBER OF DONORS
1,064

PROGRESS TO DATE

Key  Gift level:

Complete

Incomplete

STONELICK KNOB
8 gifts of $100,000 (100% complete)

ELK KNOB
2 gifts of $500,000 (50% complete)

FREEZELAND MOUNTAIN
2 gifts of $250,000 (150% complete)

HUMP MOUNTAIN
16 gifts of $50,000 (85% complete)

3 RIVERS
1,300 gifts under $10,000 (69% complete)

KEENEY KNOB
1 gift of $1,000,000

PIPESTEM KNOB
20 gifts of $25,000 (30% complete)

BLUESTONE MOUNTAIN
30 gifts of $10,000 (73% complete)
THE MANY WAYS OF GIVING

When our thoughts turn to giving, we usually think in terms of cash or checks, perhaps the fastest and most efficient way to share with others. When we want to do more, we may even think of our time and talents as resources we might share, both desperately needed to keep our service organizations and institutions going.

But in Campaign 2020 we ask you to consider “lifetime” gifts that require a different kind of thinking and perhaps new ways of giving. What follows are suggestions for giving you may wish to consider. Many of them have already been used by our generous fellow citizens intent on building a better community. These donors were typically actively involved in the organization or projects that they wished to boost and sustain beyond their lifetimes. In almost all cases, the gifts were not lightly given; they came as a result of careful thought.

1. **Create your own fund.**
   A gift of $10,000 or more, which may be paid over five years, permits the creation of a perpetual remembrance fund or a new designated fund with your selected name and charitable purpose. Please contact Myra Hogan (304-309-5502) to explore the feasibility of creating such a fund.

2. **Make a pledge now and spread your gift over 3 to 5 years.**
   If you request, we can periodically send you reminders of proposed payments on a schedule that accommodates your needs and preferences.

3. **Make a bequest in your will.**
   You can specify a certain dollar amount or designate the Foundation as a residuary or contingent beneficiary of your estate free of estate and inheritance taxes. Individuals who commit $10,000 or more in their wills will become members of the Summers County Heritage Society. Two members of the Foundation board have committed five percent of their estates in response to the national Give5Local initiative. Local attorneys have agreed to draft wills with no charge that include the Foundation.

4. **Create a charitable trust.**
   You may wish to assist some local cause and pass a portion of your wealth to loved ones. A charitable lead trust allows you to create an endowment that will support the work of a project or organization for a minimum of ten years and then be passed on to someone you designate. Tax advantages are immediate. A charitable remainder trust allows you to generate lifetime income for yourself, garner additional tax deductions, and ultimately create a fund to support causes.

5. **Transfer a private foundation or charitable endowment.**
   Avoid the costs and difficulties of managing a private foundation, trust, or charitable endowment. Transfer assets to your own named fund with your purpose and identity under the Hinton Area Foundation, and keep family members or others as fund advisors.

6. **Give real estate or personal property.**
   Farms, houses, and apartment buildings are among the most generous gifts received by the Foundation in recent years. Generally the property is sold and the proceeds are used to provide income in perpetuity for a local organization or cause. You may choose to donate your home to HAF and retain a lifetime interest that will enable you to continue to live in your home and gain immediate tax advantages for your gift. Such gifts now support the important work of our county library, and have enabled it to become the “heart and soul” of the community, as one writer described it.

**Online using PayPal**
Visit our website at www.hintonareafoundation.org and click the “Donate” button. If you want to specify that your donation go toward a specific fund, please note that in the “Designated Fund” note area.
## 2019 Grants from the Community Impact Fund

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<td>Campbell-Flannagan-Murrell House</td>
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**Total** $14,721
# 2019 GRANTS

## Endowed Funds

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<td>Geraldine and Billy Joe Edwards Fund</td>
<td>For the benefit of the youth of True</td>
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<td>John and Betty Hendrick Fund</td>
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<td>Kula Leadership Fund</td>
<td>Support Beyond Wishes for educational classes</td>
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<td>Making a Difference Grants - Appalachian South Folklife Center</td>
<td>Roof repair to Folklife Center buildings</td>
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<td>Camp Summers Kitchen Remodel</td>
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<td>Host 2 adult writing workshops</td>
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<td>Hilltop Cemetery</td>
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<td>Hinton Area Elementary Sensory Room</td>
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<td>The Table of Plenty Feed the Hungry</td>
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<td>Morrison Children’s Fund</td>
<td>Adopt a Child Christmas at Talcott Elementary</td>
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<td>Assist Summers County resident for clothing for foster child</td>
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<td>Summers County Christmas Fund for Clothing</td>
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<td>Florence and Peggy Rossi Fund</td>
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<td>Ron Seaton Fund</td>
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<td>Income from its endowment</td>
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<td>Camp Summers</td>
<td>Install new water line at Camp Summers</td>
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<td>Purchase transportation equipment for Camp Summers</td>
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<td>Camp Waldo</td>
<td>Purchase t-shirts for campers at Camp Waldo</td>
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<td>Color the River</td>
<td>To help with expenses of cancer patients</td>
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Total Grants from Endowed Funds: $86,218.89
Total Grants from Pass-Through Funds: $62,799.45
Total of All Grants: $163,739.34
Kimberly Ann Abbott Memorial Scholarship Fund
Marcella Aguilar 500
Hunter Adkins 1,000

Animal Control and Welfare Project, Inc. Fund
Hannah Blankenship 1,000

Jean Dressler Beasley Fund
Heather Epperly 750
Karli Plumley 1,000
Alexandra Lester 1,000
Ashley Vaughn 1,000
Abigail Cooper 1,000
Tucker Lilly 1,250

Mitch and Lori Bowling Student Athlete Scholarship
William Whittaker 1,000

John E. and Marjorie E. Burdette Fund
Margaret Richmond 1,000

Campaign 2000 Scholarship Fund
Griffin Stone (final yr.) 1,000
Alexis Plumley (yr. 3 of 4) 1,000
Christian Lilly (yr. 2 of 4) 1,000
Eternity Crawford (yr. 1 of 4) 1,000

Clark Family Scholarship Fund
Margaret Richmond 500

Howard Creed Fund
Margaret Richmond 1,200
Sydney Jordan 1,200
Brett Miller 1,200
Clay Jordan 1,200

Dr. Matthew Ellison Memorial Scholarship Fund
Krystina Gore 1,000
Nathan Grimm 1,000
Karsyn Keaton 1,000
Aleah Lilly 1,000

First National Bank of Hinton Scholarship Fund
Karsyn Keaton 400

First United Methodist Church Eleanor Meadows Memorial Scholarship
Carolyn Calpin 1,000

E. Ann Gore Scholarship Fund
Clay Jordan 500

William Garten Scholarship Fund
Clay Jordan 1,000
Nathaniel Wykle 1,000

Bob and Faye Gwinn Memorial Scholarship Fund
Tiffani Cline 2,000
Alexis Mann 2,000
Logan Richmond 2,000

CHPR Gwinn Family Scholarship Fund
Megan McGraw 1,500
Tucker Lilly 1,500

The H. Ellsworth and Beulah Hedrick Scholarship Fund
Camryn Welch 900

John and Betty Hendrick Scholarship Fund
Ashton McNicholas 1,000
James Monroe HS FFA 500
Brianna Young 500
4-H 600

Paul Hess Memorial Scholarship Fund
Michaela Wythes 1,000

John Henry Historical Fund
Ashton McNicholas 500

Joyce Jarrell Memorial Scholarship Fund
Skyler Richmond (yr. 2 of 4) 1,400
Logan Jones (yr. 1 of 4) 1,000
Sydney Jordan 2,000

Claude Johnson Jr. Memorial Scholarship Fund
Krystina Gore 500
Karsyn Keaton 500

Ralph Jones Memorial Scholarship Fund
Michaela Wythes 500

Kiwanis Club of Hinton Scholarship Fund
Tyler Turner (final yr.) 500
Alexis Plumley (yr. 3 of 4) 500
Matthew Fleshman (yr. 2 of 4) 500
Nathaniel Wykle (yr. 1 of 4) 500
Zoe Johnson 500
Samuel Wykle 500
William Whittaker 500

Burkey and Mary Lou Lilly Memorial Fund in Honor of Art Lough
Abigail Forren 3000

Lincoln School Scholarship Fund
Christian Pack 500

Dr. Joseph F. Marsh, Jr. Scholarship Fund
Megan McGraw 800

Randy “Paul” Martin II Memorial Scholarship Fund
Bailey Richmond-Vance 500

William G. and Joyce H. Meador Lifelong Learning Fund
Heather Harrah 500

National Bank of Summers Scholarship Fund
Zakary Hicks 500

Coach Julian “Buzzy” Richmond Memorial Fund
Logan Jones 500

Joseph M. Plumley/Rotary Scholarship Fund
Madison Gill 1,000

Dr. J.W. Stokes Scholarship Fund
Karli Plumley 1,000

Margaret Rossi Scholarship Fund
Britney Saunders 1,000
Madison Graves 500

Dr. Sahib Shammaa Memorial Scholarship Fund
Skyler Richmond 600

Hildred Smith Music Scholarship
Tristan Nelson 800

Summers County Historical Society Scholarship
Emily Harris 1,000
Margaret Richmond 1,000

Summers County K.I.D.S. Fine Arts Scholarship
Carolyn Calpin 400
Tatum Fox 300
Krystina Gore 600

Summers County School of Practical Nursing Scholarship
Heather Harrah 150

William E. “Billy” Turner Memorial Fund
Hannah Blankenship 1,650
Emily Harris 1,650

Wayne-Meador-Ellison Scholarship Fund
Britney Saunders 1,000

Gene Fife Scholars Fund
Tatum Fox 2,000

Bill Van Sant Scholarship Fund
Christiana DiPisa 1,000

Hinton Area Foundation Total $69,550
Kiwanis Club on Hinton Total $3,500

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STEAM CAMP

What will Job Titles be in 20 Years?

For Summers County children, June 2019 was not all sun and sand; they were also building boats, launching balls, and coding robots during the STEAM camp held at Hinton Area Elementary (HAE). Tomorrow's jobs for today's elementary students may not even exist yet, so Christie Shafer, HAE’s Technology Integration Specialist, and her team took a creative approach to prepare students for these unknown jobs. As Shafer explained to visiting parents, twenty years ago her job title did not exist and students were not learning with iPads or by coding robots. Shafer’s team had to consider how to prepare students for the unknown by designing the STEAM (Science Technology Engineering Art and Math) camp to focus on key engineering skills needed for any job the students may have in the next 20 years.

STEAM camp students met in two sessions. Older grade activities centered on building a boat to hold the most pennies, creating a new toy that would launch a pom-pom the furthest distance, and building a marble roller coaster with only plates and cups. Older grades worked with the mouse robots plus learned how to operate “Dash” who was controlled by an app on an iPad. Younger grades spent time learning how to code a robot mouse to run through a maze to find the plastic cheese. Different groupings of colors gave Ozobot his instructions, which required these students to think logically through how to draw their games.

Students were able to keep learning after camp was over; the younger grades took home building kits, and older grades took electronic kits with projects to turn on lamps and fans, and even to create an FM radio. Ms. Shafer was able to obtain the tools for STEAM camp through grants from the Hinton Area Foundation, Mountain Valley Pipeline, and a SPARK grant.

LEARNING INNOVATIONS MINI-GRANTS

Our Hinton area students are benefited by programs that encompass unusual teaching methods. The teachers’ inspired techniques are funded through small grants through the Hinton Area Foundation, from your community support. Such programs would otherwise be impossible. Awards totaling $2,104.45 were from the Practice Link Community Fund and the Learning Innovations Fund.

Tim Simms – Summers Middle School
Kari Vicars – Summers Middle School
John Ramsey – Talcott Elementary

Writing Contest Winners

3rd Grade: Miriam Fitts (Talcott), Darin Sheppard (HAE), Bella Helms (HAE), and Lynzie Farley (HAE).
4th Grade: Alicea Persinger (Talcott), Alisia Clark (Talcott), Bella Windon (Jumping Branch).
5th Grade: Ellie Cozort (HAE), Brenlyn Richmond (HAE), Caden Lasley (Jumping Branch), Bayleigh Pack (HAE).
7th Grade: Isaiah Cox (SMS) and Nicole Louk (SMS).
12th Grade: Juanita Dick (SCHS).

Please consider making a donation to this writing contest to help us to motivate students to write and hone their writing skills. Donations can be made to The Jones Writing Fund and the Student Writing Contest Pass-Through established with the Hinton Area Foundation. For more information or to volunteer to judge, please contact Cheryl Kula at Cheryl.kula@gmail.com.
The Heritage Society is a group of donors who choose to include the Hinton Area Foundation in their estate planning.

**Members to date:**
Jerry Beasley
Scott Briers
James and Deborah Clark
J. Robert Cox, Jr.
Regina Gwinn Eckle
Jenny Lee Ellison
Mary Lou Haley
John and Betty Hendrick
Carol Hess
Jack and Judy Holt
Mary Lilly
Ted and Mary McMeekin
Judy Peterson
David and Myra Ziegler

**In Memoriam:**
Hildred Smith Allard
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Please advise us regarding errors or omissions
Nobody better personified the lyrics of West Virginia’s state song than Hildred Smith Allard, a true woman of the hills who found love and fortune elsewhere. Ex-patriots especially identify with those haunting words from “The West Virginia Hills”: “If o’er sea or land I roam, I will think of happy home and my friends among the West Virginia hills.”

Hildred never forgot the family farm at Forest Hill, her days at Hinton High School, her people who were among the first settlers in Summers County atop Zion Mountain, her radio evangelist Uncle Harry Peyton’s programs for whom she played the piano, and services in the Spruce Run Chapel that was a stone’s throw down the mountain from her girlhood home. It was within the welcoming and warm walls of that country chapel that she first gave public expression to her love of music.

A young woman, Hildred ventured to Charleston along with others from our area who saw opportunity in the city. It seems that all of us claimed a sibling, cousin, friend, aunt or uncle who had a “big job” in the city. By dint of hard work and her irresistible personality, Hildred served in the administrations of three West Virginia governors (1960-1967) before she was asked to serve as the Confidential Assistant to two Chairmen of the Interstate Commerce Commission in Washington, DC. While there, she met her future husband, Judge David Allard.

David Allard has made sure that Hildred’s wishes to create and support four endowed funds at the Hinton Area Foundation for the community that she loved were fulfilled through her estate. We are most grateful for her commitment.
Ben and Gayle Vest, Donors
Hilltop Cemetery Fund

“Hilltop Cemetery, begun in 1876, in Hinton is an undeveloped gem. Cemetery tours are the fastest growing segment in the tourist industry – some even charging for guided tours. and no wonder! They appeal to art lovers, bird watchers, gardeners, historians, and genealogists. Summers County needs to cultivate every possible asset to enhance its potential as a tourist destination.”

Excerpted from WV Department of Tourism

Traveling throughout the United States, Ben and Gayle Vest saw cemeteries attracting tourists. Their interest in economic development and history, and being inspired by the book, Historic Hilltop Cemetery led the Vests to establish the Hilltop Cemetery Fund at the Hinton Area Foundation. As one of five cemeteries located on Elk Knob Road, Hilltop Cemetery is known for its association with the Hinton family, in particular Avis Hinton, second wife of John Hinton the city’s namesake. Shortly after the Vests started the Hilltop Cemetery Fund, the Hilltop Cemetery Company transferred their liquid assets to the fund. Groundwork for listing Hilltop on the National Register of Historic Places had already been done.

Ben was born in Jumping Branch and graduated from Hinton High School. At that time, the road to opportunity led to northern industrialized cities. That’s when he became sensitized to the local shrinking economy. After serving in the army in Eritrea, East Africa, Ben found work in Chicago. But the Vest Family had been in what is now Summers County for six generations and he longed to return home. After completing his college degree in Kansas where he met his wife, Gayle, they both earned Masters Degrees at WVU. Ben then worked in administration and program development at West Virginia University, Concord University, Bluefield State College, and the Governor’s Office, and eventually had a career in real estate. Gayle held positions at Marshall University and the Putnam County Chamber of Commerce. Both served in public office – Ben in the WV Legislature and Gayle on the Putnam County Board of Education.

Their two sons, Cody, a career Army Chaplain, and Aaron, a Lighting Technical Director for movie production in Montreal, Canada, both have families and return to Summers County as frequently as time allows.

Although the Vests live in Scott Depot WV, they have kept their family farm – parts of which were acquired in 1854 – and are frequently in Summers County. They are active members of the Summers County Historical Society, and Ben serves on the Hinton Area Foundation Board of Directors.
# Financial Summary 2019

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* Market Value as of 12/31/2019

## 2019 Growth Chart

![1992 - 2019 Growth Chart](chart.png)
The income from each of the following three funds is made available only at a specific time of the year through a grant application process. Information on the requirements and application process for these awards may be found at www.hintonareafoundation.org.

**Community Impact Fund**
The Community Impact Fund (originally established as the General Endowment Fund) is a discretionary endowed fund which provides annual grant funding in March for the ever-changing charitable needs of the Hinton and Summers County community.

Present value – $477,922

**Classes of Hinton High School– Making a Difference**
Jack A. Holt and a core group of dedicated individuals established this fund with a goal of bettering this special place they call “home,” now and in the future. The funds are used to facilitate improvement in the Hinton area thus securing a stronger, more vibrant community in which to live and visit. Grants from this fund are issued annually in October.

Present value – $246,490

**Learning Innovations Fund**
This fund has grown into a vehicle for providing Summers County teachers with mini-grants for materials and programs that will supplement their standard class routine. Mini-grants are awarded annually in October. Jay Word, Beckley businessman, and his mother Sally Word, created this fund originally to focus on improving student academic achievement. The Word family roots are in Pence Springs.

Present value – $47,390

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**Animal Control and Welfare Project, Inc. Fund**
The Animal Control and Welfare Project, Inc. is referred to as the Humane Society for Summers County. Its mission includes finding homes for displaced animals, spaying and neutering animals, investigating animal abuse, and public education.

Present value – $149,905

**James McCreery Baylor Fund**
Col. James McCreery Baylor was a retired senior vice president of A.T. Massey Coal Company, Inc. and a retired US Marine Corps Reserve Colonel. He was a veteran of WWII and the Korean War. Although he left Hinton at a young age, he retained a strong interest in the area. His family and the directors of the Piney Land Company, McCreery Coal Land Company, and James T. McCreery Company, on whose boards Mr. Baylor served for over 40 years, have established this discretionary fund in the Hinton Area Foundation to honor his memory and his ties to Hinton.

Present value – $9,733

**Jean Dressler Beasley Fund**
This discretionary fund, established by the family and friends of Jean Dressler Beasley, provides grants for the furtherance of the objectives of the Hinton Area Foundation. Jean Beasley—accomplished artist, musician, teacher, and scholar—decided that her time, energy, and creativity could best be spent as a mother to her three daughters. Her principal contributions to community stemmed from her devotion to children and family. She was an ardent advocate for improved schools and student achievement. She was a gubernatorial appointee to the West Virginia Women’s Commission and the West Virginia Humanities Council. She also served as a member of the West Virginia Faculty Merit Foundation. She is remembered as a woman of high integrity, courageous convictions, unaffected humility, and winning personal warmth. Her friends from the West End and Hinton days were friends for life.

Present value – $216,498

**Chanlett-Avery Fund**
The Chanlett-Avery Fund was established to support efforts in and around Summers County to enhance the health and environment of its residents.

Present value – $5,834

**Children’s Health Fund**
The Will of Lacy Wood left half of his estate to help children with medical issues. The Hinton Area Foundation has established this Field-of-Interest fund to receive and assesses requests for aid from the families of children who need medical assistance.

Present value – $419,389

**Thomas S. Crawford Oak Grove Cemetery Fund**
Thomas Crawford’s great-grandfather, Giles Ballengee, donated the property for the Oak Grove Cemetery, located in Ballangee. He has established the fund to help maintain this cemetery. Although born with muscular dystrophy, Thomas Crawford had a 32 year career at Summers County Hospital. His inspiration for establishing this fund has been the many people who have helped him and his family over the years.

Present value – $17,404

**Geraldine and Billy Joe Edwards Fund**
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Geraldine and Billy Joe Edwards have established the Youth Activities Fund to enhance the opportunities of youth attending James Chapel Church in True, West Virginia. Income from the fund is distributed to the Church annually and benefits youth who participate in church activities or display an active leadership role.

Present value – $178,987

**Fox Cemetery Fund**
The historic Fox Cemetery is located at Brooks, West Virginia. The fund was started by Wilma Angotti, Jennings Cyrus, and Melvin Plumley for its maintenance and upkeep.

Present value – $26,146
**Graham House Foundation**
The Graham House, located at Lowell on Route 3 is the oldest home in Summers County. James Graham built his home in 1770. The original logs and stone chimneys are still intact. To preserve the structure and the history associated with it, the home was purchased by the Graham House Preservation Society, a non-profit, all-volunteer organization. Popular viewing opportunities are in December when the Society recreates Christmas dinners from the 1770s. The Graham House Preservation Society created this fund to help insure the future of the house.

Present Value – $43,085

**Gwinn Cemetery Fund**
The historic Gwinn Cemetery was originally a family cemetery, which was established in the late 1700s. As the Green Sulphur Springs community grew other members of the community were buried there also. The fund was established by Regina Gwinn Eckle to preserve and maintain the cemetery.

Present Value – $16,071

**Hendrick Oak Grove Fund**
Created by John and Betty Hendrick, the purpose of this fund is for maintenance of the historic Oak Grove Cemetery in Ballengee, W.V.

Present Value – $28,148

**NEW: Rebecca Eades Hess Fund**
This discretionary fund was established with the intent that funds would remain in Summers County to assist with the educational, vocational or health-related needs of citizens who live here. “Becky” Eades Hess is a graduate of Hinton High School, Concord University and WVU. She taught French and other foreign languages in schools in Ohio, Virginia and West Virginia.

Present value--$50,000

**NEW: Hilltop Cemetery Fund**
Established by Ben and Gayle Vest, this fund provides for the preservation, restoration, and promotion of the historic Hilltop Cemetery in Hinton WV with the intent of supporting activities that would lead to the cemetery becoming a cultural and historical tourist destination.

Present value--$50,000

**Hinton Area Foundation Community Fund**
This discretionary fund was started by the Hinton Area Foundation with proceeds from the Autumn After Five social event and a matching grant from the Carter Family Foundation.

Present Value – $27,227

**Jones-Kula Writing Fund**
Lena Jane Jones, widow of Stephen D. Jones, has established this fund to support the growth of writing proficiency in Summers County. In recent years, grants have supported the Student Writing Contest for Summers County students in Grades 3 through 12. Groups or individuals that demonstrate a specific need in writing proficiency with a measurable outcome are invited to apply for grants.

Present Value – $17,436

**Kula Leadership Fund**
The purpose of this fund is to provide funding for tools, education, and recognition to assist individuals of any age, or groups, in Summers County who wish to grow, augment, or demonstrate their skills in management and leadership. The Summers County community has benefited from the hard work of many people; some who have formal training and experience and others who are just natural leaders and managers. Managers are individuals who handle the details of planning, organizing, and coordinating of projects; leaders are individuals who influence, inspire, motivate, and bring people and communities together to reach a common goal.

Present value – $18,587

**Lilly-Wilson Education Fund**
Ralph and Patty Wilson created the Lilly-Wilson Education Fund to honor their parents, Mabel Lilly Lazio, Cecil C. Lilly, Helen Chadwick Wilson, and Ralph O. Wilson, Sr. The award benefits the Summers County Teacher of the Year without restriction for its use. The Wilsons had an enormously positive impact in our community after they retired and moved back to Hinton in 1990. Ralph served as President of the Kiwanis, the West Virginia State Water Festival, Hinton Main Street, the Summers County Chamber of Commerce, and the Hinton Area Foundation. He was the Treasurer of the Lilly Family Reunion Association.

Present value – $37,580

**Moody Gwinn Cemetery Trust**
The Moody Gwinn Cemetery Trust was created to maintain the historical nature of the Meadow Creek Community Cemetery also known as the Gwinn Cemetery.

Present value--$ 7,196

**Morrison Children’s Fund**
The income from this fund, created by the Marcella Morrison estate, is used to provide food and clothing for children in need.

Present value – $37,423

**Operations Endowed Fund**
The fund was established to insure continuous funds for the day to day operations of the Hinton Area Foundation.

Present Value – $61,729

**Ron Seaton Fund**
Dr. Seaton served on the Board of Directors of the Hinton Area Foundation for many years. This discretionary fund was created by his friends and the HAF Board to honor his long service. In addition to sitting on the Hinton Area Foundation Board, Dr. Seaton was seemingly everywhere in his charitable activities benefitting the people of Summers County.

Present value – $14,196

**R.T. Rogers Family Trust**
The Rogers Family Trust Fund was established by Ted and Susie Rogers and Greg and Lori Rogers, owners and operators of R. T. Rogers Oil Co., Inc. In 1953, Ted bought a faltering Southern States Supply Co. known as Rogers Farm Supply, thus the start of a family business. In 1971, he sold Rogers Farm Supply and purchased a fuel company owned by Exxon. This business has grown into a major distribution
center for various fuels and equipment and employs approximately 75 people. Son, Greg, joined the business in 1986 and under his leadership, it has grown to where it is today. It is his desire to keep young, prospective entrepreneurs in our local area by offering scholarships to help students pursue higher education. Our purpose is to make funds available for educational advancement or community development.

Florence and Peggy Rossi Fund
This Field-of-Interest fund was established by the generous gift of Florence Rossi to support REACHH-Family Resource Center.

Spruce Run Chapel Fund
At an early age, Hildred M. Smith Allard, the creator of this fund, became the pianist at Spruce Run Church where her uncle, Harry Peyton, was the pastor. Grants from this fund will be used to preserve and maintain the Spruce Run Chapel at Forest Hill, West Virginia.

Summers County Library Fund
This is the largest of our designated funds. It was created by a combination of estate bequests, Friends of the Library fundraisers, and general contributions. The income earned on this endowed fund supports the operations and maintenance of the Summers County Public Library.

Vest Family Cemetery Association
The Vest Family Cemetery Association created this fund to perpetually maintain and care for both the historic Jackson Vest and historic Farley-Vest Cemeteries located in Jumping Branch WV.

NEW: Luther Vest Cemetery Fund
The purpose of this fund is to provide for the maintenance, repair and restoration of the historic Luther Vest Cemetery.

Veterans Five
This fund was established in 2001 by the veterans to use for community projects.

Veterans Memorial Museum Fund
This fund was created under the leadership of Carl Edwards, a World War II veteran, to support the Veteran's Memorial Museum in the old Carnegie Library Building on Ballengee Street.

The Clifford Young Bequest
This fund was created when the late Clifford Young made a bequest in his will to allocate monies to help those suffering from diabetes.

Myra and David Ziegler Fund
Established by Myra and David Ziegler, this discretionary fund is used to support the charitable needs of the Hinton and Summers County community.

Ziegler and Gunnoe Fund
This fund was created by David Ziegler and Richard Gunnoe to bring special cultural, scientific, artistic, and historic programs to Summers County.

AMFM Charitable Fund
Established with funds from the Summers Nursing and Rehabilitation Center to help fund the activities of the Hinton High School girls' softball team.

Better Opportunities for Our Students' Talents, Education, and Resources ("BOOSTER")
The "Booster fund provides funding for the educational and experiential enrichment of the children of Summers County. The fund will finance in whole or part programs and projects which will enhance the lives of our children.

NEW: Camp Waldo
Camp Waldo is a three-week overnight camp on the banks of the Greenbrier River. The camp is dedicated to adventure, fun, and teaching children who are rising 4th – 7th graders (both boys and girls) about nature and ecological principles. Our goal is to connect kids with the environment through outdoor learning and exploration. Campers engage in our ecology program daily, learning to understand our ecosystem and to become wise stewards of the earth's natural resources.
**Carol Davis Memorial Scholarship**
This Pass-through fund occasionally provides a scholarship for a Summers County student.

Present Value – $ 522

**Classes of Hinton High School – Making a Difference**
This pass-through fund was established along with the endowed fund of the same name to provide funds for immediate access as needs arise.

Present Value – $ 2,580

**Color the River Cancer Fund**
To help with expenses for patients with cancer other than breast cancer.

Present Value – $ 1,050

**Disaster Relief Pass-Thru Fund**
The fiery destruction of the “brick row” residences in February of 2013 inspired generosity from friends of the community, local and distant. Once named “Fire Victims Fund,” this Hinton Area Foundation fund served as a conduit for donations and over $25,000.00 was contributed and disbursed to victims of that tragedy to help them rebuild their lives. Currently, donations are still accepted and the fund, now named “Disaster Relief,” retains a balance to help victims of other disasters, such as the flood that affected Summers County, as well as many other southern West Virginia communities, in June, 2016.

Present Value – $ 7,401

**Every Kid in a Park or SYNC Grant Fund**
The New River Gorge National River established this fund to provide transportation to the Camp Brookside Environmental Education Center and healthy meals for 4th grade students who will attend to receive place-based environmental education.

Present Value – $ 439

**Fire Truck Restoration**
Funds from this Pass-through are used to restore a vintage fire truck.

Present Value – $ 1,980

**Gateway to Hope**
Gateway to Hope initially paid for the tickets to the movie titled “Gateway to Hope”. The ultimate purpose of the new fund is to give financial assistance to victims of drug abuse.

Present Value – $ -0-

**Graham House Fund**
To help with expenses associated with the Graham House activities.

Present Value – $ 1,035

**Greenbrier Valley Rural Fire Department Fund**
To help in re-establishing a fire department in Talcott.

Present Value – $ 82

**Hinton Little League Funds – Combined**
This fund was created by Gene Fife to help maintain the ballpark for the Hinton Little League. Gene graduated from Hinton High School, attended Virginia Tech, and went on to a very successful career in business and finance in London, England. Gene has served as a beacon for the people of Summers County and helped many students with his own scholarship fund.

Present value – $45,413

**NEW: Hinton Lions Club**
Established to facilitate the mission of the Hinton Lions Club as authorized by its Board of Directors.

Present value – $1,980

**Hinton Main Street Assisted Living Fund**
This fund was established to create an assisted living facility in Summers County

Present Value – $1,495

**Hinton Memorial Lighting Fund**
The Hinton Memorial Lighting Fund (HMLF), a non-profit, all volunteer organization, is striving to continue the legacy of Leon R. and Ruth Pivont who worked to light the town during the Christmas Season. Created in 2012, the HMLF has been raising money in an effort to light the buildings of Hinton in the style seen in many other Historic communities around the United States as well as those already lit through Ken Allman’s vision for Hinton. The Fund has been established with the Hinton Area Foundation to effectively and efficiently use the monies raised for the beautification of Hinton and as a venue to accept further donations for Christmas Lighting projects.

Present value – $ 5,108

**Hometown Doctor Fund**
The Steve Richman “Hometown Doctor” fund has been established to help provide financial support to any deserving student in Summers County and the immediate surrounding area who has qualified for admission to the West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine in Lewisburg, West Virginia. The goal of the fund is two-fold: to provide financial assistance to help defray the high cost of tuition and associated expenses, and to ensure that continued medical care will be provided by those who have grown up here and intend to practice medicine in our area.

Present value – $59,958

**John Henry Historical Park Fund**
This fund provides a tax-deductible vehicle to gather and administer funds to be used for matching grants. The eventual goal is to create a historically themed park to interpret John Henry’s legendary battle with the steam drill and to educate visitors on the advancement of the C&O Railroad down the Greenbrier River and through the New River Gorge.

Present value – $ 144

**Leader in Me Program**
The Leader in Me ("TLIM") is a whole-school 5-year transformational process developed in partnership with educators that empowers students with the leadership and life skills they need to thrive in the 21st century. It is based upon the premise that every child possesses unique strengths and has the ability to be a leader. Through a partnership with the Steeley Foundation, Hinton Area Foundation has funded the Leader in Me process at Hinton Area Elementary under the leadership of HAE Principal Angela Gumm. Qualities and skills such as self-reliance, initiative, planning, setting and tracking goals,
prioritization, emotional management, manners, art of persuasion, conflict resolution, valuing diversity, and balance are developed. For more details browse the TLIM website at http://www.theleaderinme.org/.

**Library Bookmobile Fund**
Library Bookmobile Fund is to provide funds for the purchase of a bookmobile for the Summers County Public Library.

Present Value – $ 973

**Operations Fund**
A minimal fee is assessed to each endowed fund to provide for operating expenses of the Foundation.

Present Value – $ 990

**NEW: Parmer Center Pass-through Fund**
Established to support capital improvements to the Parmer Center.

Present Value – $ 4,639

**PracticeLink Pass-Through Fund**
Created by Ken Allman, a Hinton native who has tied the destiny of his businesses to his hometown, the PracticeLink Pass-Through Fund supports the community building activities of others. Mr. Allman believes in the abilities of local people to compete in an international market place. The fund will support community organizations that focus on children, the arts, parks, and recreation.

Present value – $59,224

**Second Saturdays Event Fund**
To assist with set-up costs for the event, which takes place monthly during the summer season.

Present Value – $ 2,119

**Street Signage Project**
Funds transferred from the Making A Difference Pass-through fund will be used to replace street signs within the Avis district.

Present Value – $ 3.099

**NEW: Summers County Christmas Toy Fund**
Established to provide funds for the purchase of Christmas toys and clothing for needy children.

Present Value – $ 22,827

**NEW: Summers County Huddle**
This fund is to be used as a vehicle to raise money for two of its ongoing, long-term initiatives.

Present Value – $ 198

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**Summers County School of Practical Nursing Memorial Scholarship**
The scholarship will be provided to qualified students of the Summers County School of Practical Nursing who have successfully completed the first phase of the program and enroll in the second phase.

Present Value – $ 348

**Summers County Student Writing Pass-Through Fund**
This fund, established by Cheryl Kula, helps support an annual Summers County Student Writing Contest to encourage Summers County students to expand their writing skills, and to provide information on writing workshops, writing mentors, and opportunities to submit work to magazines and other writing contests. The Summers County Student Writing Contest offers cash awards in different categories (i.e., short story, poetry, graphic narrative) and in different age groups. The contest was held for the first time in 2014.

Present Value – $ 333

**Ticket to Ride – Pass Through**
This fund was created by the National Park Foundation and is a grant award from the New River Gorge National River to engage local students through a Cultural Heritage Festival at New River Gorge National River. Hinton Area Foundation has agreed to be the fiscal manager of New River Gorge National River’s Ticket to Ride grant.

Present Value – $ -0-

**Walk for Her Life Fund**
This fund assists with expenses for the annual “Walk for Her Life” walk/run for cancer awareness.

Present Value – $ 777

**Wayne “Meador” Ellison Scholarship Fund**
The Wayne-Meador-Ellison Scholarship Fund provides a scholarship in memory of Anthony Wayne, Mildred and Bud Elliott, and David Meador for their life-long commitment to education.

Present Value – $ 129

**Writing Workshop Fund**
Workshops for adults from Summers and surrounding counties who wish to improve their writing skills are enabled by this fund. Training and instruction will be provided by published authors.

Present Value – $ 965
Values are 12/31/2019 balances, rounded, including income.

Information on the requirements and application process for these awards may be found at www.hintonareafoundation.org

Kimberly Ann Abbott Memorial Scholarship Fund
This fund was established by the Estate of Kimberly Ann Abbott and Katherine “Katie” Holt to honor her niece Kim’s memory. The scholarship will be awarded to a student from the Hinton area including Summers and Raleigh counties.

Present Value – $39,999

The Bowles Family Scholarship
This fund was established in memory of Lester and Marjorie Bowles by their children with the intent to give back to their community. It will provide a scholarship for undergraduate study or vocational training for residents of Summers County or graduates of Summers County schools.

Present Value – $29,737

Mitch and Lori Bowling Student Athlete Scholarship
Created by Mitch and Lori Bowling, this fund will provide an annual scholarship to a graduating senior at Summers County High School in the amount of $1000 per year for up to four years of full-time enrollment. Eligible applicants are Summers County High School graduating seniors with a minimum GPA of 3.5 and at least two years of athletics, including senior year of high school, who are committed to attending a four-year accredited university.

Present Value – $37,068

John E. and Marjorie E. Burdette Fund
Established by the children of John E. and Marjorie E. Burdette, this fund provides grants in alternating years for the Hinton Area Little League and scholarships for Summers County students majoring in elementary education at Concord University. Marjorie Burdette taught school for 39 years in many one and two room schools. She taught during the school term and attended college through the summer, all while being a full time homemaker, wife and mother. John Burdette was a railroader and community spirited individual. He was instrumental in starting Little League baseball in Hinton and worked tirelessly to help establish the Little League Baseball Complex in Bellepoint.

Present value – $43,049

Campaign 2000 Scholarship Fund
Campaign 2000 is the general scholarship fund for the Hinton Area Foundation. Scholarships are awarded to students enrolled in post-secondary education who are graduates of Summers County Public Schools, or who are residents of Summers County and have maintained at least a 3.0 grade point average for the four years of high school.

Present value – $152,422

Clark Family Scholarship Fund
The purpose of the Clark Family Scholarship Fund is to give back to the Summers County Community by encouraging Summers County High School students to attend Marshall University or Concord University, preferably seeking a degree in education or business, then return to Summers County to work, volunteer, and encourage philanthropic giving – therefore making the community a better place to live. Those eligible for this scholarship fund are Summers County High School graduating seniors, undergraduate students, or college graduates seeking an advanced degree in education or business at Marshall University or Concord University.

Present value – $25,831

Howard Creed Fund
This scholarship fund, formerly known as the First Presbyterian Fund, was formally changed to honor Howard Creed. He was actively involved in the church, the toy fund, and many other community projects, including support for the Hinton Area Foundation.

Present value – $92,926

Dr. Matthew Ellison Memorial Scholarship Fund
Matthew Ellison was a student at Hinton High School who continued his education to become a medical doctor. His family and his friends, both in Hinton and in Oak Ridge, have made donations to create this scholarship fund in his memory. Preference will be given to students entering the medical field.

Present value – $161,809

Gene Fife Scholars Fund
Gene Fife, a native of Hinton, a graduate of Virginia Tech, and retired executive of Goldman Sachs, contributed to the education of 62 students from Hinton High School and Summers County High School over a span of 20 years. Many of these students have established successful careers for themselves. They now desire to honor Gene Fife and give back to the community by contributing to a scholarship fund named in his honor.

Present value – $19,803

First National Bank of Hinton Scholarship Fund
This scholarship fund was set up by the directors of the First National Bank of Hinton (now Summit Bank).

Present value – $13,885

William Garten Scholarship Fund
Bill Garten was a teacher and coach in the Summers County school system for many years, winning a state football championship in 1968. The football field at Summers County High School was named “Garten Field” in 1999 to honor Coach Garten. Coach and his family and friends established this scholarship fund to help local students.

Present value – $69,718

E. Ann Gore Scholarship Fund
Local Nationwide insurance agent, Ann Gore, a member of the original Hinton Area Foundation Board of Directors, created this fund with proceeds from her Corporate Community Service Award, an award from Nationwide in recognition of her community involvement.

Present value – $14,719
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| **CHPR Gwinn Family Scholarship Fund**  
The Gwinn Family Scholarship was created by Campbell Gwinn of Green Sulphur Springs. The Gwinn Family was one of the very first families in Summers County with one branch settling in the Lowell area and another in Green Sulphur Springs. This scholarship is for a student attending Concord University and Concord has also contributed significant assets to this fund to make this scholarship possible.  
Present value – $116,143 |
| **Robert and Faye Gwinn Scholarship Fund**  
Bob and Faye Gwinn Scholarship Fund will assist Summers County Students to attend college or technical school. Preference will be given to students entering the nursing or medical field, but this is not a requirement.  
Present Value – $301,751 |
| **The H. Ellsworth and Beulah Hedrick Scholarship Fund**  
Ellsworth and Beulah's children created this scholarship to honor their parents, who enjoyed 54 years of marriage. Ellsworth's 44-year career was typical of many of our distinguished teachers. He graduated from Talcott High School in 1935, and attended Concord for two years. In 1937, he began teaching in many local one-room schools, as well as Hinton High School. Many of his students became “Golden Horseshoe” winners. Beulah (né Garten), raised in Temple, married Ellsworth in 1939, becoming his greatest supporter. A fulltime housewife, she took special joy in both her immediate and extended family.  
Present value – $32,918 |
| **John and Betty Hendrick Scholarship Fund**  
John and Betty Hendrick moved back to Summers County after he retired as Chairman of Okuma America Corporation in 2001. John grew up in Ballengee until he was 15. After finishing his education in Pittsburgh, he returned to his Summers/Monroe County farm to raise registered Angus and commercial cattle. Growing up he was active in 4-H and, because someone gave him a scholarship, was able to attend the state 4-H Camp at Jackson Mills. This scholarship fund is divided among 4-H camp scholarships, an FFA student in Summers County High School, and an FFA student at James Monroe High School. The FFA scholarships do not have to be used for further education, but can be used for other farming and agricultural endeavors.  
Present value – $86,018 |
| **John Henry Historical Fund**  
The fund was created by John Henry Historical Society to assist students with their educational costs of attending an institution in the state of West Virginia. Students eligible for this scholarship will be graduates of Summers County High School with a minimum 3.0 grade point average.  
Present Value – $14,262 |
| **Paul Hess Memorial Scholarship Fund**  
Paul Hess, a member of the original planning group of the Hinton Area Foundation, came to Hinton to serve as President of the National Bank of Summers. This fund was established by donations from his family and his friends.  
Present value – $35,543 |
| **Joyce Jarrell Memorial Scholarship Fund**  
Local business woman, Joyce Jarrell, created this fund for graduates of Summers County public schools in her will. She and husband, Mac, operated an Exxon Station in Hinton many years. *Undergraduate Study:* Funding may be continued for a total of four years of undergraduate work. Concord University will provide a matching grant for students who elect to attend Concord University.  
*Graduate Study:* One annual $2,000 stipend may be awarded to a college graduate to pursue post graduate study or professional school.  
Present value – $147,970 |
| **Claude Johnson Jr. Memorial Scholarship Fund**  
This fund was set up in memory of Claude Johnson Jr. by his widow, Vera. Vera had dropped out of school at the age of 16 but then returned to high school to graduate with her eldest son. She continued on at Concord and eventually got a Master’s degree in education from West Virginia University.  
Present value – $38,520 |
| **Ralph Jones Scholarship Fund**  
Ralph Jones, a lifelong Summers County resident, was instrumental in its development in the last half of the 20th Century. He attended Talcott High School, served in the U.S. Army, and was employed by the C&O Railroad. Later he became active in business as a builder and developer of the Pine Hill sub-division and the first cable television system in the Hilldale and Talcott areas. An accomplished musician, Ralph was well known for his guitar, fiddle playing, and singing. He loved fishing, restoring antique cars, and woodworking. A generous Good Samaritan, he attended Trinity United Methodist Church in Talcott. His family and many friends created this memorial scholarship to encourage young people to pursue vocational education after high school.  
Present value – $65,935 |
| **NEW: Jones-Willey Scholarship Fund**  
Established by Hildred Smith Allard to assist graduates of Summers County High Schools to further their education in either college or technical training. The fund was made in honor of Mrs. Allard’s grandparents, Thomas A. and Lula Jones and William and Eliza Willey.  
Present value – $47,841 |
| **Kiwanis Club of Hinton Scholarship Fund**  
Scholarships made possible by the Kiwanis Club are awarded to students who are graduates of Summers County Public Schools, or residents of Summers County, for undergraduate study at colleges and universities. The award is not limited to those students who have superior academic records.  
Present value – $42,789 |
| **Burkey and Mary Lou Lilly Memorial Fund in Honor of Art Lough**  
This fund was the concept of Burkey Lilly. The inspiration was to honor Art Lough, a former Summers County Extension agent, and the dedicated teachers at Hinton High School. It started as a pass-through fund to pay the premiums of a generous life insurance policy of which, upon the death of the donors, the proceeds would become an endowed fund. It provides a scholarship for a student to study an exact science at Concord University or West Virginia University.  
Present Value – $116,281 |
Lincoln School Scholarship Fund
This fund supports undergraduate study for students who are graduates of Summers County Public Schools or residents of Summers County whose parents, grandparents or great-grandparents attended Lincoln School.

Present value – $18,699

Dr. Joseph F. Marsh, Jr. Scholarship Fund
The Marsh Scholarship was established to provide awards to Summers County residents who attend Concord University. Recipients should demonstrate academic and leadership promise as well as financial need. Well known in our area and a nationally recognized educator, Dr. Marsh was the 13th president of Concord College where he served for 14 years. Earlier in his life at only 19 years old, he was a gunnery officer on the destroyer USS Hale in the Pacific during World War II. Later, he served in the Executive Office of President Harry Truman. Dr. Marsh was Rotary District Governor, Chairman of the State College System of West Virginia, and Vice Chairman of the West Virginia Parkways Authority.

He was a co-founder of the National Youth Science Camp, the only remaining legacy of our State’s centennial celebration in 1963.

Present value – $25,734

Randy “Paul” Martin II Memorial Scholarship Fund
This scholarship is for a Summers County graduate attending Marshall University or Mountwest Community and Technical College in Huntington, WV. It was created by Paul’s family and friends to honor his memory.

Paul was a 2000 graduate of Summers County High School and a 2003 graduate of Marshall University. He worked as the service manager for Advanced Technical Solutions. He lived with his wife Andrea and their “rescued” dog, Ellie, in Huntington, and loved outdoor activities. His kindheartedness was known by all with whom he came into contact.

Present value – $17,592

William G. and Joyce H. Meador Lifelong Learning Fund
Created by the children of William and Joyce – Ann M. Wells and J. William “Bill” Meador, this fund is to help provide encouragement, inspiration, and support to individuals or groups who seek to engage in lifelong learning for personal and/or professional reasons and whose ultimate goal is to serve others through their learning.

With roots that run deep through Summers County, Will and Joyce Meador became grounded in the value of the golden rule, fairness, and hard work. Children of the Great Depression, their parents were respected citizens and entrepreneurs; their ancestors were railroaders, farmers, educators, civic leaders, local church founders, and some of the earliest European settlers in what is today Summers County. As a very young boy, Will worked with his widowed mother at the William Meador Grocery Store in Hinton. Joyce’s first teaching job as a graduate of WVU was at the two room Meadow Creek School and after family responsibilities she returned to teaching in adult and remedial education. The Meador family values – faith in God, family, community, equality, and opportunity and the significance of reputation, resilience, and resourcefulness – were the impetus for this fund.

Present value – $23,159

NEW: First Methodist Church of Hinton – Eleanor Meadows Scholarship Fund
The purpose of this fund is to provide scholarships to students enrolled in a post-secondary education program, and who are graduates of Summers County schools. This scholarship was established by the church in memory of Eleanor Meadows, a life-long resident of Summers County and graduate of Hinton High School. A lifelong learner, who spent summers studying at WVU and Marshall College, her entire career was spent as an English teacher at Hinton High School.

Present value--$38,878

National Bank of Summers Scholarship Fund
The directors of the National Bank of Summers (now City National Bank) created this fund to assist students who are graduates of Summers County Public Schools, or residents of Summers County, for undergraduate study at colleges and universities. Recipients shall not be limited to those students who have superior academic records.

Present value – $16,986

Joseph M. Plumley/Rotary Scholarship Fund
This scholarship is awarded on the basis of need for any worthy scholastic purpose, including, but not limited to, a college education. The fund is administered with the advice of the Hinton Rotary Club. Melvin Plumley created this scholarship in memory of his son, Joseph M. Plumley, who died in 2002 at the age of 35. This fund will benefit a student from Summers County and adjoining areas of Raleigh, Monroe, Greenbrier, and Fayette counties.

Present value – $57,368

Coach Julian “Buzzy” Richmond Memorial Fund
Coach Julian “Buzzy” Richmond touched many lives during his tenure as a teacher and coach in the Summers County School System. The purpose of this fund is to keep alive the dreams for our students and athletes that Coach Richmond was so proud to support in his lifetime.

Present value – $11,276

Margaret “Peggy” Rossi Scholarship Fund
Margaret Ann Rossi, known to all as Peggy grew up in New York City, but dedicated her adult life to social service in Summers County. After attaining a Masters in Social Work Degree at West Virginia University, she became co-director of the Summers County Council on Aging; later, she founded and directed REACHH-Family Resource Center. The memorial scholarship was established by Peggy’s family in hopes that her memory, spirit and compassion will continue to aid citizens of Summers County. Graduating seniors with career plans in social work, education, or nursing are prioritized. Students continuing their studies, as well as graduates of the L.A.M.P. program, may also be considered.

Present value – $40,961

Dr. Sahib Shammaa Memorial Scholarship Fund
In memory of Dr. Shammaa, a beloved pediatrician in Hinton, West Virginia, Brenda M. Shammaa and family have established this fund to provide scholarships to students who wish to pursue...
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studies in the medical field. Graduating seniors from Summers County who have a 3.5 GPA and are committed to medical studies at a four-year accredited university may apply.

**Hildred Smith Music Scholarship**
Created by Hildred Smith Allard, to whom music is an important part of life, this fund enables graduates of Summers County High School to attend college to further enhance their music education and training. The people eligible for this are graduates of Summers County High School.

Present Value – $21,319

**NEW: Smith-Willey Scholarship Fund**
Established by Hildred Smith Allard to assist graduates of Summers County High Schools to further their education in either college or technical school. The fund was made in honor of Mrs. Allard’s brother, Arthur Smith, Jr. and her uncle, Alvin W. Willey.

Present Value – $69,184

**Dr. J. W. Stokes Scholarship Fund**
The Stokes Scholarship fund, donor-advised by the Hinton Rotary Club, is the oldest scholarship fund in the county, having given out scholarships annually since 1963. Dr. Stokes was the archetypal country doctor serving Summers County from about 1930 until his death in 1977. He was much beloved, and delivered so many babies that many county residents have “Stokes” as a middle name. He was very active in the community, serving for many years as the President of the Summers County Board of Education. A stalwart of the Hinton Rotary Club, he is the only member to have ever served as District Governor of the Southern District of West Virginia Rotary International.

Present value – $46,421

**Summers County Historical Society Scholarship**
Created by the Summers County Historical Society to preserve and promote the history of Summers County, this fund provides a scholarship to a Summers County student interested in history.

Present Value – $25,658

**Summers County K.I.D.S. Fine Arts Scholarship**
This scholarship was made possible by the success of the drama programs in the Summers County Schools, led by Patricia Jeffries and Thomas Hutchison. It is awarded to a graduate of Summers County High School who participated in some aspect of the Summers County Kids in Dramatic Studies and/or the Summers County Drama Department who will pursue a degree in fine arts or a program that would have a positive impact on fine arts education.

Present value – $44,731

**Talcott High School Scholarship Fund**
Talcott High School Scholarships are awarded to graduates of Summers County High School who would have graduated from Talcott High School had consolidations not occurred. These graduates must live in the communities of Talcott, Lowell, Pence Springs, Clayton, Judson, Hilldale, Powleys Creek, Forest Hill, Indian Mills, Marie, Ballengee, and Barger Springs, served by Talcott High School at the time of its closing in 1980.

Present value – $ 7,071

**William E. “Billy” Turner Memorial Fund**
Billy was a 1975 graduate of Hinton High School. He owned and operated Turner Lane Farms. He will be remembered for his hard work ethic both as a railroader and farmer. The characteristics that will never be forgotten by Billy’s family and friends were his generosity and willingness to help others.

Created by his wife, Linda K. Turner, and his parents, Earl and Jane Turner, the fund is to benefit those interested in farming or related trades or pursuits. It can also be used to assist the Future Farmers of America (FFA). The people or organizations eligible for grants from this fund are individuals preparing for farming or related fields. If there are not qualified applicants in these fields, then consideration may be given to individuals considering health-related fields.

Present value – $109,933

**Bill Van Sant Scholarship Fund**
The Bill Van Sant Scholarship Fund was created in memory of Bill Van Sant by his family. Bill was a retired teacher of social studies and American history who believed in the power of education. He took a very strong interest in the Summers County School System.

Present value – $47,755
You are invited to join in the fun…

Our annual Autumn After Five auction event was a smash hit again this year (with a special visit from Fräulein HAFschtein the Beer Busker). This event is a perfect example of the coming together of the whole community to make this a spectacularly fun public event. The Autumn After Five takes place at the beautifully restored McCreery Hotel. Proceeds from this event and our Annual Scholarship Awards Banquet fund the programs sponsored by the Hinton Area Foundation, and a portion of your ticket goes to support your favorite fund. You or your business may donate items for the auction and receive recognition at the event.

Please monitor news and social media for dates of the upcoming events.

Funds by Purpose

Funds not specifically set aside for scholarships are designated by donors to benefit the community in the following ways consistent with the mission of the Foundation:

**Arts**
- Summers County K.I.D.S.
- Ziegler and Gunnuc Fund

**Other Education**
- Hometown Doctor Fund
- Lilly-Wilson Education Fund
- Leader In Me Fund
- Learning Innovations Fund
- Jones-Kula Writing Fund
- William G. and Joyce H. Meador Lifelong Learning Fund
- Summers County Library Fund
- Summers County Student Writing Pass-Through Fund

**General Community Support**
- Classes of Hinton High School - Making a Difference!
- Thomas Crawford Oak Grove Cemetery Fund
- Fox Cemetery Fund
- Graham House Fund
- Gwinn Cemetery Fund
- Hendrick Oak Grove Fund
- HAF Community Impact Fund
- Hinton Memorial Lighting Fund
- James McCreery Baylor Fund
- Jean Dressler Beasley Fund
- PracticeLink Fund – Pass-through
- R.T. Rogers Family Trust
- Spruce Run Chapel Fund
- Luther Vest Cemetery Fund
- Vest Family Cemetery Association
- Veterans 5 Fund
- Myra and David Ziegler Fund

**Health**
- Children’s Health Fund
- Clifford Young Bequest
- Color the River Cancer Fund
- Gateway to Hope Fund
- Hinton Main Street Assisted Living Fund
- Walk For Her Life

**Human Services**
- Morrison Children’s Fund
- Disaster Relief Fund

**Recreation**
- AMFM Charitable Fund
- Camp Summers Fund
- Hinton Little League Fund
- John Henry Historical Park Fund
- Second Saturdays Event Fund

**Other Purposes**
- Animal Control and Welfare Project Fund
- Geraldine and Billy Joe Edwards Youth Activity Fund
- Greenbrier Valley Rural Fire Department Fund
- Rebecca Eades Hess Fund
- Kula Leadership Fund
- Morrison ACWP Shelter Fund
- Parmer Center Fund
- Summers County Huddle
- William E. “Billy” Turner Memorial Fund
- Veterans Memorial Museum Fund

Colleen Hannah, Executive Assistant

People often refer to me as the “face” of the Hinton Area Foundation, but I’ll bet most people will have recognized Colleen as the face and voice of the Foundation long before I came along. Colleen is our all-too-often unsung hero at the H.A.F. Her calm, friendly, and humorous manner of making folks feel welcome into the office or in answering their questions on the phone has set the tone for what people can expect when they deal with us.

Colleen provides invaluable support to me and to our Board of Directors as the person we all go to for help with numbers and information for reports, letters, events, and historical information. We would literally be lost without her.

So, allow me to give a shout out to Colleen for all that she does for us and for you. Thanks Colleen!

Myna Hogan, Executive Director
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