

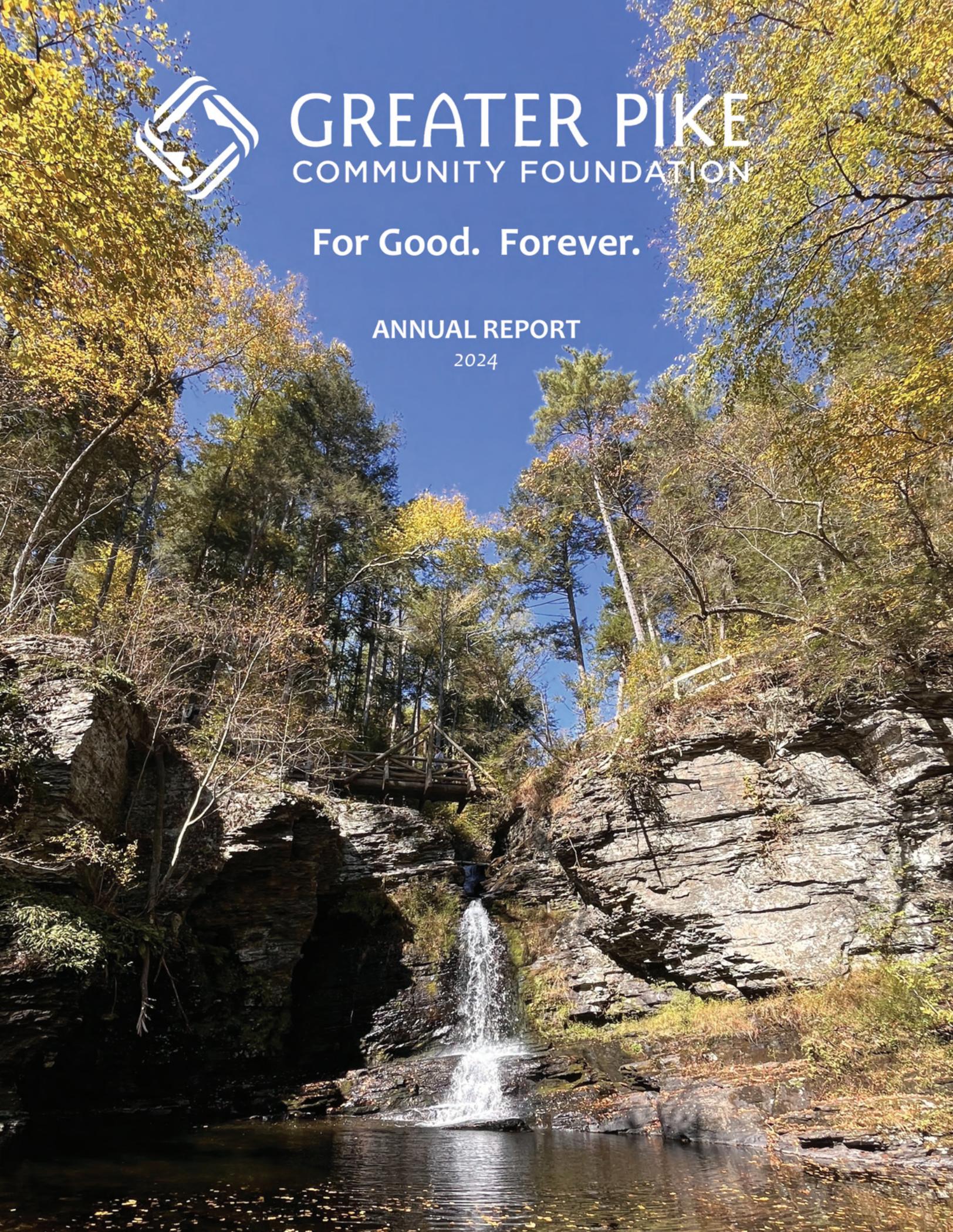


GREATER PIKE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

For Good. Forever.

ANNUAL REPORT

2024





INTRODUCING OUR NEW BOARD MEMBERS

BOARD OFFICERS

Luke Turano, Chair
Edson Whitney, Vice Chair
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Peter Maio, Treasurer

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Jacqueline Damian
Curt Goering
Jenni Hamill
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Adriane Wendell

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Terri Christensen

Terri Christensen, a 23-year veteran first-grade teacher, was born and raised in Milford. Like both of her parents did before her, she works for the Delaware Valley School District. She also holds an important community position as an active Emergency Medical Technician. Terri has three children and three grandchildren. Following in the family footsteps, her daughter Jenna is a teacher for Delaware Valley. Her daughter Emily is an esthetician in New Jersey, and son Jake owns his own local landscaping business. Terri looks forward to her retirement, "so I can sit back, watch my grandchildren and enjoy a slower lifestyle."



Jacqueline Damian

Jackie is a writer and editor with a background in newspapers, magazines and technology publishing. She moved to Pike County in 1986, first as a weekender and then full time. In 1997, she and her husband, George Borecky, bought a home in Milford Borough and have been involved in a variety of community activities over the years. The former editor of Antiques World magazine, Jackie runs a dealer space at Old Lumberyard Antiques with her husband.



Curt Goering

Curt is the former executive director of the Center for Victims of Torture (CVT), an international humanitarian organization providing comprehensive care for victims of torture and war atrocities. He oversaw an international staff with offices in multiple locations in the US, Africa, and the Middle East. He frequently led Amnesty International investigative missions, including many to conflict zones. He also served as the Head of the Gaza Office for the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights. Most recently he completed a fellowship at the Carr Center for Human Rights Policy at the Harvard Kennedy School.



Jenni Hamill

Jenni Hamill is a community-minded public health professional specializing in project development and administration. Her specific interests lie in community health and well-being and she has worked with numerous local nonprofits in areas such as fundraising and grant writing, program and partnership development and administration for over 25 years. Jenni serves as a Greater Pike liaison for the Pike County Medical Foundation and previously was Greater Pike Community Foundation's original Executive Director. She and her husband Eric reside in Shohola, PA where she enjoys gardening, biking, running, pickle ball and tending to her flock of chickens.



Mary Virtue

Mary has worked as a consultant to nonprofits and foundations in many parts of the world. Offering strategic planning and evaluation services to community-based organizations in the US and overseas, Mary worked with people who were building stronger communities through the arts, economic development, social services, environmental improvements, and small business lending. Mary also offered consulting services to foundations as large as the Ford Foundation and as small as rural community foundations working to support communities through targeted grant making and community engagement.



Adriane Wendell

After 29 years in the telecommunications industry in Atlanta and Washington DC, Adriane moved to Milford in 2008 and has been active in numerous community groups. She also was the innkeeper and managed the historic Harrington House Bed & Breakfast for 12 years. Adriane has served on numerous boards including the Pike County Chamber of Commerce, Black Bear Film Festival, Historic Trust of Pike County, Milford Borough Council, Milford Enhancement Committee and Milford Presents. She holds a MS/EdS degree from the State University of New York at Albany and a BA from the State University College at Oswego, New York.

PEOPLE WHO CARE... CAUSES THAT MATTER

YOUR GIFT WILL SUPPORT THOSE LOCAL PROGRAMS AND NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS THAT ARE MOST IMPORTANT TO YOU.



MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

As I reflect on my first year as Executive Director of Greater Pike Community Foundation, I am both humbled and inspired by the remarkable achievements our board, donors, fund advisors, and grantees have brought to our community. As you read through this report, I hope you share my pride in all we have accomplished together in 2024.

Thanks to your generosity, we have advanced the critical work of dozens of local nonprofit organizations and supported students in our schools and those pursuing higher education.

Each grant, scholarship, and life touched demonstrates the power of your support and underscores what we can achieve when we come together to invest in our community. You are truly the heartbeat of Greater Pike, helping us expand our reach and deepen our impact. For this, we are profoundly grateful.

We have even bigger plans for Greater Pike in 2025: we have ambitious goals to continue building our endowment, create new scholarships, open new funds, improve our systems, build our capacity, and expand our toolbox and resources to be able to better support our community.

We are also committed to strengthening our partnerships with local nonprofits, civic organizations, and community leaders to tackle the most pressing challenges facing our region.

As we embark on the year ahead, I'm looking forward to working with you and our dedicated board of directors to shape the foundation's future. Together, we will build on our successes and explore innovative ways to address the evolving needs of our community, ensuring a brighter future for Pike County and its residents.

Thank you for being an integral part of this journey. Your support and generosity truly change lives—for good, forever.

Warmest regards,



Rick Little
Executive Director
Greater Pike Community Foundation



MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD CHAIR

In many ways, 2024 represented the start of a new era for Greater Pike, building on the incredible foundational work the board and staff have accomplished since our founding 12 years ago.

This year, we welcomed six new community members to our board and a new Executive Director tasked with translating the foundation's mission and the board's vision into a meaningful impact in our county.

With your support, we distributed over \$280,000 in grants and scholarships, provided capacity-building support to our local nonprofits, partnered with community members to create new funds and scholarships, continued building our endowment, and deepened our partnerships with local community leaders to provide resources to help address our region's most urgent challenges.

These accomplishments are a testament to the collaborative spirit and shared commitment of our donors, fund advisors, partners, and the dedicated board of directors who lead Greater Pike with vision and purpose.

Inspired by the foundation's work and the opportunity to make a lasting impact, my wife Krista and I joined the Legacy Society, ensuring part of our estate benefits Greater Pike, and we established the Turano Family Fund which aids young people in our area by promoting arts, education, literacy, recreation, and advocacy for their wellbeing and rights. It also provides assistance to organizations serving survivors of domestic violence.

Taking these steps was easy, quick, and deeply rewarding, and I encourage you to consider how you, too, can create a legacy of giving. If you're interested in establishing a fund, joining our Legacy Society, or contributing to any of our existing funds, just reach out and our staff will walk you through the process.

On behalf of Greater Pike's board of directors, I extend my heartfelt gratitude to each of you who contribute your time, talent, and treasure to this vital work. Thank you for being an integral part of this journey. We look forward to creating an even brighter future together.

With gratitude and best wishes,



Luke Turano
Board Chair
Greater Pike Community Foundation

2023 Total Assets*

Cash	\$	356,239
Investments at Fair Market Value	\$	6,277,961
Other	\$	12,266
Total Assets 12/31/2023	\$	6,646,466
Total Assets 12/31/2022	\$	6,086,226
Increase		9%

Total Revenues*

Total Contributions and Grants	2023 Revenues*	2022 Revenues
	\$245,419	\$2,473,157

Realized/Unrealized Investment Income & Gains	\$632,592	-\$684,479
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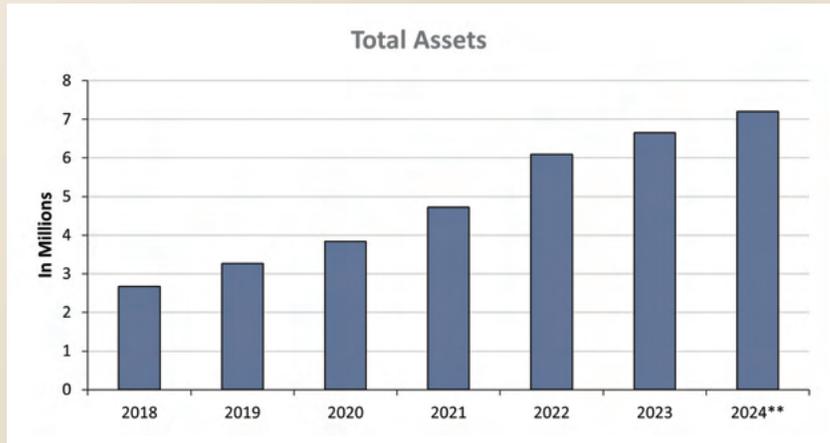
**Based on December 31, 2023
audited financial statements*

Total Assets 2024** 7,200,000

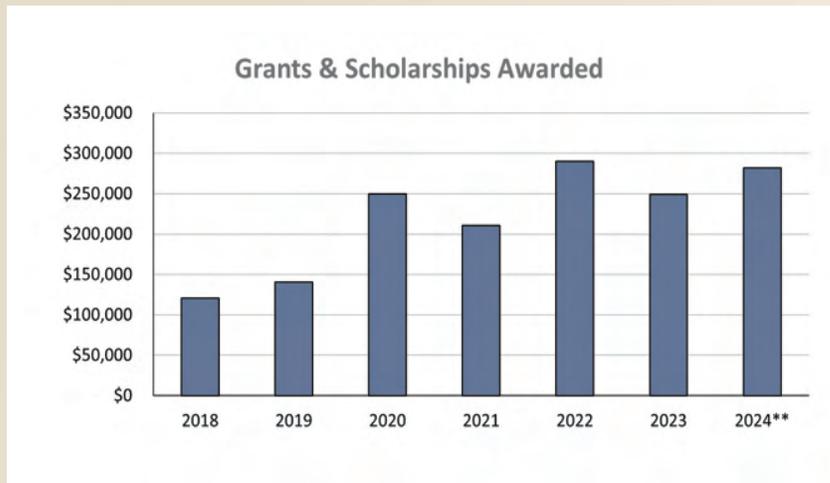
Grants & Scholarships Awarded

2021	2022	2023	2024
\$210,353	\$290,138	\$248,976	\$282,138

***unaudited as of 12/31/2024*



****Unaudited as of 12/31/2024**



****Actual grants, scholarships and Pre-K tuition assistance**



INVESTMENTS

All of Greater Pike Community Foundation’s invested assets are in a single commingled pool. The invested assets in the pool are managed by Mercer Investments using diversified low-cost fixed-income and equity mutual funds, primarily index funds but some actively managed funds as well. Mercer Investments acts as co-fiduciary with Greater Pike on the portfolio. Greater Pike’s investment strategy is designed to maximize returns while limiting risk with a long-term (5-10 year) investment horizon.

Performance data is provided by Mercer Investments.

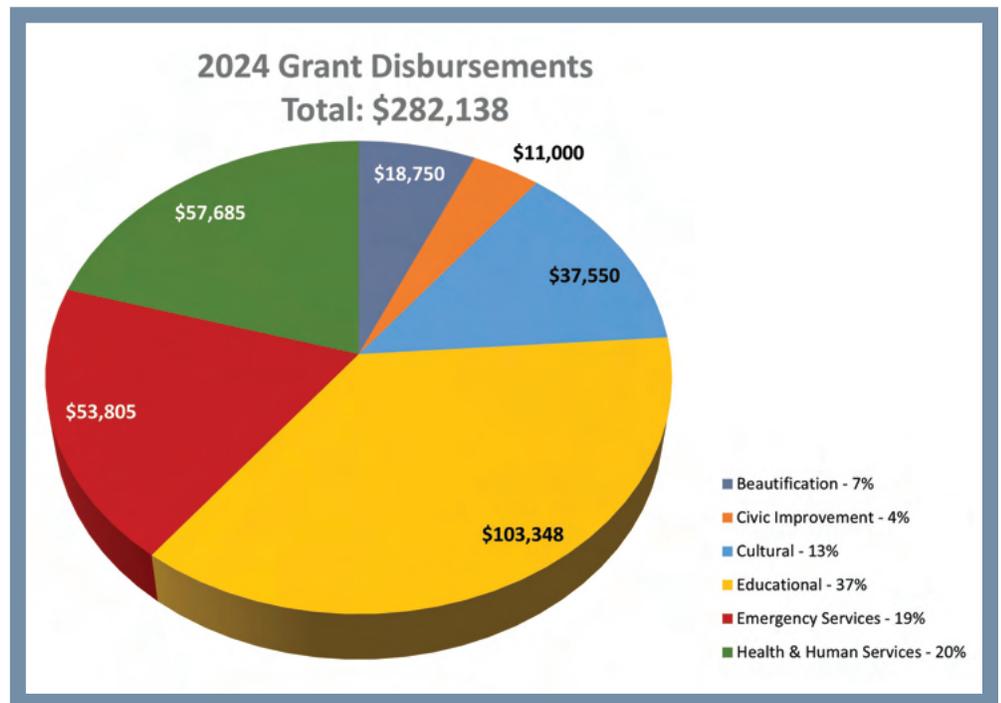


FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Greater Pike’s Audited Financial Statements for the year including the auditor’s report, notes to the financial statements and the most recent filed IRS Form 990 are available for review by contacting Greater Pike Community Foundation at info@greaterpike.org or calling (570) 832-4686.

Granted Organizations for 2024

- American Readers Theatre
- Barryville Area Arts Association
- Black Bear Film Festival
- Center for Developmental Disabilities (CDD)
- Central Volunteer Fire Department
- Church in the Hills
- Delaware Dancers/Hanna Q
- Delaware Valley School District
- Devereux Foundation
- Dingmans Ferry Theatre
- DV Music Department Booster Club
- Ecker-Haupt VFW Post 5635
- Ecumenical Food Pantry
- Farm Arts Collective
- Friends of the Delaware Valley Warrior Football Booster Club
- GAIT Equine Assisted Services
- Good Cheer Food Pantry
- Grey Towers Heritage Association
- Historic Preservation Trust of Pike County
- Holy Trinity Food Pantry
- Humane Society of Port Jervis
- Kindred Spirits Arts Programs
- Matamoras Fire Department
- Milford Enhancement Committee
- Milford Fire Department
- Milford Musicfest
- Milford Readers and Writers Festival
- People Helping People



- Peters Valley School of Craft
- Pike Autism Support Services
- Pike County Commissioners
- Pike County Emergency Services Initiative Fund
- Pike County Historical Society
- Pike County Humane Society
- Pike County Public Library
- Pike Opera
- Plimpton Foundation
- Pocono Environmental Education Center (PEEC)
- Saint Ann’s Food Pantry
- St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital
- The Arc of Northeastern Pennsylvania
- The Cooperage Project
- Tri-State Choral
- Tunnel to Towers Foundation
- Upper Delaware LGBT Center
- Upper Delaware Preservation Coalition
- Veterans Memorial Park and Education Center
- Wayne County Community Foundation (America250 Bell)
- Westfall Township Volunteer Fire Department

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“The pantry porch was sagging and shaking. Rotting wood flooring needed to be replaced. After years of trying to get this repaired we were finally able to get it done thanks to the timely help of this \$5,000 grant, which covered a large part of our cost.”

— Jim Snodgrass, treasurer at the Ecumenical Food Pantry.

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“The breadth and quality of work being done by the many nonprofit organizations in our community are outstanding. Greater Pike is excited to be able to support so many worthy projects – which is what Dick Snyder intended when he helped create the foundation and through his bequest, which provides this critical funding on an annual basis.”

— Carol Witschel, chair of Greater Pike’s Grants Committee.



A gathering of some grantees from the 2024 Richard L. Snyder Fund

For a complete list of nonprofits we support, please visit our website at www.greaterpike.org/grant-recipients



Austin Prey Memorial Fund – Created in memory of 23-year old Austin Prey to establish a local Fishing Derby event as Austin was an avid fisherman.

Barbara J. Buchanan Fund – Supports an annual mini-grant program that funds local nonprofit community organizations in the arts and culture, basic human needs, health, families, education, and the environment.

Davis R. Chant Fund for the Arts – Created to continue the giving legacy of Davis R. Chant and Chant Realtors, which includes support for festivals in Milford, PA.

Edson D. Mosher, Jr. Fund – Supports various local causes addressing food insecurity, health and welfare and children, as well as the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

Edward and Gertrude Schneider Memorial Fund – Supports the Milford Enhancement Committee, which works to make Milford a better place to live, visit, and do business.

Fund for Greater Pike – Provides support, as directed by Greater Pike's Board of Directors, for urgent or unexpected needs and for Greater Pike's administrative requirements and for needs that fall outside of the usual grant cycle or funding parameters of any specific fund.

GAIT Advisory Council Endowment Fund – Established for the benefit of GAIT Equine Assisted Services to improve the quality of life of children and adults with special needs through equine activities and therapies. ACE's primary purpose is to provide financial assistance to participants in GAIT's programs, enabling them to have a more independent life in society.

Green Trees Strong Roots Fund – Established to support the purposes of Green Trees Early Learning Center, Inc. (GTELC) and its affiliated agencies.

I Care About Autism Fund – Established for the support of the charitable, scientific, or educational purposes of Pike Autism Support Services (PASS) and its affiliated agencies.

John Duke and Joan Schneider Family Fund – Created by John "Duke" and Joan Schneider to provide meaningful support for causes and charities recommended by the donors.

Kontizas Fund – Supports arts and culture, animal welfare, public safety, and emergency services, environmental stewardship/education, child victims of domestic violence, and specifically Karen Ann Quinlan Hospice and Good Shepherd Episcopal Church in Milford, PA.

Lillian and Harvey M. Bessonett Sr. Fund – Supports charities recommended by fund's donor advisor. Charities and causes include (but are not limited to) human services, food security, housing needs and animal welfare organizations.

***Maya Milford Memorial Fund for Public Safety** – Established to support initiatives and projects that improve public safety in and around the borough of Milford, PA.

Milford Enhancement Committee Endowment Fund – Established for the exclusive benefit of the Milford Enhancement Committee with the purpose to preserve and enhance Milford, Pennsylvania's invaluable heritage and special character for the benefit of residents, businesses, and visitors alike.

O'Neil Family Fund – Created by Charles and Celeste O'Neil to support various local causes and organizations including historic preservation in Milford, PA, autism support services and food insecurity in the Greater Pike area and elsewhere as recommended by the donors.

Pedranti Family Charitable Fund – Supports community enhancement, health and welfare, medical research and education, historic preservation, arts and culture with an emphasis on the Greater Pike area.

Peter and Kathy Maio Fund – Supports environmental issues as well as organizations addressing housing and food insecurity in the Greater Pike area and elsewhere as recommended by the donors.

Petersheim Fund – Supports donor-recommended local entities across the nonprofit, religious, and community-building spectrum.

Pike County Emergency Services Initiative Fund – Established to provide funding to support training programs for Pike County emergency services, agencies and organizations.

***Pike County Veterans Support Fund** – Established for the exclusive benefit of the Pike County Veterans Affairs Office or its successor organization in support of its operation, services, and programs.

Pike Medical Foundation Fund – Established to provide funding needed to support, sustain, and enhance existing and future medical services within Pike County.

Promise of a Better Future Fund – Established as an endowment fund to support the charitable or educational purposes of Family Promise of the Poconos, Inc.

Ralph F. Berry Memorial Fund – Supports charities of the donor advisor's choice in memory of Ralph Berry and the causes he held near to his heart during his lifetime.

Richard L. Snyder Chair of Conservation Studies Fund – Established to honor the memory of Richard L. Snyder, a community benefactor and great conservationist, this fund will provide a yearly stipend to the Delaware Valley School District to create and maintain a Richard L. Snyder Chair of Conservation Studies.

Richard L. Snyder Fund – Supports an annual open grant program which funds nonprofit organizations conducting work in the following areas: maintaining and enhancing the public areas of the Borough of Milford; sponsorship of local arts, culture, festivals, and events; and medical research in the fields of multiple sclerosis, HIV, LGBT issues and domestic violence.

Richard Rhodes River Rescue Fund – Income from the "RRRR" fund is allocated to the National Canoe Safety Patrol for the purchase of equipment, training, and other necessary items to fulfill their mission to provide rescue and assistance, as well as safety education.

Safe Haven Legacy Fund – Established by Safe Haven of Pike County, Inc. to provide grant awards to nonprofit organizations in Pike County helping victims of domestic violence and sexual assault find and relocate to permanent (as opposed to emergency) safe housing.

Shuttleworth Fund – Created to support various local causes and organizations in the Greater Pike area and elsewhere as recommended by the donor.

Thomas and Jean Hoff Fund – Established to primarily benefit the community of Pike County, PA, specifically the Pike County Public Library.

***Turano Family Fund** – Established to support organizations that provide opportunities for advancement of youth, including but not limited to arts, education, literacy, cultural enrichment, recreation, childhood illness, and advocacy related to the support, wellbeing, and rights of children and young people. Funding is also available to organizations that provide support to survivors of domestic violence through counseling, relocation assistance, and/or legal fees.

Walt Edwards Ashenfelter Fund for Performing Arts – Established in memory of Walt Edwards Ashenfelter to support the musical entertainment in Milford that Walt loved.

William and Deborah Hookway Fund – Supports various local charitable entities in the Sussex County, NJ, area and elsewhere, as recommended by the Donors. Charities and causes include but are not limited to the Sussex County YMCA and animal welfare organizations.

Xavisean Fund – Designed to promote civic engagement, historic preservation, social justice, healthcare, and cultural endeavors in the Greater Pike region.

**Denotes new in 2024*



"We could not be more grateful to organizations like Greater Pike's Richard L. Snyder grant, which has supported this effort every year since 2017."

— Susan Rustin, President, Tri-State Chorale

Types of FUNDS

Greater Pike Community Foundation has established 43 funds. There are 16 donor advised funds, three donor designated funds, five field of interest funds, 10 organizational funds, and nine scholarship funds.

Donors can establish a named fund with an initial tax-deductible gift of as little as \$1,000.

Designated Funds: This type of fund provides you with a wonderful way to give back to one or more specific nonprofit organizations. Distributions will be made to the organization(s) you designate.

Donor Advised Funds: Charitable grants from these funds are made to a variety of nonprofit organizations, which can change each year. You make tax-deductible charitable contributions immediately, without having to identify nonprofit beneficiaries right away.

Endowment Funds: The object of an endowment fund is to sustain a nonprofit into the future with an income stream through unstable times. Any size nonprofit organization can establish an endowment fund at Greater Pike using an endowment gift from a donor or a portion of an organization's funds.

Field of Interest Funds: Grants are made to organizations in a specific area of community interest to support a broad charitable goal, such as improving education, the region's cultural life or eliminating hunger.

Organizational Funds: Any nonprofit can benefit from this type of fund in which Greater Pike will assist with administering an endowment for long term profit that will give the organization a strategy to fulfill its mission in perpetuity.

Scholarship Funds: These funds are established to assist students with their education and career goals. You can create a scholarship as a memorial to someone, specifying eligibility criteria, and the grant can support any area of academic need, including tuition, books or dorm expenses.

With all funds, the donor is credited with a tax-deductible charitable contribution, without having to immediately identify the nonprofit beneficiaries. For complete descriptions and to make secure online donations to any of these funds, please visit our website at www.greaterpike.org/fund_list/ and scroll down to the fund name for the link.



The Delaware Valley Music Department Booster Club received the very first grant from the Walt Edwards Ashenfelter Fund for Performing Arts, a donor advised fund administered by Greater Pike Community Foundation.

This fund was established by Kathryn Wolf-Ashenfelter and Michael Zimmerman to honor the legacy of Milford's Walt Edwards Ashenfelter, a beloved music artist and advocate for live performing arts.

From left: Jack O'Leary, DV Music Department Booster Club President; Richard Horst, DV Music Department Chair; Luke Turano, Greater Pike Board Chair; Kathryn Wolf-Ashenfelter; Michael Zimmerman; Rick Little, Greater Pike Executive Director.



The Pike County Emergency Services Initiative Fund (PCESI) underwrites EMT classes and provides funding for critical supplies. A roster of enthusiastic students signed up for the fall EMT training course and for the advanced EMT course which will allow students to perform more paramedic-type procedures.

Charitable giving with a DONOR ADVISED FUND



HOW DOES A DONOR ADVISED FUND WORK?

1

DONATE

A donor makes an
irrevocable, tax-
deductible donation
to

Greater Pike Community Foundation



2

INVEST

Funds will be
invested for
tax-free growth



Establish your Donor Advised Fund at Greater Pike Community Foundation

Benefits include:

- The flexibility to easily support causes you care about.
- You can give cash, stock, bonds, and/or other assets to a donor advised fund and receive a tax deduction when the contribution is made.
- You can request a specific dollar amount be sent to a specific charitable organization.
- Whether you decide to disburse the assets to an approved charity at the time you make the contribution or let the assets grow tax-free, you still receive a tax benefit immediately.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Greater Pike now has nine scholarship funds. The Charlie & Allyson Gillinder Scholarship Fund, new in 2024, will award one scholarship annually to a student planning to pursue a four-year degree in engineering or physics, or a world language teaching degree. This follows last year's addition of the Edson and Barbara Whitney International Studies Scholarship Fund for students pursuing a career in international studies or related fields.

In 2024, the Foundation awarded 13 area students with scholarships totaling \$59,068, including recurring awards to three past recipients who are continuing their college studies. The awards, which go to seniors from Delaware Valley, Wallenpaupack and Kittatinny high schools, come from a variety of scholarship funds administered by Greater Pike.

Post-Secondary Scholarship Fund Recipients

Ann Intili Morey Art Scholarship

Michaela Velez — Rochester Institute of Technology
Youngeun (Eunice) Choi — University of Pennsylvania
Sydney Sura — Savannah College of Art & Design
Maddy Mallon — (multi-year recipient at Massachusetts College of Art & Design)
Ava Nienstadt — (multi-year recipient at Dickinson College)

Amanda Nicole Thoenig Memorial Scholarship

Youngeun (Eunice) Choi — University of Pennsylvania
Harmony Butkovich — Full Sail University

Art Ridley Spirit of Kindness Memorial Scholarship

Hailey Ryan — East Stroudsburg University

Kyle James Pascoe Memorial Scholarship

Andrew Williams — Penn State University
Tyler Bird — Kings College
Kyle Chabak — Penn State University

Pike County Chamber of Commerce Memorial Gouse-Krawitz Scholarship

Thomas Parker — Penn State University
Sydney Sura — Savannah College of Art & Design

Sydney Fluck "Syd's Kids" Scholarship

Cassandra Joyce — Northeastern University

Reggie Cheong-Leen & Peter Spielhagen Scholarship

Samantha Huerta — Sussex County Community College
Yoshikatsu Sumitomo — (multi-year recipient at Penn State University)

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“We are grateful to our generous donors, whose support will make a positive difference in the future lives of our scholarship recipients.”

— Ann Morey, chair of Greater Pike's Scholarship Committee



Online donations to these scholarship funds can be made at
www.greaterpike.org/scholarships
Scroll down to the fund name for the link to the scholarship of your choosing.

Far-Reaching Effects

Scholarship funding in 2024 helped support students at the following institutions:

Dickinson College

East Stroudsburg University

Full Sail University

Kings College

Massachusetts College of Arts

Northeastern University

Penn State University

Rochester Institute of Technology

Savannah College of Art & Design

Sussex County Community College

University of Pennsylvania



Pre-K Scholarships

The Center for Developmental Disabilities of Pike County (CDD) was awarded \$13,248 in scholarship funding from Greater Pike Community Foundation to cover summer pre-K costs for 10 children.



Detailed eligibility requirements and links to donate to any of these funds can be found on our website: www.greaterpike.org/funds

The Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC) Program for Pre-Kindergarten Scholarship Organizations enables full or partial tuition scholarships for local children attending summer or school-year programs at eligible nonprofit pre-kindergarten scholarship organizations.

Funds are administered through a partnership among Greater Pike Community Foundation, the PA Department of Community and Economic Development (DCED), and eligible, approved businesses that receive tax credits for contributions. In 2024, contributions to Greater Pike enabling these scholarships came from Highmark Blue Cross Blue Shield, UGI Utilities, Wayne Bank, and The Dime Bank.



COMMUNITY

Deserving Community Members Are Recognized

2024 Annual Dinner

The Barbara J. Buchanan Community Service Award was presented to **Martha Dubensky**, founder of GAIT Equine Assisted Services. GAIT has improved the lives of children and adults with special needs.

The Jorgenson Family/The Dimmick Inn received the Richard L. Snyder Business Leadership Award. The Jorgensons are generous supporters of a wide range of local charitable endeavors.

The Nonprofit Excellence Award was given to the **Milford Enhancement Committee**. The Milford Enhancement Committee (MEC) has initiated, inspired, and raised the funds for improvements in Milford's public spaces and streetscapes.



"These three honorees exemplify the spirit of community engagement and service that lies at the heart of Greater Pike Community Foundation's mission."

— Luke Turano, Greater Pike Board Chair



PHOTO (from left): Martha Dubensky of GAIT with Rick Little and Luke Turano; MEC board members Eileen Smith, Barbara Tarquinio, Maureen Dooley, Adriane Wendell, Tony Gurrera with Luke Turano; Andrew Jorgenson with Luke Turano.



More than 250 people attended Greater Pike's 9th Annual Awards Dinner on September 8th at the Silver Birches resort on Lake Wallenpaupack. The dinner is a way to thank outstanding individuals in our community for their civic and business leadership embodied by the late Barbara J. Buchanan and Richard Snyder, founding members of the foundation.



GREATER PIKE LEGACY SOCIETY

For Good. Forever.

Launched in 2021, the Legacy Society continues to grow and includes members of our community who believe in giving back in perpetuity. Members name Greater Pike Community Foundation as a beneficiary of a planned gift. This could be as simple as a bequest in their will and/or future charitable income in the form of annuities, charitable remainder trusts, or gifts of life insurance or retirement plan assets.

Annual garden party receptions are held for members who are recognized in Greater Pike publications, unless they prefer anonymity.



The 2024 Greater Pike Legacy Society Reception was held at the home of Luke and Krista Turano. (From left:) Luke Turano with daughter, Charley; Rosann Kalish; Jim Pedranti; William Hookway; Deborah Hookway



LEGACY SOCIETY MEMBERS

- Harvey M. Bessonett
- Reginald Cheong-Leen
- Daniel & Linda Fields
- William & Deborah Hookway
- Rosann B. Kalish
- Richard & Rebecca Lindsey
- Kirk C. Mackey
- Peter & Kathy Maio
- Doug Manion
- Sean Strub & Javier Morales
- Edson D. Mosher, Jr.
- Nicholas H. & Margaretta G. Niles
- James Pedranti
- Nancy & Peter Pinchot
- Gail Shuttleworth & Jeff Rosalsky
- John "Duke" Schneider
- Lucas Turano
- Edson & Barbara Whitney

From left: (seated in front) Peter Maio, Adriane Wendell, Jim Pedranti, Deborah Hookway, Karen Kontizas; (standing in back) Curt Goering, William Hookway, Linda Fields, Dan Fields, Rosann Kalish



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MAKING A DIFFERENCE

Greater Pike Community Foundation has established 43 funds from which over \$280,000 in 2024 alone helped our community nonprofits address emergency and health services, education, cultural events, historic preservation and much more.

Since its founding 12 years ago, Greater Pike is close to reaching \$2 million in the form of grants and scholarships.

To help Greater Pike continue its mission FOR GOOD. FOREVER. please consider making a donation to the Fund for Greater Pike.

Donations can be made at www.greaterpike.org/fund_list/ and scroll down to the fund name, or a check made out to Greater Pike Community Foundation may be mailed to P.O. Box 992, Milford, PA 18337.