

Letter from the Board President



The Tuscola Community Foundation again completed another excellent year of service to the greater Tuscola community through distributions to various organizations in the Tuscola area. Distributions through scholarships to our Tuscola graduates to attend college amounted to 13 scholarships with a total of \$10,500 dollars to students from Tuscola High School. Additionally several organizations in the area benefited from grants from the Tuscola Foundation. Those included Tuscola VFW Post 1009, Tuscola Angel Tree, Tuscola

Boys Scouts, Tuscola School District, Newman Senior Center, Sam Food Pantry, Douglas County CEO program, and the Kiwanis Pre-K playground project. Donations to the foundation were vital again this year in allowing the foundation to continue to be so generous in grants.

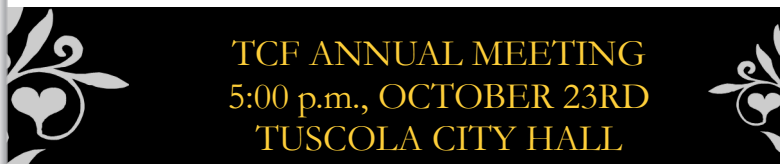
This year the board also determined to continue to award scholarships on Memorials until the funds are expired from that Memorial. This gets the money out to the community sooner rather than potentially never or so infrequent that it does not benefit the community. The board also established two major points. First in determining a Mission Statement and Second an Identity Statement. You can find each at the end of this letter. Each of these statements will give guidance to the intent of our organization in the future.

As with every year we say goodbye to board members and welcome new members to our board. Those retiring this year are Duff Hoel representing the Financial Sector and served as treasurer and Bruce Wood, representing the community at large sector and recently served as president. Mike Carroll, representing the Legal Sector, has decided not to return for a second term. Each of our retiring board members has contributed to the progress of this organization and their talents will be missed. We have 3 great people nominated for directors on the board. Kristi Heath has been nominated in the financial sector. In the At-Large sector, Alison Cler has been nominated to represent that sector. And in the legal sector, Kate Watson has been nominated to fulfill that position. I personally look forward to great things from this new board if the membership will approve each.

Sincerely, Bruce Wood
President of the Tuscola Community Foundation

Mission Statement: The mission of the Tuscola Community Foundation is to provide financial support for the continued growth of the Tuscola community in the form of scholarships and grants to individuals and groups.

Identity Statement: Tuscola Community Foundation supporting health wellbeing and learning throughout the entire Tuscola Community.



DISTRIBUTIONS:

- Various Scholarships - \$10,500 to 2019 recipients
- WEIU - Our Story - \$3,000
- Cunningham Children's Home - \$11,846.72
- Tuscola VFW Post 1009 - \$3,948.91
- Salvation Army - Tuscola Angel Tree - \$3,948.91
- Scouting in Tuscola - \$2,500
- Tuscola School District - \$3,500.00
- Newman Senior Center - \$7,676.06
- Sam Food Pantry - \$10,000
- Douglas County CEO - \$1,500
- Kiwanis Pre-K Playground - \$6,000

TCF FUNDS:

- ◆ Robert C. Nunn Memorial Scout Building Fund
- ◆ Ray Wulliman Scholarship Fund
- ◆ Dr. Dana Mattix Memorial Scholarship Fund
- ◆ Tuscola Educational Foundation Fund
- ◆ George J.A. Meister Fund
- ◆ Tommy K. Martin Scholarship Fund
- ◆ William F. & Carol C. McCarty Fund
- ◆ Lenore Cletcher-Wessale Trust Fund
- ◆ Miss Tuscola Scholarship Fund
- ◆ Rutan Family Memorial Scholarship Fund
- ◆ Harriet Bell Scholarship Fund
- ◆ Harley & Doris Helm Scholarship Fund
- ◆ Doug McCumber Family Fund
- ◆ General Fund (Unrestricted)

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

- ◆ Bruce Wood, At-Large—President*
 - ◆ Mike Carroll, Legal Sector—Vice President*
 - ◆ Duff Hoel, Financial Sector—Treasurer*
 - ◆ Tracy Hornaday, At-Large—Secretary
 - ◆ John Best, At-Large
 - ◆ Les Evans, Religious Sector
 - ◆ Kathryn Clapper, Agriculture Sector
 - ◆ Chuck Holmes, Industrial Sector
 - ◆ Alan Shoemaker, Municipal Sector
 - ◆ Jessie Hanner, Education Sector
- *Term Expires 10/19

BOARD NOMINEES

- ◆ Alison Cler, At-Large Sector
- ◆ Kristi Heath, Financial Sector
- ◆ Kate Watson, Legal Sector Sector

COMMITTEES

- ◆ Executive Committee
- ◆ Finance Committee
- ◆ Grants Committee
- ◆ Development Committee
- ◆ Marketing/Publicity Committee

2018–2019 FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Beginning Balance	\$2,516,401.36
Donations	\$32,286.13
Interest, Dividends, Investment Gains and Losses	\$94,559.35
Distributions and Expenses	(\$65,864.60)
Ending Balance	\$2,577,382.24



LIFETIME MEMBERSHIPS

INDIVIDUALS & JOINT SPOUSAL

Max and Christine Albritton
 Wilma Allen
 William and Nancy Allen
 James and Mary Baird
 Phil and Dee Beachy
 Roger and Ann Beck
 Randy and Maureen Bergeson
 John Best
 Dale and Amy Boyer
 Janet Boyer
 Dave and Cheryl Bozarth
 Justin and Aja Bozarth
 David Butler
 Janet Butler
 Mike and Becky Carroll
 Tom and Beth Chamberlain
 Kris and Katie Clodfelder
 Stan and Joan Cross
 Mike and Linda Damler
 Patricia Damler
 Dr. Rick Davidon
 Maureen Deaver-Purcell
 Christine Dunnagan
 Dr. Kim Livezey Eisenbarth
 Brett and Courtney Englehardt
 Jean Freche
 Ron and Darla Gardner

Sue Gavin
 Mark and Lorna Geiler
 Shane and Lindsey Gould
 Les and Ellen Hall
 Bill and Marilyn Hancock
 Bo and Jessie Hanner
 Larry and Susie Harbaugh
 Clayton and Judy Harriss
 Randy and Angie Hastings
 Jim and Carol Hausmann
 Dick and Andrea Helm
 Steve and Ann Hilgendorf
 Bill Hill
 Tim and Trina Hilligoss
 Dillon Hoel
 Drew and Christy Hoel
 Duff and DeDee Hoel
 Tim and Luanne Hoey
 Chuck and Sara Holmes
 Ryan and Tracy Hornaday
 Jeanette Iles
 Patricia Johansen and Michael Crawford
 Dan and Amy Kleiss
 Kay Kleiss
 Jim Kleiss
 Tim and Lyn Kohlbecker
 Ken and Judy Landeck
 Adam and Jorden Lauwers
 Dave and Jeanette Lecher

Paul and Colleen Lehmann
 Frank and Marlene Lincoln
 Randy and Alta Long
 Fred and Dorothy Manzke
 Jeff and Carol Martin
 Bill and Carol McCarty
 Rhonda McCumber
 Kathryn McCumber
 Tom and Jan McGuire
 Kent and Jane McNeil
 Kip and Karen Mecum
 Joe and Jo Ellen Monahan
 Brian and Kate Moody
 Janice Moody
 Tim and Laurie Mooney
 Emerson and Norma Jean Moore
 Dean Moss
 Bruce and Pat Nofftz
 Lou and Kathy Rhodes
 Dennis and Maribeth Opperman
 Dorothy Riddle
 Ken Roedder
 Dale Rutan
 Alan and Marci Shoemaker
 Ashton Smith
 Dr. Bob and Mary Smith
 Michael and Shannon Smith
 Grant and Johanna Steffens
 Leona Steven

Devon Story
 Betsy Stuerke
 Glen and Janet Stumeier
 Jim and Dorothy Voyles
 Bob and Joann Vukelich
 Cheryl Warren
 Patti Waters
 John and Kate Watson
 Steve and Bev Wetzel
 Clark and Georgia Wilkinson
 Joe and Barb Wills
 Paul and Susan Wisovaty
 Bruce Wood
 John and Deanna Woodard

BUSINESSES

Cabot Corporation
 First Federal Bank of Tuscola
 First Mid-Illinois Bank & Trust
 First State Bank of Tuscola
 Ironhorse Golf Club
 Larsson, Woodyard & Henson, LLP
 LyondellBasell
 Petersen Companies (Tuscola Health Care)
 The Hillard Agency
 TNB
 Tuscola Rotary Club
 Wells Fargo Advisors, LLC

2018 SCHOLARSHIPS

- ◆ 2- \$500 TCF Scholarships—Cassandra Russo (Parkland College) and Bradley Kramer (Vincennes University)
- ◆ 2- \$500 TK Martin Scholarship— Kyle Zimmer (Parkland College) and Dalton Hoel (Kaskaskia College)
- ◆ \$500 Ray Wulliman Scholarship— Kevin Miller (Parkland College)
- ◆ 2- \$1,000 Cletcher-Wessale Scholarships— Alexis Koester (Parkland College) and Grace Snider (Eastern Illinois University)
- ◆ \$1,000 Harley and Doris Helm Scholarship— Dalton Hoel (Kaskaskia College)
- ◆ 3-\$1,000 Dr. Dana Mattix Scholarships— Hannah Saril (Indiana State University, Olivia Chester (University of Illinois) and Miah Phillips (University of Illinois)

2019 SCHOLARSHIPS

- ◆ 2- \$500 TCF Scholarships - Faith Hardwick (Parkland College) and Emily Kemp (Millikin University)
- ◆ 2- \$500 TK Martin Scholarship - Anna Spillman (Quincy University) and Michael Badgett (Parkland College)
- ◆ \$500 Ray Wulliman Scholarship - Emmalee Philips (Parkland College)
- ◆ 2- \$1,000 Cletcher-Wessale Scholarships - McKinlee Miller (Illinois Wesleyan University) and Emily Kemp (Millikin University)
- ◆ \$1,000 Harley and Doris Helm Scholarship— Natalie Bates (Lincoln Land Community College)
- ◆ 2-\$1,000 Dr. Dana Mattix Scholarships— Sara Kremitzki (Indiana State University and Faith Hardwick (Parkland College)
- ◆ \$1,000 Doug McCumber Memorial Scholarship - Grace Dietrich (Parkland Pathways Program)
- ◆ \$1,000 Tuscola Educations Foundation Fund - Will Little (University of Illinois)
- ◆ \$1,000 Harriet Bell Scholarship - Lucas Burnett (Parkland College)

Over \$10,000 in scholarships were awarded in 2019.

