

Our Annual Report Sponsors: Please Thank and Support

- Audie's Restaurant -
- **Chastain Development** •
- Childs Consulting Associates, Inc. •
- **Citizens National Bank** ◀
- Darrow's Family Restaurant
- Darrow Brothers Excavating, Inc.

j9n.los.www Learn more about our sponsors at

2016 ANNUAL

REPORT-

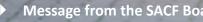
2016 Grant Awards

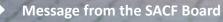
ΚΕΤURN SERVICE REQUESTED

Permit No. 20 70704 IM , 6n9qlA

Postage Paid **U.S. Bulk Rate** Non-Profit Org.

- FEATURE: Plaunt Maritime Scholarship
- **SACF Financial Summary**
- Thank You to Our Donors





COMMUN

OUNDATI

AREA

STRAITS

INSIDE:



We connect people who care about the future of Cheboygan County and Mackinaw City with the causes closest to their hearts. By encouraging individuals to create permanent charitable endowments to meet the ever-changing needs of our communities, we can match donors' charitable interests with worthwhile causes by giving grants and scholarships to area programs and students.

Board of Directors

Beth Carusi, President Patty Archambo Ann Chastain John Childs Jennifer Lee Randy Mikula Linda Moline Nancy Stempky

Executive Director Patrick Heraghty pheraghty@cfnem.org

Marketing Communications Director Affiliate Director Christine Bruske-Hitch chitch@cfnem.org

> Finance Director DeeAnn Karos dkaros@cfnem.org

Toll-free: 877.354.6881 www.sacf.net

A Message from the Board of Directors

The Straits Area Community Foundation (SACF) Board of Directors is pleased to share the 2016 Annual Report with you. There is so much to celebrate including our many grants, scholarships and our Youth Advisory Council, and of course, recognition of the many donors whose vision and generosity make all of this possible. Though it hardly seems enough, we give our sincerest gratitude for their support.

In 2016, SACF gained a new charitable fund: the Raymond Plaunt Memorial Maritime Scholarship Fund. This addition brings the number of charitable funds held at the Community Foundation to 47. Our assets increased from \$1.94 million to \$2.13 million, and we received over \$178,000 in contributions during the year.

We invite you to enjoy this annual report, and to spend a little time on our website as well, learning more about how your donations are making a difference right here in Cheboygan County and Mackinaw City.

With warmest regards and appreciation, SACF Board of Directors

Youth Philanthropy is Strong in the Straits

The Straits Area Youth Advisory Council (YAC) dove deep into philanthropy in 2016 through their grantmaking, and an opportunity to learn the fundamentals of youth giving with over 100 other youth grantmakers.

Over two grant cycles in 2016, students from Mackinaw City, Cheboygan and Wolverine High Schools awarded \$3,330 in grants to



support youth programs in their communities.

In October, they also joined YAC members from across northeast Michigan in a regional training

event to learn about endowment building, fund development and leadership.

SACF Grant Supports Heritage Village

A \$1,000 Community Impact grant from SACF provided funding for the construction of an Anishinaabe Medicine Wheel at the

Mackinaw Area Historical Society's Historic Village.

Project organizers say the wheel has drawn both natives and non-natives to learn and experience what life was like for Native Americans from 1180-1917.

It has also become a site for traditional ceremonies, celebrations and performances throughout the year.

The wheel is divided into four sections, with each color representing a different direction and a different people.

The Transfer of Wealth in the Straits Area

The United States is in the midst of the largest transfer of wealth, likely in its history. As the Baby Boomer generation ages, they will pass over \$59 trillion in assets to their Generation X and Millennial children between 2007 and 2061 according to a 2014 study from Boston College. \$3.55 billion is projected to change hands in Cheboygan County and Mackinaw City alone by 2050. And while these are estimates, those estimates are rather conservative.

The Straits Area Community Foundation hopes to secure at least 5% of the expected \$3.55 billion, ideally for grants through SACF's Community Needs Fund. Strategically, this fund allows us to most effectively meet the needs of our community through our Community Impact grants, to truly enhance all that the Straits Area has to offer.

To help paint the "numbers" picture, five percent of the estimated wealth in our counties would amount to \$177 million by 2050. If that number were preserved locally in the form of endowed funds, it would mean the Community Foundation could award nearly \$9 million in grants for our community EVERY YEAR. \$9 million! Please visit our website for the full story on the Transfer of Wealth in the Straits Area and all of northeast Michigan at www.sacf.net, and how you can play a role in preserving a vibrant future for our communities.

A Very Special Thank You to Our Donors

(January 1 through December 31, 2016)

On behalf of the many students and community organizations that benefit from your generosity, the SACF Board of Directors and staff thank you! Your commitment to giving back today will continue to benefit our local communities for generations to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Abonek **Action Deliveries** Alice's Kandy & Korn Ms Melanie Allen Mr and Mrs Patrick Allor American Legion Post 159 Organization Mr. and Mrs. John D. Anderson Mr. and Mrs. Marty Andrews Anonymous James Arnold Tim and Libby Ash Family Foundation Audie's Restaurant Ms. Boneta K. Austin Awakon Federal Credit Union Axium Services, Inc. Mr Victor Babcock Ms. Mary Jean Baker Mr. Lawrence A. Barnes Mr. and Mrs. John J. Barnfather Barnich, Kavanaugh & Cooper, Inc. BC Pizza of Mackinaw City Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Beauchamp Mr. and Mrs. Bink Bell Mr. and Mrs. Larry Bellor Ms. Beth A. Benson Mr. Richard Berger Ms. Hazel Berks Mr. Ernest E. Berry Mr. and Mrs. Tom Berzsenvi Ms. Beth A. Beson Ms. Mary L. Betterly Mr. Irvin G. Bieser Jr. Big G's Lawn Care Big Stone Bay Fishery, Inc. Mr and Mrs Jack Biller Mr. Richard P. Binder Jr. **Bishop GMC Cadillac** Black Sheep Baa Mr. and Mrs. Daniel G. Blundy Ms. Laurie Bohn **Bois Blanc Island Community** Foundation Mr. and Mrs. Philip T. Borkowski Mr. and Mrs. Jim Boylan Mr. William Bracey Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brandt Ms. Barbara L. Brewster Mr and Mrs. Michael Brooks Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Bruce Ms. Nola K. Bruder Mr. and Mrs. Douglas M. Brush Mr. and Mrs. James W. Bryce Mr. and Mrs. Tom Buechle Hon. and Mrs. Robert J. Butts Mr and Mrs Harold F Callahan Mr. and Mrs. Michael Campbell Captains Three Mr. and Mrs. Richard Card Mr. Elmer Carlson and Ms. Charlene Haaparuro

Ms. Beth Y. Carusi Mr. Cass T. Casucci Cecil Bay Builders Inc. Chastain Development Mr and Mrs Tom Chastain Mr. and Mrs. John W. Childs Mr. and Mrs. Morey J. Church Citizens National Bank of Cheboygan Citizens National Bank Mr and Mrs Dennis M Clare Mr. and Mrs. Victor Clore Mr Jeff Comps Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Constant Mr. and Mrs. Brian R. Covert Cox's Camelot LLC Ms. Ann C. Craven Mrs. Marilyn Currier Darrow Bros, Excavating Ms. Katie Darrow Darrow's Family Restaurant Mr. and Mrs. Pat Dempsey Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Dennis Ms Chari Derby Devon's Mackinac Island Fudge and Popcorn Co. Mr. and Mrs. Richard DeVore Mr. and Mrs. Ronald R. Dismang Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Dittes Mr. Donald A. Dodick Ms Norma L Dohr Ms. Terry Douglas Mr. and Mrs. Michael E. Dunn Mr. and Mrs. Robert Durham Mr. and Mrs. Ronald L. Dye Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Earl Mr. John Engel and Ms. Pam Evans Mr. and Mrs. Stephen J. Eno Mr and Mrs John Frickson Mr. and Mrs. Dennis J. Ernest Mr. and Mrs. Maurice B. Eustice Ms. Peggy Feeley **Fidelity Charitable Gift Fund** Mr. Robert Florkowski Mr. and Mrs. Michael Foley Mr. Timothy Forche Mr. Clinton H. Ford Jr. Fort Fudge Shop, Inc. Mr. and Ms. Robert Foster Mr. and Mrs. Douglas J. Freye Mrs. Mary Ann Freve Ms. Audrey Gahn Ms. Connie Gask GDIV Inc. Mr. John Gibson Mr. and Mrs. Greg Gildner Mr. and Mrs. John Gildner Ms. Patricia A. Gildner Ms. Patricia A. Godchaux Mr. and Mrs. Frederic L. Goeddel Mr. Harley Gohl

Great Lakes Wine & Spirits, LLC

Mrs. Carol J. Grebe Mr. and Mrs. Gary Groat Ms. Judith A. Groleau and Loren K. Gibbons Mr and Mrs William T Grzesiak Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Hall Mr. and Mrs. James W. Harmon Mr. and Mrs. John C. Harris Dr. and Mrs. T. Mark Healy Mr. and Mrs. William L. Heath Mr. Robert R. Heilman Hingston Enterprises, Inc. Mr. and Mrs. Kim Hocquard The Hoffman Family Mrs. Andrea L. Holmes Mr. and Mrs. William B. Holmes Mr. and Mrs. H. Earl Hoover II Ms Miriam U Hoover Mr. Keith Horn Jr. Mr. and Mrs. William C. Horn Mr. and Mrs. William M. Howard Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hull Ms. Lucille M. Hume Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hutchinson Integrated Designs, Inc. Mr. and Mrs. Christopher P. Jaggi Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jaggi Ms. Katherine Jaggi Dr. and Mrs. Mike Jaggi Mr. Nick Jaggi Mr Loren A Jahn Mr. Donald Jankowski Mr. and Ms. Edward Jeannotte Ms. Lori Jenks JoAnn's Fudge Ms. Georgia Johnson Mr. and Mrs. Michael Johnson Mr and Mrs Scott Johnson Mr. Jim Jordan Mr. Roger K. Kaer and Mrs. Carole L. Baer Mr. and Mrs. Max Katenhus Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Keller Mr. and Mrs. Ralph M. Keller Jr. Ken's Village Market Inc. The Keyhole Kevhole Bar Mr. and Mrs. Russ Kibat Mr. and Mrs. Jaccob Kieliszewski Dr. and Mrs. John R. Kilbourne Mr Ion M Klever Ms. Katherine Kosorski Krueger's Fish Market Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Kurtz Lakeside Realty Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd D. Lamphere Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lampi Landons Auto Parts Inc. Ms. Lynn Lapaugh Ms. Joann P. Leal and Ronald E. Wallin The Leather Exchange Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lees Dr. Loretta M. Leja Mr. Michael Leppen Mr. Michael Leppen Mr Bret Lewless Mrs. Elizabeth Limberg Chris Lindsav Link Engineering Company Mr. and Mrs. Steven Long Mr. and Mrs. Mark Lorenz Mr. James Louisignau Mr and Mrs Thomas Lower Mr. and Mrs. Armin Luzi Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Lyons Mackinaw Area Historical Society Mackinaw Area Visitors Bureau Mackinaw City Chamber of Commerce Inc Mackinaw City Area Arts Council Mackinaw City Kite & Toy Shop Inc Mackinaw City Women's Club Mackinaw Lakeshore Development, Inc. Mr and Mrs Mark A Maczka Mr. and Mrs. W.K. Madsen Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Maki Mr. and Mrs. David S. Manges Mr. Peter Marabell and Ms. Frances Barger Mr and Mrs William K Marvin Mr. and Mrs. Glen F. Matthews Ms. Beverly Maxwell Mr. and Mrs. Gene E. Maybank Mr. and Mrs. John S. Maynard Mr. and Mrs. Ronald G. McCready Mr. Lawrence G. McDermott Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. McDonough Ms. Linda McGeorge Ms. Tammy McKenzie Mr. and Mrs. James L. McLaren Ms. Lorna McMahon Ms. Leanna McNamara William Mead Mr Paul Michalak Michigan Pure Ice Co. LLC Mr. and Mrs. James M. Middaugh Mr. and Mrs. John G. Miles Mr. and Mrs. Carl M. Miller Mr. and Mrs. Roger I. Miller Ms Sharon W Mitchell Modern Pharmacy Mr. and Mrs. Patrick F. Monette Mr. and Mrs. Joel D. Monson Ms. Mary Ann Moore Dr. Marshall W. Morley D.D.S. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morrison Ms. Karen Moses Mr. and Mrs. Michael P. Mosher Ms. Kristina C. Moutrie Mr. Lucius J. Munger Mr. and Mrs. George Murphy

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh A. Murray Mr. and Mrs. Al Nagy Mr. Frederick E. Nelson J. Newman Pat Nichols Ms. Kelly Niedzielski Mr. and Mrs. Gary A. Nordberg Mr. Kenneth Nowak Ms. Marialana K. Nygard Mr. and Mrs. Fred Osborn James Padilla & Kate Hyam Mr Thomas Palmer Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Peart Mr. and Mrs. Michael Peccon Ms. Andrea Pepper Ms. Dawn Pepper Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Perialas Mr and Mrs Richard R Perlick Mr. and Mrs. Russell B. Peters Mr. Thomas Pfeiffelmann Mr. and Mrs. Darryl A. Pfister Ms. Susan Phillips Mr. and Mrs. William G. Pierson Pizza Palace Mr and Mrs Robert Planisek Plaunt Transportation, Inc. Ms. Judith A. Plecas Mr. Albert F. Polk Mr. Murphy Pomranke Ms. Lorraine F. Pregenzer Mr. and Mrs. Edward K. Pregitzer Barbara J. Price R.C. Hendrick & Son, Inc. Mr. and Mrs. Rob Rafferty Mrs. Sara Ann H. Raible Mr. and Mrs. Delane E. Raishe Mr. and Mrs. John Ramsey Mr Michael O Ranney Mr. and Mrs. Ronald D. Reitenour Mr. Edwin G. Remalv Mr. and Mrs. Larry J. Renaud Mr. and Mrs. Neil W. Ressler Mr. and Mrs. Craig W. Riedell Mr. David Rittinger Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Roth Dr. Bradford Rowe DDS Roval D Linen Ms. Norma Jean Sackett Ms. Susan A. Safford Ms. Jean Saltzman Mr. John V. Sanborn and Mrs. Suzette Cooley-Sanborn Scalawags Whitefish & Chips Mr. Donald R. Schappacher Mr. Robert H. Schirmer Mr. and Mrs. Dennis E. Schmidt Ms. Sue Schoenith Mr and Mrs Kenneth L Schroka Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Sears Seasons of Mackinaw LLC Mr. Allen Segrist

Continued on page 4

SACF Donors, continued from page 3

Ms. Kathryn Shannon Mr. Mark C. Sheldon Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Sheridan Ms Kathleen D Simmons Simply the Best Boutique Mr. and Mrs. W. Wesley Simpson Mr. and Mrs. Roy H. Sjoberg Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Smith Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Socolovitch Mr. and Mrs. Bengt Soderqvist Ms. Jane C. Sperry Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spinella Mr. Richard Spray and Mrs. Lori Millhouse-Spray Mr. and Mrs. John Stadt Mr. and Mrs. Gregory L. Stanley Mr and Mrs WC Steele Mr. and Mrs. George Stemkoski Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stempky Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stone Straits Area Federal Credit Union Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Stuart Ms. Jane T. Stutsman Mr. and Mrs. Christopher J. Suchner Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Supernault

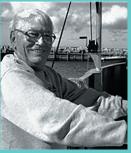
Swearingen Foundation Mr. and Mrs. Otto Taylor Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Taylor Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor Tee Pee Campground Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Teel Teysen's Gifts, Inc. Mr. and Mrs. William A. Thibodeau Mr. and Mrs. Robert White Mr. Fred Thompson Mr. and Mrs. Karl F. Trost Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Peter T. Tryban Tube Fab/Roman Engineering Co., Inc. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Uhrynowski Mr. and Mrs. Terry Vallano Valot's Citgo Mr. Kurt Vanburen Ms. Gail A. Vander Stoep Mr. and Mrs. William P. Vasilides Ms. Genevieve Viau Mr. and Mrs. William Vieau Ms. Julia E. Vosper Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wallin Mr. John Waswen and Ms. Colleen Linteman

Ms. Joan Watts Mr. and Mrs. Jervis H. Webb Ms. Janet Weber Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Weber Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weiss Mr. and Mrs. Philip R. Welch WG Wolfgram Inc. Mr. and Mrs. Ronald L. Whitener Whitewood Inc Mr Roy Wiebusch Mr. Benn E. Williams Mr. and Mrs. Dean Williams Mrs. Gussie Williams Mr. and Mrs. John A. Willoughby Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Wohlberg Mr. and Mrs. David W. Wolski Mr. and Mrs. Philip Woollcott Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Yerks Mr. Brian L. Zuhse and Mrs. Sarah E. Kelly

Straits Area Community Foundation 2016 Annual Report

New Fund Will Support Maritime Scholarships

educational opportunity for students pursuing



a growing trend among new scholarship funds

being established at the Community Foundation,

only to graduating seniors, but also to nontraditional students and those who have served

This scholarship fund was established in Plaunt. At the young age of 12, Mr. Plaunt began passengers and supplies to Bois Blanc Island, several miles off Cheboygan County's shoreline in Lake Huron. A lifelong resident of Bois Blanc Lakes as the boat Captain and owner of his **Raymond Plaunt Maritime Memorial Scholarship**

This scholarship is open to students graduating studying in a field of maritime studies. Reflecting the background of the scholarship's creation, preference will be given to anyone from Marines or Coast Guard, and wants to return to school to pursue maritime studies.



Stay Informed at SACF.NET! Do you subscribe to our monthly e-newsletter? To subscribe, send an email to info@cfnem.org.

Find information on all of our charitable funds, ways to give, applying for grants and scholarships, and so much more - all at www.sacf.net.

Straits Area Community Foundation Financial Summary

(January 1 through December 31, 2016)

TOTAL ASSETS \$2,127,495	TOTAL \$178,	••••••	ANTS AWARDED \$88,593
2016 Grant Awards			
Alma College Scholarship	\$1,000	Mackinaw Area Historical Anishinaabe Medicine Wh	
Aquinas College Scholarship	\$500	Mackinaw City Area Arts Music in Mackinaw Summ	
Bois Blanc Island Community Foundation Expenses for the BBICF	n \$2,406	Mackinaw City Schools Project Close Up Popcorn	\$695 Machine
Cheboygan Area Arts Council, Inc. Purchase a new copy machine	\$2,795	Mackinaw City Women's Red Cross Blood Drive Sign	
Cheboygan Area Public Library 10th Anniversary Event	\$500	McLaren Northern Michi g Telehealth Program	an Foundation \$2,000
Cheboygan County Humane Society Pet Food Pantry	\$1,000	North Central Michigan C Scholarships	ollege \$3,500
Cheboygan-Otsego-Presque Isle ESD Overhead Projector	\$280	Northern Care Center Patient care for under- and	\$2,000 d non-insured
Ferris State University Scholarship	\$ 2,000	Saginaw Valley State Univ Scholarships	versity \$1,000
Grand Valley State University Scholarship	\$1,500	Thunder Bay Community Love and Logic/Healthy M	
Indian River Area Library Roof replacement	\$24,193	University of Michigan Scholarships	\$500
Inland Lakes Schools Annual Lobster-Fest fundraiser proceeds	\$25,000	Wolverine Community Sc TCI Textbooks Computers in the Classroc	