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Carteret Community Foundation awards more than $50,000 in local grants

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The board of advisors of the Carteret Community Foundation announces $54,605 in local grant awards from its community grantmaking fund, J. O. and Ruth Barbour Memorial Fund for Elementary Education in Carteret County, J. O. and Ruth Barbour Memorial Fund for Wildlife Habitat Conservation and Pearl's Pantry Fund, according to Richard McIntyre, board president.

This year's nonprofit recipients are:

- $2,500 to Boys & Girls Clubs of the Coastal Plain for the Money Matters program
- $2,500 to the Broad Street Clinic Foundation for blood pressure monitors for home use
- $1,000 to the Broad Street Clinic Foundation for prescription medications for the uninsured
- $1,950 to Camp Albemarle for environmental education materials
- $2,500 to Carobell, Inc. / Station Club Enterprise for classroom chair replacements
- $3,000 to Carteret County Domestic Violence Program, Inc for computer equipment upgrade
- $2,500 to Carteret County Partnership for Children for Reach Out and Read
- $2,500 to Crystal Coast Autism Center for the scholarship assistance program for children/youth at Crystal Coast Autism Center
- $2,500 to Crystal Coast Hospice House, Inc. for hospice awareness & education book distribution
- $7,310 to Friends of the Museum North Carolina Maritime Museum, Inc. for nature trail clearing and chipping at the Gallants Channel Campus, Beaufort, NC
- $2,500 to Girl Scouts - North Carolina Coastal Pines for the Carteret County Girl Scout Leadership Experience program
- $2,200 to Hope City for the C.O.A.C.H. Hope (Community, Opportunities & Awareness with Compassion, Humility & HOPE) program
- $1,600 to Muscular Dystrophy Association for summer camp

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- $1,000 to NC Literary and Historical Association for Blackbeard 300
- $2,500 to North Carolina Symphony Society, Inc. for music education concert for Carteret County elementary schools
- $2,500 to Ronald McDonald House of Eastern NC for general operating support
- $6,760 to St. Egbert Catholic School for the Chrome Book 1:1 Literary/Technology project
- $2,315 to The Bridge Downeast, Inc. for building security monitoring system
- $2,500 to TROSA (Triangle Residential Options for Substance Abusers, Inc.) for residential substance abuse recovery services for individuals from Carteret County
- $2,470 to Wilmington Family YMCA for expansion of Girls on the Run and STRIDE programs for Carteret County Youth

McIntyre thanked the community for its support of the Carteret Community Foundation. "These grants are important to our community and our quality of life," he said. "Critical programs would not be possible without the generosity of many individuals and organizations that have supported Carteret County's community fund."

About the Carteret Community Foundation

The Carteret Community Foundation was founded in 2005 and is an affiliate foundation of the North Carolina Community Foundation. CCF is led by a local volunteer advisory board that helps build community assets through the creation of permanent endowments, makes grants and leverages leadership – all for the benefit of the Carteret County. In addition to McIntyre, board members include: Rhonda Scibal (secretary), Charles Jordan (treasurer), Peggy Burns, Matt Dodge, Kniffy Hamilton, Ray Harris, Debra Harvell, Beth Henry, John Humphries, Charles Jordan, Corey Lewis, Jimmy Mercer, Ryan Morris, Ginger Parker, Terry Robertson and Brian Watson.

Tax-deductible contributions, made payable to the Carteret Community Foundation, can be mailed to the North Carolina Community Foundation, 3737 Glenwood Ave. Suite 460, Raleigh, NC 27612. Contributions can also be made online at nccommunityfoundation.org.

For further information, contact NCCF Regional Director Kim Ball at 252-288-5706 or kball@nccommunityfoundation.org or visit the NCCF website at nccommunityfoundation.org.

About the North Carolina Community Foundation

The NCCF is the single statewide community foundation serving North Carolina and has administered more than $130 million in grants since its inception in 1988. With nearly $247 million in assets, NCCF sustains 1,200 endowments established to provide long-term support of a broad range of community needs, nonprofit organizations, institutions and scholarships. The NCCF partners with a network of affiliate foundations to provide local resource allocation and community assistance across the state. An important component of NCCF's mission is to ensure that rural philanthropy has a voice at local, regional and national levels.

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Pictured is the board of advisors of the Carteret Community Foundation, who recently awarded more than $50,000 in community grants to local nonprofit organizations.

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