



# Fort Scott Area Community Foundation

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**We need to you to reach our goal!**  
**Only \$10,000 more to go!**

**GOOD  
WORKS  
FOREVER**

*We're Better Together!*

Three years ago, thanks to the generosity of a few anonymous donors, the Fort Scott Area Community Foundation was able to start the "Good Works Forever" campaign, allowing a dollar-for-dollar match of funds donated, up to \$75,000. With only a few weeks left in the campaign, we are only \$10,000 short of our goal. Raising this amount would put \$20,000 in the FSACF Endowment Fund, allowing for even more granting opportunities in years to come. Please consider partnering with us in these final days of our campaign. Even a small donation of \$5 or \$10 can grow into something much bigger.

*"I take great joy in knowing my small gift, when combined with those of others, allows for grants to those in our community who are about the care of our people, the creativity around our purpose and the continuation of conversation about things that matter." –Stephanie Witt*

So please consider the FSACF as you make your year-end donations, knowing that your gift can become a part of the grants given to Bourbon County in the years to come. Donations received by December 31, 2016, are eligible for matching. "I take great joy in knowing my small gift, when combined with those of others, allows for grants to those in our community who are about the care of our people, the creativity around our purpose and the continuation of conversation about things that matter."

## Generous Granting

Once again, the Fort Scott Area Community Foundation has awarded grants to 12 deserving organizations within our community. Over \$21,000 was awarded at the Chamber Coffee on November 10th. FSACF president Blake Hudson and granting committee chair Patty LaRoche distributed checks to the groups.

We are grateful for our ability to partner with organizations who work for the betterment of our community. Congratulations to this year's recipients. And a huge thank you to all you contribute to the FSACF to make these grants possible.

The list of this year's grant recipients can be found on the back of this page.




**Honor the Past**  **Impact the Future**

[www.fsacf.com](http://www.fsacf.com)

# Grant Recipients

- The Gordon Parks Museum - Downtown banners promoting the center
- The Riverfront Authority - Moving of the Long Shoals Bridge
- Friends of the Fort - 175th anniversary of Fort Scott celebration
- Bourbon County Inter-Agency Coalition - Buck Run and pool passes for needy families
- Fort Scott Middle School - Project Art
- CASA-Training of new volunteers
- Bourbon County Senior Citizens - Help to subsidize taxi service for senior citizens
- Care to Share - Meeting the needs of families stricken with cancer
- Partners in Change (formerly Circles) - Teaching and mentoring those living in poverty
- The Lowell Milken Center - New exhibit on the history of Fort Scott
- USD 234 - Mentoring program
- Mercy Health Foundation - 3D Mammography machine



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# Community Foundation Board

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## Officers

- Blake Hudson, Chair
- Stephanie Witt, Vice Chair
- Lindsay Madison, Secretary
- Melissa Wise, Treasurer

## FSACF Funds as of October 2016

Operating Fund: \$35,067.66  
 Endowed Fund: \$473,308.08  
 Total Funds: \$2,306,509.45

**WATCH US GROW!**



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## Interested in Investing in the Fort Scott Area?



Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ Enclosed is a Gift of \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_ I would like to establish:

- \_\_\_\_\_ an Unrestricted Fund
- \_\_\_\_\_ a Donor- advised Fund
- \_\_\_\_\_ a Field of Interest Fund
- \_\_\_\_\_ a Designated/Agency Fund
- \_\_\_\_\_ a Scholarship Fund

\_\_\_\_ Please do NOT include my name in any publications.  
 I wish to remain anonymous.



**FORT SCOTT AREA**  
Chamber & Tourism



Special thanks & recognition to these chamber booster members for their premium support of the chamber of commerce & community

*2016 Platinum Members*



2016 Gold Members

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2016 Silver Members



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