

Futures

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FSACF grants support community organizations

At the Chamber Coffee on November 7, in the Landmark Bank lobby (formerly Citizens), FSACF chairperson Carla Farmer awarded representatives of the following 11 charitable organizations funds for the 2013 granting cycle:

- 1. The Beacon, Inc. to add fresh produce to non-perishable staples
- 2. Kansas Big Brothers Big Sisters (Bourbon County chapter) to recruit more "Bigs"
- Fort Scott Middle School for Interscholastic Sports uniforms to wear at home games
- Care to Share Cancer Support Group of Bourbon County for gas vouchers
- 5. Bourbon County Inter-Agency Coalition, Inc. for rent and utility assistance
- Fort Scott First United Methodist Church for Feeding Families in His Name weekly free meals
- 7. City of Fort Scott (Youth Activities Team) for Ellis Park walking trail infra-red counter
- 8. Bourbon County CASA to increase child advocates
- 9. American Red Cross (Bourbon County chapter) for disaster relocation of Bourbon County families
- 10. Lowell Milken Center to create a World War I exhibit
- 11. Youth Ministries of Bourbon County (Key Hole) for Fifth Quarter parties targeting High School students



Photo by Lindsay Madison

The FSACF awarded 11 grants to recipients at the Nov. 7 Chamber Coffee. Recipients attending the event are pictured. Front, from left: Cinda Reynolds with American Red Cross; Joy O'Neal with Youth Ministries of Bourbon County; Christa Horn with Bourbon County CASA; Ashley Sherman with Lowell Milken Center; Koyle Link with First United Methodist Church (FUMC) for Feeding Families in His Name (FFHN); and Bob Eckles with the Beacon.

Second row: Laura George with Youth Activities Team (YAT); Lavetta Simmons with Care to Share of Bourbon County; Carolyn Sinn with YAT; Billie Jo Drake with Bourbon County Inter-Agency Coalition; Vickie Chaplin with Big Brothers Big Sisters; Ken Van with FUMC-FFHN; Tom Davis with Fort Scott Middle School; Jean Tucker with FUMC-FFHN; and William Sheets with FUMC-FFHN.

Third row: Larry Fink with YAT; Clayton Tatro with YAT; and Diana Mitchell with YAT.

FSACF Funds Updates

Operating Fund: \$17,084 Endowment: \$215,901 Pledges due: \$82,490

Good Works Forever Campaign in place

The Fort Scott Area Community Foundation (FSACF) launched its *Good Works Forever Campaign* on October 15. The campaign provides a matching gift opportunity through the generosity of several local philanthropists. Anonymous seed donors have pledged amounts up to \$75,000 over a period of three years (\$25,000 per year) to match other donors' gifts. If fully utilized, this campaign will raise a total of \$150,000 in new funds that will be placed in the FSACF General Endowment Fund.

Members of the Asset Development Committee include Aileen Pollock, David Shepherd, Larry Davenport, Richard Goldston, Charles Gentry, Steve Buerge and Dick Hedges. FSACF applauds the work of this committee and is deeply appreciative to the seed donors for their vision, commitment and generosity. You may direct questions about the campaign to Aileen Pollock or any other member of the committee.

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