



FAIRFIELD COUNTY FOUNDATION NEWS

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SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Please check our [website](#) after January 1, 2015 for more details on how to apply for the 2015-2016 school year.

2013 Annual Report Now Available



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Professional Advisors Manual Available

The Foundation's Professional Advisors Manual contains all the latest information about the Foundation and how we can help you better serve your clients. It is available on our [website](#).

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A Message From the Director

Dear Friends of the Foundation,

It's hard to believe that the holiday season is nearly upon us! This is the time of year when we reflect on all that we have to be thankful for. We at the Foundation are looking forward to hosting our annual Ambassador's Club Donor Reception, which allows us to personally thank so many of you who support the Foundation's outreach in the community. See our save the date below for details of the event.

This is certainly a busy time of year for everyone, including the Foundation, as we strive to meet the ongoing needs of the community and keep you informed of giving opportunities. This year, we're pleased to kick off National Community Foundation Week (November 12-18) by announcing Giving Tuesday, an opportunity for you to give back to your community foundation, a cause or charity of your choice on December 2, 2014. See the flyer below for more details.

We are truly appreciative for all of your support this year, and hope you have a wonderful Thanksgiving full of love and gratitude.

Amy Eyman
Executive Director

Fairfield County Foundation Announces Giving Tuesday

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Join us in **giving to your community foundation**, a cause or charity of your choice on **DECEMBER 2, 2014**

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2015 Ambassador's Club Donor Reception



Save the Date

2014 Ambassador's Donor Reception
Thursday, December 4, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
Join us as we celebrate the kick-off of the Season of Giving!

Fairfield County Foundation Ambassador's Club

The Ambassador's Club provides the funds to help the Foundation raise awareness of the importance of philanthropy in our community and share information about the Foundation's efforts locally. Becoming a member of this generous group allows you the opportunity to directly support the Foundation's work through an unrestricted fund for the needs in our community.

When you join the Ambassador's Club, you become an ambassador for the Foundation. We will keep you informed of our activities and also invite you to attend Foundation functions such as our year-end Ambassador's Donor Reception and our annual meeting.

To date, Ambassador's Club members have contributed more than \$130,000 directly to this cause, and we ask that you consider making a contribution of your own today. Contact us at 740-654-8451.

Scholarship Application Process Goes Live January 1, 2015



The Fairfield County Foundation scholarship application process will go live on our [website](#) beginning Thursday, January 1, 2015. Once again we will be working with AcademicWorks, a comprehensive Scholarship Management Solution, that allows the Foundation to automatically match students with relevant scholarships. This online scholarship process makes applying for scholarships more efficient for both the students and the reviewers. The application process will be similar to last year's process. The deadline for all applications to be complete is Wednesday, April 1, 2015.

What is a Community Foundation?

A community foundation is a non-profit, publicly supported, nonsectarian philanthropic institution with a long-term goal of building permanent funds established by many donors to carry out their charitable interests, and for the broad-based charitable interest of and for the residents of a defined geographic area.

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