

South Central Iowa Community Foundation Community Connection

Our mission is to contribute to a better life for people of South Central Iowa by helping donors carry out their charitable intent and by providing responsible stewardship of gifts for community purposes.

May 2018

SCICF 25th Anniversary Celebration!

We are excited to announce that October 1, 2018 will mark South Central Iowa Community Foundation's 25th anniversary of serving our counties! To celebrate this amazing milestone, SCICF will be awarding (5) \$5,000 grants to charitable organizations in each of our counties: Clarke, Decatur, Lucas, Ringgold and Union. **YOU** may nominate **YOUR** favorite charitable organization in your county by filling out the very brief application form on the last page of this Newsletter.

To qualify, organizations must be a 501(c)(3) or a be a governmental body serving a charitable purpose. This one-page application must be postmarked or emailed by July 6th to be eligible. Limit one grant application entry per person. No age limit! We encourage everyone to apply!

Please mail or drop off applications to SCICF, 108 N Grand, Chariton, IA, 50049 or email to Stacy at scicf.stacy@mediacombb.net.

Once we have received the applications, each county advisory board will review and make recommendations to the Board on their top five selections. Winning entrants, and the organizations they nominated, will be contacted on or before August 31, 2018 and will be invited to attend our 25th Anniversary Gala event on Monday, October 1st to accept the \$5000 grant award.

If you have questions, please contact any SCICF Board member (names on page 2) or call us at 641-217-9105 or email Stacy at scicf.stacy@mediacombb.net.

Application forms are also available at www.scicf.org

Good luck!



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Lucas County SCICF Awards Grants



Lucas County SCICF awarded over \$111,000 at an awards ceremony held at Pin Oak Lodge

Chariton Chamber Main Street	City of Chariton	Lucas Co Fair
Lucas Co Inter-Church Council	Jericho Hills Camp	Russell Fire Dept
Friends of the Chariton Airport	John L Lewis Museum	Derby Fire Dept
Williamson Fire Dept.	Lucas Co Little League	City of Russell
Russell Historical Society	Lucas Co Arts Council	Chariton High School
Chariton Fire Dept	Lucas Co Health Center	Hope Learning Center
Chariton Public Library	Chariton HS Band	Chariton Soccer
Lucas Co Boy Scouts	Design Div. CAC	Chariton Archery
Lucas Co Historical Society	American Legion Post 102	

Lucas SCICF Board: Adam Bahr, David Hobbs, Mary Stierwalt, Ray Thurlby, & Jim Wright

Decatur County SCICF Grant Awards



Decatur County SCICF awarded over \$98,000 at their awards presentation on the Leon square

Decatur Co Museum	Mormon Trail School	Leon Fire Dept
Lamoni Public Library	CD Ag Dept	City of Decatur
Decatur Co Hospital Aux	Garden Grove Fire Dept	Lamoni Airport
CD Athletic Booster Club	City of Grand River	Journey for Joy Foundation
Decatur Co Conservation	Decatur Co Dev Corp	Leon Chamber of Commerce
Lamoni School Alumni Fund	SCIT Theater Two, Inc.	City of Leon
CD School Foundation	Central Decatur School	Lamoni Food Pantry
City of Lamoni	Leon Little League	Leon's New Horizons
Decatur County Fair	City of Davis City	

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Upcoming Events

- Tuesday, June 5th – Union County Grant Awards 7 p.m. on Afton square in conjunction with lawn chair night
- Monday, June 11th – Clarke County Grant Awards 5:30 p.m. at Mallory Park in Murray

Everyone is welcome to attend!



SCICF – 25th Anniversary Celebration Grant

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If *YOU* could nominate a charitable organization in *YOUR* county to receive \$5000, which would *YOU* choose & why?

Eligibility: Organizations must be tax-exempt, non-profit entities classified by the IRS as a 501(c)(3) organization or a government body (school, city, county) providing charitable services within the Iowa counties of Clarke, Decatur, Lucas, Ringgold or Union.

(Limit one grant application per person. Please type or print)

Your name: _____ Your Phone: _____

Your address: _____

Organization you are nominating: _____

Iowa county organization is located (select one): Clarke Decatur Lucas Ringgold Union

Why would you nominate this organization to receive \$5,000?

Your signature: _____ Date: _____

Send this page only (no writing on the back & no attachments) to:

South Central Iowa Community Foundation
108 North Grand
Chariton, IA 50049

Must be postmarked by July 6, 2018

Winners will be notified by August 31, 2018 and will be invited to attend our 25th Anniversary Celebration held on October 1, 2018