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Annual Golf Tournament, Wednesday, October 2, 2019 at Pennsauken Country Club

Dancing with the Cherry Hill Stars, Sunday, June 7, 2020 at 7 pm at Cherry Hill High School West

Academic Recognition Banquet, Sunday, June 14, 2020 at Lucien's Distinguished Caterers



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#### THE CHERRY HILL EDUCATION FOUNDATION

# Since late 2007, the Cherry Hill Education Foundation has provided more than \$1,200,000 in grants and donations to the Cherry Hill Public Schools!

#### **Alternative High School**

- A climbing wall in the gymnasium, funded with support from a WalMart grant.
- Funding to pilot "Power to Teach, Power to Learn" Program.
- Tuition certificate to allow a worthy student to attend SAT Prep Course.
- Food composter for AHS and Malberg.

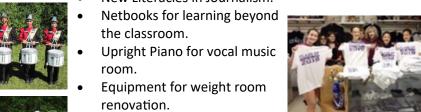
#### **High School East**

- Computers for journalism lab, funded with assistance from Gannett Foundation.
- Smart Board technology in World Language
   Department, funded with support from WalMart and the Cherry Hill Breakfast Rotary Club.
- Smart Response System for select science classes so teacher can immediately gauge student understanding of topic under discussion.
- Resurfacing part of the tennis courts, through a grant from the Ravitz Family Foundation
- ELMO projector.
- Using generational talent for Praxis in Media Center.
- Six snare drums for marching band drum line.
- Concert Timpani Drum Set.
- Poetry Residency and Poetry in the Schools Initiative.
- Funding for PE equipment through a donation from Cherry Hill Health and Racquet Club
- Funding for t-shirts and supplies for Red & White Night competition
- Six mellophones for marching band.
- Support for Red & White Competition
- Funding to support the Robotics program.
- Annual funding for t-shirts for freshman orientation.
- Google Expedition Kits (virtual reality technology) for student "travel" to enhance classroom experiences.
- Four Baritone Horns for the Marching Band.
- Two Baritone Saxophones for use in all ensembles.
- Pug mill and stand to support art clay recycling and sustainability in ceramics program.
- Kits to support robotics mentoring at Beck and Rosa.

#### **High School West**

- Training for National Honor Society students to become tutors for their peers.
- Support for an initiative of the Shop West program in which students sell engraved towels.
- With assistance from Barnes & Noble, support for indepth study of human health disorders.
- Adaptive physical education equipment for students facing physical challenges.
- Funding for library books, with support from Barnes & Noble.
- Support for publication of a photo- illustrated cookbook by food service students.
- Macbooks for the Broadcasting and Journalism classes, with assistance from the Gannett Foundation.
- Intervention program to help non- readers, reluctant readers, and reading- deficient students improve their reading.
- Magnetic skeleton and organ parts for Comparative Vertebrate Anatomy lab.
- Dance education stereo system.
- Equipment to promote "Imaginative Thinking."
- New Literacies in Journalism.

- Nooks (e readers) for the library.
- Funding for equipment and supplies for PE
  Department through a donation from Cherry Hill
  Health and Racquet Club.
- Support for West Mock Trial Team to enable participation in Empire Mock Trial Competition (2016, 2017).
- Annual funding for t-shirts for freshman orientation.
- Funds for speakers to provide "turnkey" anti-bullying training for members of West's Athletes Against Bullying Club.
- Funds to assist with first year of operation of West's Peer Leader Program.
- Support to enable performance at NJ All-State Chorus



Cherry Hill West, continued

- Bottle Refilling Stations to quench thirst and reduce dependency on plastic water bottles.
- Acoustic shells to enhance performance of instrumental and vocal ensembles on stage at Cherry Hill West.
- Support for Creative Writing/Visiting Authors program.

#### **East, West and Alternative High School**

- The annual Academic Recognition Banquet, an event at which the district formally recognizes the academic achievement of graduating seniors.
- Annual support for Project Graduation.
- Hero Network Donation.
- Suicide/Mental Health Screening for Grades 9-12.
- Annual scholarships for a graduating seniors from each high school (East, West, and Alternative High School).

#### **Beck Middle School**

- Partial funding for the Science Club's participation in the internationally recognized Science Olympiad.
- Funding support for the Step Team to enable them to travel to a Step performance and perform in new shirts.
- Supplies for the new ceramics program.
- 36 Kindles to support student literacy
- Keyboard tech lab to enhance music instruction.
- Cafeteria Baskets to Reduce Lunch Room Trash.
- Funding for Sustainability Initiatives.
- Chromebook Computers to Increase Student Engagement.
- Two 3D printers for STEM.

#### Carusi Middle School

- Funding to enrich the Media Center's Year of Japan study.
- A robotics engineering and technology program.
- A music recording lab that focuses on music composition and digital recording.
- State-of-the-art hardware and software for the Audio Visual Club.
- New equipment to update the school's Fitness Center.
- iPads and docking station to support English Language Learners and special education students.
- Partial funding for Destination
   Imagination World Competition.
- Improved theater lighting.
- Additional equipment for the Fitness Center.
- Baby grand piano for auditorium.

- Cafeteria Baskets to Reduce Lunch Room Trash.
- Baritone Saxophone for School Band.
- Assistive Technology to Improve Reading Fluency.
- Equipment for Career Skills Class.
- Fitness Center Equipment to Promote Life-Long Health.
- Tuba for Carusi band.
- Support for "A Day of Mary Poppins" allowing all Carusi students to attend the play at Cherry Hill West.
- Robotics kits and supplies for 21st Century Skills Class and Robotics Club.
- Tower Garden for science class.
- Support for program to build confidence and leadership skill.
- Euphonium and two tenor saxophones for Carusi hand
- Chromebooks and cart for Spanish instruction.
- Books to enrich an 8th Grade classroom library.
- Music technology to create a recording studio.

#### **Rosa International Middle School**

- Assistance for students who need additional socialcognitive support to better handle social situations within the community.
- Music recording technology to enhance both individual and group performances.
- Portable stage for performing arts program.
- iPads/iPods for library.
- Lego sets for a program that supports the development of student social skills.
- Partial funding for Destination Imagination World Competition.
- Adobe Flash for classroom use.
- "Bridge" bus from East to Rosa for mentor program.
- Supplies to support a Ceramics Program in art classes.
- Equipment to support student use of photographic evidence to enhance learning.
- Cafeteria Baskets to Reduce Lunch Room Trash.
- Projector for CAPSS Program.
- SmartBoard for 6th Grade Classroom.
- Equipment and supplies for PE Department through a donation from Cherry Hill Health and Racquet Club.
- Gymnasium Sound System to enhance PE classes, annual drama production, and other events held in the Rosa gymnasium.
- Interactive projectors for two ELA classrooms.
- Updated technology for the instrumental music classroom.

#### Beck, Carusi, and Rosa

- Annual support for the district's Mt. Misery Program.
- Annual scholarship award for a graduating eighth grader from each middle school.

#### **Barton Elementary School**

- Support for a program that improves early literacy development in first graders, with assistance from Barnes & Noble.
- Supplies for the second grade MathStart! Program.
- Supplies to implement a new book series for the first grade literacy development program.
- Registration fee to allow fifth grade team to compete at Destination ImagiNation global finals.
- King School book series to support early literacy development in diverse student population.
- Tumble Book Library for ELL students.
- Funding for "Bucket Filling," a character education project.
- Pedometers for Physical Education classes.
- iPads for English Language Learners.
- Non-fiction books for Grades 2-5.
- Smart Board for Kindergarten Enrichment Program.
- Drums for World Music Drumming Program.
- Classroom document cameras.
- High-interest text sets for Library (Grades 3-5).
- SmartBoard for effective and targeted teacher collaboration.
- High-interest informational texts for 4th graders.
- "We Are Words" hallway flags (character education initiative).
- Scholastic non-fiction readers boxed sets.
- Standing desks for 4th graders.
- Native language literature for ELL students.
- SmartBoards for various classrooms to support instruction and improve student performance.
- Flexible Seating for fifth graders.
- iPads and Osmo technology for Kindergarten Enrichment Class.
- FitDesks to combine learning and movement in fourth grade classroom.
- Standing desks for fourth graders to improve focus and decrease distractions.
- Lego WeDo 2.0 sets for TAG program to help students build and program robots.
- Courtyard furniture to create an outdoor learning space.

#### Cooper Elementary School

- Funding for a fifth grade Energy Conservation program (monitoring and mentoring kits), which allows fifth grade students to teach conservation to all younger students at Cooper.
- Five Notebook computers for a Grade 3 inclusion
- In partnership with Cooper PTA, Dell computers for student use.
- National Geographic Science & Reading program.

- iPads and cases to support learning in self-contained Special Education classrooms.
- Bright Link Projector to support technology integration with the Resource Room.
- Resources for social skills and problem solving.
- Focus on Feelings and Calm Down Kits—student support resources.
- Funds to support "Project Success," a Buddy/ Mentoring Program with high school students.

#### **Harte Elementary School**

- In partnership with Harte PTA, funding for a climbing wall where students learn teamwork skills while enjoying physical education.
- Partial funding to mount an existing Smart Board in the library.
- Current reading selections for a library book club.
- A Smart Board and computer to assist students with speech difficulties.
- Flip video camera to support world language learning.
- Composter for Green Team.
- Piggie Party literacy initiative.
- Replacement copies of best-loved library books.
- "Flipping through Flipster" emagazines to promote reading and school and home.
- Support for Bret Harte's BES School Store project.
- 5th Grade iPad Learning Lab.
- Interactive books for the school library to "light up learning."
- Sensory motor equipment for Occupational Therapy to improve student learning.
- Green-screen technology to enhance student learning.

#### **Johnson Elementary School**

- Funding for classroom amplification system to increase student academic achievement and performance.
- Support for "Lego Lunchtime Club," a program that helps students improve social competence and increase interaction with peers.
- Student mentoring program (East students at Johnson).
- Pedometers for Physical Education classes.
- JJ's Ambassadors for Animals.
- Book Buddy books and games to allow 4th graders to help 1st graders.
- Character Education program -Random Acts of Kindness.
- Drums for World Music Drumming Program.
- Laptop, peripherals, and software to enhance instrumental music lessons for fourth and fifth graders (with Sharp and Stockton).

#### Johnson, continued

- Social learning skills resources for Asperger's and Communication-Impaired students.
- Classical Music CDs to reduce student anxiety.
- Library books with African American main characters and/or authors.
- Music technology for large-group instruction.
- Elmo document camera and ceiling projector.
- Tower garden for second grade science and Johnson Green Team.
- Funding for One School/One Book initiative.

#### Kilmer Elementary School

- Nonfiction books for the library and first grade classrooms, with funding support from the Garden State Rotary Club.
- A text mastery program for third and fourth grade classrooms.
- A document camera and projector to support instruction in fundamentals of writing.
- Book series targeted for boys to close the reading gap.
- iPad Minis for Special Education/At Risk students.
- Elmo document cameras and projectors.
- Library books to enhance cultural proficiency.
- Funding to transport students to HS East to see Peter
- Laptops for Special Education Students.
- Document cameras and projectors for third grade classroom.
- Document cameras and projectors for all first grade classrooms.
- Laptops for Special Education classrooms.
- Therapy balls to improve attention, increase on-task behaviors, and decrease disruptions.
- Funds to support "Project Success," an after-school mentoring program with students from East and West.
- Chromebooks to better prepare students for PARCC.
- Chromebooks for second graders.
- Bully-busting books to help students develop skills to avoid bullies and bullying.
- Five All-in-One Printers to support Special Education and Basic Skills instruction.
- All-in-One printers for 1st grade classroom.
- Funding for Bucket Fillers character education program.
- SmartBoard for second grade classroom to improve student performance.
- Multi-function printers for second- and third-grade classrooms.

#### **Kingston Elementary School**

 In partnership with Kingston PTA, support for "Lunch and Learn" program, which helps eliminate bullying on

- the playground.
- Support for a teacher in-service designed to improve the reading skills of first graders.
- Audio books for the library to augment differentiated instruction.
- Equipment to assist first and second graders in improving their reading fluency.
- Listening Center books and CDs for use in first and second grade literacy centers.
- iPads for special education classes.
- Chick hatching project for first grade classroom.
- Funds to create a "Little Free Library" at Kingston.
- Desk cycles to enhance kinesthetic learning.
- Furniture for the Library Media Center.
- Flexible seating for fifth grade classrooms.
- Lego walls for library and third grade classroom to enhance STEAM education.

#### **Knight Elementary School**

- In partnership with Knight PTA, support for teacherimplemented, cutting-edge "Universal Design" technology to benefit first and second graders.
- Portable nets to enhance the elementary school physical education program.
- Books targeted to increase literacy among boys.
- Updated library selections in fiction and history for third, fourth and fifth grade students,
- Funding to enhance the music curriculum by providing
   25 drums for a world drumming program.
- Open mic equipment for poetry reading.
- Smart Board for Library/Media Center.
- iPad2s to support learning in the Communications-Impaired classroom.
- Buddy benches to foster friendship and help prevent bullying.
- Supplies for Bucket Fillers (character education) program.
- Chromebooks to support online development of writing, math, and reading comprehension skills.
- Furniture for the Library/Media Center.
- Reading and writing resources for first graders.
- Sphero Edu, a toolset that encourages interest in robotics and programming.

#### **Mann Elementary School**

- In partnership with Mann PTA, partial funding for new playground equipment.
- Bucket Fillers for students—a character education program.
- With support from Subaru of America, Inc., SmartBoards and accessories for two fourth grade classrooms.

#### Mann, continued

- Pedometers for Physical Education classes.
- Piggie Party literacy initiative.
- Interactive whiteboards for Autism Support class.
- "Flipping through Flipster" emagazines to promote reading and school and home.
- Interactive books for the school library to "light up learning."
- Books to aid in teaching social skills and problem solving.
- Focus on Feelings and Calm Down Kits—student support resources.
- Flexible seating to enhance student learning.

#### **Paine Elementary School**

- Funding to construct a greenhouse which will allow students to learn ecology, environment, and marketing skills.
- Support for a week-long poet-in-residence program.
- Reading incentive rewards.
- Shakespeare program for second grade students.
- Student-constructed "Peace" mosaic mural.
- Materials for "Scientific Minds" program in first grade.
- Mini iPads for ESL Students.
- iPads for economically disadvantaged students.
- Class trip for students in remedial program.
- SmartBoard for second grade classroom to improve student performance.
- Reusable plastic baskets for sustainable lunchroom initiative
- Chromebooks to help students and teachers develop their digital skill sets using Google Education Suite.
- SmartBoards for first and third grade classrooms to improve student performance.
- SmartBoard to improve student performance of English Language Learners in Grades K-5.
- Supplies for Bucket Fillers (character education) program.
- Materials for StoryWalk Literacy Project.

#### **Sharp Elementary School**

- BookFlix, an online database, to augment reading selections in fiction and nonfiction for grades K-3.
- Installation of a Smart Board in the library.
- A Thinking Fun Center to challenge fourth graders to think at the highest levels of Bloom's Taxonomy.
- Document camera and projector to support literacy development in Grades K-5.
- Hand-held video cameras for classroom use.
- Readers theater kits for first grade students.
- With support of Sharp PTA, funding for iPads for use by students at every grade level.

- Document camera and projector.
- Laptop, peripherals, and software to enhance instrumental music lessons for fourth and fifth graders (with Johnson and Stockton).
- Books for "Battle of the Books" program.
- Library books to support literacy for English Language Learners and all students.
- High-interest texts to teach Science.
- Chromebooks to support first-grade small group intervention and enrichment.
- Instructional SmartBoard for third grade classroom.
- High-interest texts to support Social Studies and ELA instruction.
- Popular books and DVDs for the library to enhance instruction.
- Orff xylophones and method books to support music instruction.

#### **Stockton Elementary School**

- In partnership with Stockton PTA, partial funding for Peaceful Playground equipment to provide structured, bullying-free activities at recess.
- Laptop, peripherals, and software to enhance instrumental music lessons for fourth and fifth graders (with Johnson and Sharp).
- iPads and software to incorporate Science,
   Technology, Engineering and Mathematics into music instruction.

#### **Woodcrest Elementary School**

- A Hero Wall dedicated to people who overcame disabilities to follow their dreams.
- Books to enhance studies in African American history and the Read Across America celebration.
- SmartBoards and peripherals for second grade classrooms.
- Series of books about U.S. Presidents for Extended Day Childcare program.
- With Woodcrest PTA, funding to support the Trouble-Free Playground program.
- SmartBoard for second grade classroom.
- Graphic novel collection to engage reluctant readers.
- Interactive books for the school library to "light up" learning.
- Minds in Motion Hokki stools to improve student focus.
- Standing desks to improve classroom performance.
- Makerspace resources for creative play.

#### **Barclay Early Childhood Center**

- Printers to assist in preschool instruction
- Funded by a grant from the American Academy of Dermatology, a shade structure to allow use of the outdoor playground in sunny and rainy weather.

Barclay, continued

- Funding to obtain additional supplies for the shade structure.
- Poster maker.
- "Minis for Minis" iPad minis for each classroom.
- "On the Move at Barclay" —Tricycles and pedal cars for outdoor playtime.

#### **Eight Elementary Schools**

 Support to implement the "Battle of the Books" contest, a reading motivation program (already underway in the other four elementary schools), with book bags provided by Barnes & Noble.

#### **All Elementary Schools**

- Support for a distance learning project that allowed fifth grade TAG students to participate in year-long study of Renaissance at Philadelphia Museum of Art.
- Teaching Books data base for elementary libraries.
- In cooperation with the Cherry Hill Rotary Club, annual funding to provide a dictionary to every third grade student in the district.

#### **All Secondary Schools**

- A Sustainable Cherry Hill recycling and compost project, with funding support from Aramark.
- Funded by Texas Instruments, donation of 14 TI-NSpire Teacher Edition Graphing Calculators to improve mathematics instruction.

#### Districtwide

- Books for students who are English Language
   Learners to own and read at home, with funding support from Barnes & Noble.
- Training to support district's Cultural Competency Initiative.
- Annual support for STAR Games.
- Used printers for schools.
- Funding for refurbishment of donated musical instruments.
- Funding for refreshments for District PARCC Community Nights.
- High-resolution cameras for schools and district Public Information Office.



#### OUR GRANT FUNDING PLANS FOR THE 2019-2020 SCHOOL YEAR...

This fall, the Foundation will be donating \$3,500 to each of our 19 schools, for a total of \$66,500! The principal and teachers from each school will decide how they want to use the grant money.

In addition to these grant awards, the Foundation will continue to provide funding to support the Annual Academic Brunch; Freshman Orientation at East and West; Project Graduation at East and West; scholarships for graduating seniors from East, West, and the Alternative High School; and scholarship awards for graduating eighth graders at each of the middle schools.



Join us for our signature fundraising event,

Dancing with the Cherry Hill Stars, on Sunday,

June 7, 2020, at 7 pm in the auditorium at

Cherry Hill High School West!

The theme of this year's show is Broadway!

Tickets will go on sale in February. Watch our website, www.cherryhilleducationfoundation.com, for information on ticket sales and online voting!

