

## Partners Program

**Community Foundation Partners have become the resource for a portion of our Community Granting Program.**

### ***Who is a Partner:***

Partners are those individuals and businesses that make an annual contribution to the Community Foundation to support our Community Granting Program.

### ***What are Community Grants:***

At the Community Foundation we focus on being an effective catalyst for a thriving community. This grant making program supports funding for needs that arise in the community. These grants strengthen the capability of our local non-profits by addressing a broad range of local needs.

### ***How it works:***

- Non-profits in or serving our local area are allowed to submit grant proposals.
- We have two granting cycles; spring and fall.
- Awards are determined on a competitive process based upon proposals submitted by non-profits.
- Grant applications are reviewed by the Foundation's volunteer Distribution Committee and forwarded to the Board of Trustees for final approval.

### ***How to participate:***

- A Partner's Fund gift of *\$150 or more for an individual, or \$300 or more for a couple or business* will place you as a member of the Community Foundation Partners for the current year. You can go to our website at [commfoun.com](http://commfoun.com) and click on '**Donate**' and select '**Partners Fund**' to contribute. Your gift will make next year's grants possible.

## 2022 Spring Community Grants

*Alpha Community Center*  
Alpha Meals/Food Pantry

*Anna Civic Association*  
Anna Splash Pad

*Big Brothers Big Sisters of Shelby & Darke County*  
Big Buddies Mentoring Program Curriculum

*Compassionate Care of Shelby County*  
Community Wellness & Education Center

*Gateway Arts Council*  
Presents Series – 2022-2023

*Midwest Regional Educational Service Center*  
Parenting Classes of Parents of Students – preschool – 8<sup>th</sup> grade

*New Choices*  
Shelter Playground Equipment

*Sidney Alive*  
Downtown Revitalization Project – Phase One

*Sidney-Shelby Economic Partnership*  
Feasibility Study – Wagner Building

*Wilma Valentine Childcare*  
Toys and Storage

*Wilson Health Foundation*  
Mobile Mammogram Unit

*Wrapped in God's Love*  
Blankets for Local Non-Profits



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