



DID YOU KNOW?

OUR ROTARY CLUB PROVIDED THE FOLLOWING GRANTS TO LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS THIS PAST YEAR.

Bailey Park Picnic Pavilion for construction of a new picnic pavilion. (Grant of \$20,000)

Battle Creek Youth Orchestra to provide scholarships for students. (Grant of \$500)

Binder Park Zoo grant to complete the funding of the James Hazel Tent, a permanent overnight safari platform tent in Africa for kids to camp overnight while learning about the African environment. (Grant of \$3,220)

Charitable Union to distribute back-to-school clothing to families in need. (Grant of \$500)

Children's Defense Fund Freedom Schools to purchase curriculum materials and books for their after-school and enrichment programs. (Grant \$500)

Kalamazoo HelpNow Fund to assist families and victims of Kalamazoo's mass shootings. (Grant of \$1,000)

Lakeview High School for the purchase of a 3-D printer. (Grant of \$500)

The Music Center of South Central Michigan to provide scholarships for qualifying students. (Grant of \$500)

Project Passion is an organization working in collaboration with Lakeview High School (LHS) created for the purpose of empowering students to shape their education, career, and experiences. (Grant of \$500)

Safe Place is committed to helping victims of domestic violence and their families in Calhoun, Barry, and Eaton Counties. It provides programs designed to increase the safety and well being of domestic violence survivors and their children. (Grant of \$1,000)

St. Thomas Episcopal Church to offer a Summer Music Program open to all children. The grant will purchase training materials, musical instruments and sheet music. (Grant of \$1,000)

The Hugh McPherson Fund Committee directed funding toward the **BC Pulse Early Education Initiative** funding a billboard campaign educating families how to engage and educate children.