



# SOUTH CENTRAL COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

## 2021 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter

### NOTE FROM THE DIRECTOR:

December 31, 2021

Dear Friends,

I can't believe we are already closing out another year!

Coming out of 2020, as many of you, we weren't sure what to expect or how to plan for 2021.

Thankfully with our incredible communities and donor support, we have a few successes to share to close out our 4th quarter.

Enclosed in this newsletter is our 2021 Grant Recipients including our newly founded Pratt County Grant Opportunity.

Awarding nearly \$150,000 our grant cycle continues to grow each year and we are so grateful for our Founders and supporters of the 20 funds that help award these grantees!

Looking into 2022 our Board and Staff have been busy planning big things so follow along on our website or social media for exciting announcements coming soon!

All the best,  
Holly Rooks  
*Executive Director*

### INTRODUCING THE INAUGURAL PRATT COUNTY YOUTH DEVELOPMENT GRANT

South Central Community Foundation was thrilled to offer a new grant opportunity this year called the Pratt County Youth Development. This grant aims to help children/youth and is sponsored by the Pratt County Achievement Place Endowment Fund.

Available to nonprofits, churches, or schools, this grant can be used for any children/youth project or program in Pratt County.



**1st Annual Pratt Co. Youth Development Grant Recipients**

The Foundation along with the Pratt County Achievement Place Grant Selection Committee were thrilled to award these four recipients totaling over \$6,000 and are excited for the future of this grant opportunity.

**Pratt Teen Center:** *Technology for After School Program*

**The Hope Center of Pratt:** *Pratt County DEC Alliance Kids Fair*

**Pratt High School:** *Geometry Clinometers*

**Pratt High School:** *Ag Welding Shop Renovation*

### KEY DATES & UPCOMING EVENTS:

**January 1st** - SCCF Scholarships became available

**March 15th** - Scholarship Applications are due

**April 21st** - First Legacy Society Event

**May 11th** - SCCF Annual Board Meeting

## 2021 GRANT RECIPIENTS

### \$5,000 CHILDREN'S HEALTH GRANTS --

#### BARBER COUNTY

USD 254 – Medicine Lodge Schools  
*Self-Regulation & Gross Motor Development*

#### COMANCHE COUNTY

USD 300 – South Central Schools  
*New School Nurse Supplies*

#### KINGMAN COUNTY

City of Kingman  
*Broadway Park Upgrades*

#### KIOWA COUNTY

Kiowa County Economic Development  
*Childcare Center Equipment*



**2021 Kiowa County \$5,000  
Children's Health Grant Recipient**

#### PRATT COUNTY

USD 382 – Pratt Schools  
*Water Bottle Refilling Stations*

#### RICE COUNTY

USD 401 – Chase-Raymond Schools  
*Cycling Into New Opportunities*

#### STAFFORD COUNTY

USD 349 – Stafford Schools  
*Health & Nutrition Supplies*

### COMMUNITY GRANTS --

#### BARBER COUNTY

Hardtner Health Coalition  
*Flag Poles & Time/Temperature Sign ..... \$398*

#### BARBER COUNTY (CONTINUED)

Barber County United  
*Mental Health First Aid Training..... \$2,000*

Kiowa United Methodist Church  
*Food Pantry Supplies..... \$1,920*

South Barber Junior High & High School  
*Emotional & Social Behavior Books ..... \$398*

Medicine Lodge Junior High & High School  
*Food Pantry Supplies..... \$2,000*

Friends of Kiowa District Hospital & Manor Found.  
*Hygiene Products..... \$1,413*

Medicine Lodge High School  
*Community Garden Supplies ..... \$300*

Medicine Lodge Memorial Hospital  
*Stop the Bleed Kits..... \$2,000*

#### COMANCHE COUNTY

Protection Township Library  
*GaGa Pit for 5th Quarter ..... \$1,675*

WEPAC Alliance  
*Mammograms for Comanche County ..... \$1,500*

Protection Valley Manor  
*Memory Walking Path ..... \$2,000*

South Central Elementary School  
*Playground Set for Wilmore Park..... \$2,000*

South Central Elementary School  
*Music Classroom Instruments..... \$2,000*

South Central Middle School  
*Tools for School Program..... \$2,000*



**Comanche County Community Grant Recipients**



**Kingman County All Grant Recipients**

## KINGMAN COUNTY

Cunningham Elementary School  
*STEM Lab Kit* ..... \$607

Kingman EMS  
*Emergency Child Restraints* ..... \$2,000

Horizons Mental Health Center  
*Group Room Supplies* ..... \$500

Youth Core Ministries  
*Core Community Workshops & Materials*..... \$1,263

Norwich United Methodist Church  
*Food Bank Supplies* ..... \$1,500

Kingman Area Ministries, Inc.  
*Food Bank Supplies* ..... \$1,500

Kingman Community Christmas Fund  
*Food Bank Supplies & Angel Gifts* ..... \$1,500

Kingman Carnegie Library  
*Youth Services STEM Projects* ..... \$1,000

Cunningham Community Recreation  
*Announcer's Box Repairs* ..... \$1,000

## KIOWA COUNTY

Kiowa County Elementary School  
*CAPIT Learning Curriculum* ..... \$1,900

Haviland Heritage Foundation  
*Historical Figures Life Size Cutouts*..... \$400

True North  
*Another Living Creature Program* ..... \$1,557

City of Greensburg  
*Disc Golf Course Tee Boxes* ..... \$968

Kiowa County Elementary School  
*Social & Emotional Books/Curriculum* ..... \$450

## KIOWA COUNTY (CONTINUED)

Youth Core Ministries  
*Computers for Check Out* ..... \$1,816

True North  
*Supplies for Healthy Food Initiative*..... \$400

## PRATT COUNTY

Skyline High School  
*Agriculture Labs* ..... \$2,000

Pratt County Health Department  
*Bicycle Repair Station*..... \$2,000

Pratt High School  
*High School Creative Writing Program* ..... \$1,952

Pratt Public Library  
*Audio Books* ..... \$2,000

The Hope Center of Pratt  
*Food Pantry Supplies*..... \$1,000

The Hope Center of Pratt  
*Fans & Window A/C Units for Pratt County..* \$1,000

Abundant Harvest Church of the Nazarene  
*A/C Units for The Loft Meeting Space*..... \$2,000

First Assembly of God  
*Backpacks & School Supplies*..... \$2,000

Pratt High School  
*CoachPad for Football Team* ..... \$920

Pratt Area Humane Society  
*Supplies for Enrichment Program* ..... \$2,000

Pratt Teen Center  
*Supplies to Upgrade Facility* ..... \$2,000

Liberty Middle School  
*Whiteboard Tables for Classroom*..... \$1,438

B-29 Museum  
*Guttering for Museum*..... \$600

Youth Core Ministries  
*Supplies for Outreach* ..... \$993



## RICE COUNTY

Agewise Living	
<i>Outdoor Furniture</i> .....	\$600
First Baptist Church	
<i>Bathroom Remodel</i> .....	\$1,000
Child Care Services of Sterling	
<i>Furniture for Classroom</i> .....	\$1,000
Lyons Public Library	
<i>Supplies to Update Storywalk</i> .....	\$862
First United Methodist Church	
<i>Food Supplies</i> .....	\$2,000
Lyons High School	
<i>Incubator</i> .....	\$372
Northern Rice County Food Bank	
<i>Food Supplies</i> .....	\$2,000
Community Presbyterian Church	
<i>Food Supplies</i> .....	\$1,437



**Stafford County Community Grant Recipients**

## STAFFORD COUNTY

Stafford County Historical & Genealogical Society	
<i>Veterans' Memorial Exhibit Preservation</i> .....	\$2,000
Nora E. Larabee Memorial Library	
<i>Tent, Table, and Chairs for Library</i> .....	\$1,053
Ida Long Goodman Memorial Library	
<i>Microform Universal Base Image Sensor</i> .....	\$1,000
City of Stafford	
<i>Pickleball Nets &amp; New Poles</i> .....	\$1,150
Grace United Methodist Church	
<i>Food Pantry Supplies</i> .....	\$1,566
Macksville Elementary School	
<i>Books</i> .....	\$1,796

## STAFFORD COUNTY (CONTINUED)

Macksville City Library	
<i>Supplies for Outdoor Story Time</i> .....	\$1,500
Youth Core Ministries	
<i>Curriculum &amp; A/C Unit for Classroom</i> .....	\$1,600
Stafford Recreation Commission	
<i>Weight Room Equipment</i> .....	\$2,000
Stafford High School	
<i>Educational Materials</i> .....	\$2,000
St. John-Hudson Schools	
<i>Curriculum/Food Demonstration Supplies</i> ....	\$2,000
Macksville City Library	
<i>CPR, First Aid, AED, Babysitting Training</i> ...	\$2,000

## MULTI- COUNTY

Kiowa County Media Center Foundation	
<i>Intercom System</i> .....	\$1,000
Arrowhead West	
<i>Wheelchair Swing</i> .....	\$750
Dealing Hope	
<i>Clothing Bank Supplies</i> .....	\$1,000
Kansas Honor Flight	
<i>Trip for Veterans</i> .....	\$1,700
Smoky Hills Public Television Corp.	
<i>Books for Rice &amp; Stafford County Schools</i> ...	\$1,900
South Central Kansas Special Education Cooperative	
<i>Self-Regulation Kits</i> .....	\$965
Barclay College	
<i>Nursing Simulator</i> .....	\$1,905
Kingman Community Theatre Association	
<i>Marquee Repair</i> .....	\$1,500

Our Annual Grant Cycle wouldn't be possible without our 4 unique committees!

- Thank you so much to the over 40 Volunteers who make this magic happen each year -

## TEACHER'S \$100 GRANTS --

### BARBER COUNTY

Medicine Lodge Grade School  
*Science Consumables* ..... *Jeff Fields*

Medicine Lodge Grade School  
*Book Sets* ..... *Julie Banks*

South Barber High School  
*Culinary Supplies* ..... *Jenny Cantrell*

### COMANCHE COUNTY

South Central Elementary School  
*Chapter Books for Groups* ..... *Heather Moore*

South Central Middle School  
*Circuit Kits* ..... *Andi Dale*

South Central High School  
*Books: The Outsiders* ..... *Kelly Hubbard*

South Central Elementary School  
*Library Lapboards* ..... *Carolyn King*

South Central High School  
*Lego Building Blocks* ..... *Tim Erickson*

South Central Middle School  
*Flexible Seating* ..... *Patsy Jellison*

South Central Elementary School  
*Monthly Books for Kids* ..... *Kena Jackson*

South Central Elementary School  
*Resources for Math & Literacy* ..... *Linda Haas*

### KINGMAN COUNTY

Norwich Elementary School  
*Writing Corner* ..... *Brandi Schroeder*

Cunningham Elementary School  
*App & Math Manipulatives* ..... *Sheena Albers*

### KIOWA COUNTY

Kiowa County Elementary School  
*Estes Rockets* ..... *Nicole Cota*

Kiowa County Elementary School  
*Flexible Seating & Books* ..... *Abby Hoffman*

### KIOWA COUNTY (CONTINUED)

Kiowa County Elementary School  
*Ukuleles* ..... *Amber Campbell*

Kiowa County Junior High  
*Tchoukball Nets* ..... *Matt Hoffman*

Haviland Grade School  
*Social Studies Curriculum* ..... *Madison Woody*

Haviland Grade School  
*Greenhouse Supplies* ..... *Kay Unruh*

Kiowa County High School  
*To Kill a Mockingbird* ..... *Marshall Ballard*

Kiowa County Elementary School  
*Heggerty Books & Activities* ..... *Kristi Heft*

Kiowa County High School  
*Dissection Pans* ..... *Tonya Greenleaf*

Kiowa County High School  
*Computer Mouses* ..... *Peter Kern*

Haviland Grade School  
*Books for Library* ..... *Marlieta Davis*



**Pratt County Teacher Grant Recipients with SCCF  
Youth Making a Difference Members**

### PRATT COUNTY

Skyline Middle & High School  
*Aeroponic Garden* ..... *Anita DeWeese*

Skyline Middle School  
*Social Studies Games* ..... *Kristin McPherson*

Pratt High School  
*Life on the Farm Board Games* ..... *Rachel Easdon*

Pratt High School  
*Geometry Clinometers* ..... *Lance Sorensen*

Pratt High School  
*Social & Emotional Curriculum* ..... *Chris Battin*

Pratt High School  
*Bumper & Launch Kits* ..... *Heath Sharp*

## SCCF AT-A-GLANCE:

**Assets:** \$21 million

**Current Funds:** 190

**Scholarships:** 40

**2021 Grants** (As of 4th Quarter):  
*Includes grants from donor's funds*  
**\$750,000**

## JOIN THE FOUNDATIONS NEW LEGACY SOCIETY

### WHAT IS A LEGACY SOCIETY?

This is a group of community members who plan to leave a gift to the Foundation through their estate plan.

### WHY LEAVE A GIFT THIS WAY?

There are many benefits to this way of giving. To name a few: your annual donations can still continue, help the community you loved improve and thrive, and so much more.

Already have SCCF listed in your estate? Contact the office to be added to our incredible group of members!

## TEACHER'S \$100 GRANTS CONTINUED:

### RICE COUNTY

Lyons Middle School  
*Pi Day Supplies* ..... Dan Reazin

Sterling High School  
*Science Fair/Insect Collection* .. Wendy Calderwood

Sterling High School  
*P.E. Curriculum* ..... Jill Rowland

Raymond Junior High & Chase High School  
*Life Skills Curriculum* ..... Sheree Poskey

Raymond Junior High & Chase High School  
*Scientific Calculators* ..... Roxanna Habiger

### STAFFORD COUNTY

St. John Elementary School  
*Flexible Seating*..... Taylor Gabel

St. John Elementary School  
*Classroom Instruments*..... Kristen Knight

St. John Elementary School  
*Wipeboard Flipcharts* ..... Brad Emery

St. John Elementary School  
*Made for Me Literacy*..... Michelle Christiansen

Stafford Elementary School  
*Fidget Tools for Engagement* ..... Kylie Meyer

Stafford Elementary School  
*Brain Boxes*..... Kaley Conant

St. John High School  
*Hand's On Mathematics Supplies* .... Alysha Dickson

St. John High School  
*Spanish 1 Learning Activities* ..... Ixchel Mixon

Macksville High School  
*Graphic Novels* ..... Patty Sanders



**Stafford County Teacher's Grant Recipients**