Dear Donors and Friends of the Community Foundation,

Thank you for helping us to improve the quality of life within our communities. We are proud of our accomplishments and we are happy to share the 2011 Annual Report of Schuylkill Area Community Foundation with you – the Voices of Philanthropy.

Schuylkill County is home to music and voices of many origins and from the early native people to the most recent arrivals. From this diversity, we hear blended in harmony, the sounds of many “instruments.” With the Schuylkill Area Community Foundation as the conductor of the philanthropic performances, Schuylkill County hears the blending of your many interests and concerns.

You, the community, are the audience without whom we perform in vain. And you, the donors, are the talented performers who make the music happen.

Please join us in promoting charitable giving in Schuylkill County. A strong Community Foundation is one of the best investments we can make to ensure a better quality of life for all of us. The Community Foundation is our legacy for the future.

Sincerely,
Eileen Kuperavage
Eileen Kuperavage, Executive Director

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Farewell Message from the Board President:

It was an honor in 1973 to be invited to serve as a Director of Ashland Trusts and to continue as a Director in 1997 when the name was changed to the Schuylkill Area Community Foundation. I experienced the expertise of the many directors and personnel through these many years and I enjoyed the privilege of working with each and every person associated with the Foundation. Together we strived to foster philanthropy for the benefit of many organizations and community improvements and our record demonstrates that we have actively enhanced the quality of life for the residents in Ashland and throughout Schuylkill County.

This letter is to inform you that the time has come for me to relinquish my role as a Director of Schuylkill Area Community Foundation. My wish for the Foundation is nothing less than continued growth in funds and assets so that its mission will live on and perpetuate in the years to come.

Sincerely,
Jean S. Baglin
Jean S. Baglin, Board President
Schuylkill Area Community Foundation is a charitable nonprofit organization that works to strengthen and promote charitable giving in Schuylkill County. Each and every resident, business and organization are the Pillars of the Community.

Six primary pillars represent the Schuylkill Area Community Foundation’s goal to improve quality of life in Schuylkill County.

Take the challenge to turn your passions into legacies. Whether it is helping children, protecting the environment, enriching the community, you can make a difference by giving through the charitable work of the Community Foundation.

Types of Funds to Consider

**Designated**
These are created to perpetually benefit one or more specific charities. Grants will be made in the name of the fund so long as the organization remains in operation and is consistent with its original charitable purpose. In the event the designated organization ceases to exist, the Foundation works to identify a similar organization to maintain the spirit of the original charitable intent.

**Donor Advised**
An attractive alternative to the creation of a private foundation, a donor-advised fund receives a 100 percent tax deduction for the original and any future gifts. The donors have an active hand in their charitable giving by having the right to recommend annually to the Foundation which organizations should be supported by the fund. Grants are then made, in the name of the fund, to favored charities.

**Field of Interest**
Perfect for donors wishing to support a particular broad charitable cause, such as the arts, education, environment, health and human services, youth or volunteer programs, to name a few.

**Scholarships**
Scholarships can support students who are graduating from a particular school, attending a particular school, or studying a specific subject. Each scholarship is unique and each is accomplishing the wishes of the original donor. If you value education and want to give others an opportunity to pursue their dreams, you may want to establish a legacy to honor a loved one. Scholarships within the Community Foundation are often a perfect option for these donors.

**Unrestricted**
Typically created by individuals with broad charitable interests, these funds offer the Schuylkill Area Community Foundation maximum flexibility to respond to the changing needs in the community.

**Ways to Give**
There are many ways to give through the Community Foundation. Here are some of the most common methods that donors choose:

**Cash**
Cash is the easiest way to contribute. Donors who make gifts of cash are eligible for a charitable deduction in the year the gift was made.

**Appreciated Stock**
Stocks may be donated to the Community Foundation as a charitable gift. Donors are eligible for a tax deduction for the fair market value of the stock and can avoid a capital gains tax.

**Bequests**
A charitable bequest is the most common form of planned giving and it provides important estate tax advantages. Donors will continue their charitable legacies for years to come by including a gift in their will to support the causes or organizations that are important to them. SACF has recommended legal language for all types of charitable bequests.

**Retirement Plans and Life Insurance**
Donors can use assets held in an individual retirement account (IRA), 401(k), 403(b), or a similar account to start a fund at the Community Foundation at the time of their death. These accounts, while very attractive to defer tax during lifetime, are the most heavily taxed assets in an estate at death.

Why Establish a Fund?
The Schuylkill Area Community Foundation offers donors - individuals, families, businesses and nonprofit organizations - the flexibility and expertise needed to help donors determine which type of fund best matches their interests and will achieve their philanthropic goal.

**Minimum amount required to establish a fund:**
- $3,500 . . . . to establish an annual award for a high school graduate
- $5,000 . . . . to establish any other fund
- $20,000 . . . to establish a scholarship fund
2011 Grants

Educational ($32,775.01 – 10.26%)
- 4-H Youth Development Program of Schuylkill County
- Lycoming College, Alumni Fund
- Marian High School
- Minersville Area School District
- Nativity B.V.M. High School
- St. Joseph’s Roman Catholic Church
- St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church

Environmental ($45,381.78 – 14.20%)
- City of Pottsville Shade Tree Comm.
- Foundation for Agriculture & Resource Management
- Hawk Mountain Sanctuary
- Mahanoy Creek Watershed Assoc.
- PA Institute for Conservation Education
- Schuylkill Conservation District
- Schuylkill County Conservancy
- Schuylkill County Conservation and Environmental Improvement Endowment Fund
- Schuylkill Headwaters Association, Inc.
- Schuylkill Keep It Pretty
- Sweet Arrow Lake Conservation Assoc.

Human Services ($15,104.75 – 4.73%)
- American Red Cross in Schuylkill & Northumberland Co.
- Ashland Ministerial Association
- Avenues
- Baptist Children’s Services Home
- Bethany Children’s Home
- Big Brothers Big Sisters of Schuylkill Co., Inc.
- Canine Partners For Life
- Diakon Team of Volunteer Home Care
- Office of Senior Services, Special Needs Fund
- Pottsville Lions Charities
- SARCC of Schuylkill County
- Schuylkill County Society For Crippled Children
- Schuylkill United Way
- Schuylkill Women in Crisis
- Sexual Assault Resource & Counseling Center

Libraries ($34,012.16 – 10.65%)
- Ashland Public Library
- Frackville Free Public Library
- Mahanoy City Public Library
- Minersville Public Library
- Montgomery House Library
- Pottsville Free Public Library
- Priestley Forsyth Memorial Library
- Ringtown Area Library
- Schuylkill Haven Free Public Library
- Tower-Porter Community Library
- Tremont Area Free Public Library
- Tri-Valley Free Public Library

Miscellaneous ($41,925.69 – 13.12%)
- Arizona Rangers VV Company
- Ashland Area Chamber of Commerce
- Ashland Area Historic Preservation Society
- Ashland Chamber of Commerce
- Ashland Downtown, Inc.
- Borough of Ashland
- Charles Baber Cemetery
- DARE of Schuylkill County
- Freedom Guide Dogs for the Blind, Inc.
- Friends School of Baltimore
- Hillside SPCA
- Historical Society of Schuylkill County
- Lasting Legacy
- Millersburg Ferry Boat Association
- Schuylkill Community Education Council
- Shrine Hospital - Philadelphia
- St. Vincent DePaul Society of Upper Schuylkill County
- Susquehanna Health Foundation
- The Odyssey School
- The Rotary Foundation
- The Seeing Eye
- Twin County Lions Club Foundation

Performing Arts ($5,471.08 – 1.71%)
- Anthracite Philharmonic
- Ashland Area Community Choir
- Gabriel Chamber Ensemble
- Lift Your Spirits Performing Arts Group
- Pottsville Area Barbershop Chapter
- Schuylkill Ballet Theatre
- Schuylkill County Council for the Arts
- Sovereign Majestic Theater Assoc.

Public Safety ($26,500.96 – 8.29%)
- American Hose Company #1
- Ashland Fire Police Association
- Nuremberg Community Ambulance Assoc.
- Nuremberg Weston Volunteer Fire Co.
- Pine Grove EMS
- Pine Grove Hose, Hook and Ladder
- Schuylkill Haven Area EMS
- Washington Fire Co. Community Ambulance Assoc., Inc.
- Washington Fire Company #1

Recreation ($6,136.96 – 1.92%)
- American Hose Company (Fireworks)
- Ashland Recreation Board/Ashland Borough
- New Philadelphia Summer Recreation Program
- Schuylkill Haven Bicentennial Committee
- Schuylkill Haven Visitors Bureau
- Schuylkill Haven Island Committee, Inc.

Religious ($20,452.18 – 6.40%)
- Emmanuel Church of Christ
- St. Joseph’s Roman Catholic Church
- St. Mauritus Roman Catholic Church
- United Presbyterian Church

Scholarships ($88,883.37 – 27.82%)
- Alice E. Kear Music Scholarship
- Blaze Belfiore Memorial Scholarship
- Butler Township High School Alumni Scholarship
- Carr-Willower Memorial Scholarship
- Chester P. Steininger Memorial (Accounting) Scholarship
- Chester P. Steininger Memorial (Medical) Scholarship
- Dr. Robert Douglas Spencer Memorial Scholarship
- Dr. Rudolph A. Constien Scholarship
- Elizabeth K. Frank Memorial Scholarship
- FARM Youth Scholarship
- Frederick T. Kull and Betty A. Kull Memorial Scholarship
- Frederick T. Kull and Betty A. Kull Scholar-Athlete Scholarship
- Huntzinger-Schadel Family Scholarship
- James D. Collins Memorial Scholarship
- Martha M. Herbert and Michael Herbert, M.D. Science and Mathematics Scholarship
- Mary I. Kull Memorial Scholarship
- Pfuger-Przybylik Family Scholarship
- Raymond L. and Jean D. Tilmont Memorial Scholarship
- Schuylkill Haven Lions Community Charities Healthcare Scholarship
- Shirley Manbeck Veterinary Scholarship
- United Steel Workers of America, Local 14372, Scholarship
- Warren W. Stutzman Memorial Scholarship

Scouting ($1,396.63 – 0.44%)
- Ashland Boy Scout Troop 745
- Ashland Cub Scout Pack 749
- Girl Scouts in the Heart of Pennsylvania

Sports ($1,663.73 – 0.46%)
- Ashland Area Midget Football Assoc.
- Ashland Little League Baseball, Inc.
- Ashland Teener League
- Willow Park Recreation Comm. dba Ashland Area Girls Softball

Total - $319,504.30
2011 Grant Distribution

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Thank You

A special thank you is extended to our “friends” who continue to support the work of the Community Foundation and provide generous contributions to enhance the quality of life in Schuylkill County. They understand that community needs are ever changing and unrestricted gifts enable us to have the flexibility to respond to the community’s most pressing issues and opportunities, now and in the future.

Friends of the Foundation Fund

PPL Corporation
Richard and Joanne Purcell

Doors of Diversity

This project was coordinated by the Diversity Council of Schuylkill County and funded by the Community Foundation. It offered local school students the opportunity to celebrate diversity by designing and painting doors depicting diversity in their communities. The Doors of Diversity were on display in various locations throughout the county, including the Arnold Delin Awards Ceremony held at Penn State Schuylkill, the Block of Art, the Walk-in Art Center and downtown Schuylkill Haven. Due to the popularity of the “Doors,” the project is continuing for another year. We hope the celebration of our diversity continues to grow, and all doors are open!

Diversity Fund for Schuylkill County

This Field of Interest Fund continues to grow through the generous contributions of our business community. OMNOVA Solutions Foundation awarded $1,000 to support the diversity education programs in our schools and communities.

SACF staff stays abreast of community issues and activities to help donors with charitable giving questions. We stay informed about the rules and regulations of the field to help donors. If we don’t have the answer, our membership in the Council on Foundations gives us access to experts in the field to investigate the issue.
**New Funds**

**John Rich Curran Memorial Scholarship Fund**

This fund was established to provide annual scholarships to qualifying graduates of Schuylkill County’s high schools as students pursue post-secondary education. In order to qualify, students must have had an Individualized Education Program (IEP) in place at the time of their high school graduation, have maintained a B or better average throughout high school, demonstrated a commitment to community service/leadership outside the classroom, and have demonstrable financial need.

**PA Association for the Blind Endowment Fund**

Doris G. Distelhurst has left a wonderful gift for the benefit of the Pennsylvania Association for the Blind. In her Last Will and Testament, Ms. Distelhurst established an endowment fund that will forever support the mission of the organization.

Doris G. Distelhurst, late of Luther Ridge, Pottsville, and formerly of Schuylkill Haven, died in August 2010. Born in Pottsville in 1921, she was a daughter of the late William and Minnie Matthews Distelhurst. Her family relocated to California when she was a teenager and she graduated from John Marshall High School in Los Angeles, California. Before returning to her native Schuylkill County, Doris was employed as an executive secretary for United Mutual & Accident Insurance Company for 35 years.

Her estate was handled by her attorney, J. Robert Zane.

**the Voice of Serenity**

Donors have the peace of mind knowing that their legacy of giving will last forever. And because the SACF will preserve donor intent even when community needs and organizations change, the donor’s gift quietly maintains its original character for generation after generation.
Paul M. Krukas Memorial Award Fund

The family of the late Paul Krukas of Barnesville accepted memorial contributions to establish this award in memory of a husband, father, teacher, mentor and mentor. The award will be given annually to graduating high school seniors of Mahanoy Area High School and selected by the committee based on the following criteria:

- Actively participated in the high school’s football program and/or golf program during at least two years of his or her high school career;
- Plans to enlist in the United States Navy by September of the year of his or her high school graduation, or plans to attend on a full-time basis an institution of higher education, including but not limited to a two- or four-year college or university, community college, business, trade or vocational school; and
- Demonstrated good sportsmanship and leadership during his or her high school career.

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If we inadvertently omitted a contributor, please accept our sincere regrets.

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Hunter William Renninger Memorial Scholarship Fund

Heath and Heather Renninger established a scholarship fund to celebrate the life of their three-year old son who passed away on January 21, 2011. Hunter had great passion for family, friends, playgrounds, school buses, sports and the outdoors. The scholarship fund will forever keep Hunter’s memory alive and pay tribute to the character of so many young boys and girls in local communities. It comforts the family to know that Hunter’s scholarship fund will support our future leaders in both Blue Mountain and Minersville Area school districts for years to come.

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- Ashland Area Historic Preservation Society Fund
- Ashland Area Midget Football Association, Inc. Fund
- Ashland Girl Scout Campership Fund
- Ashland Public Library Fund
- Ashland Tri-Centennial Fund
- Ashland Volunteer Fire Department, Washington Fire Company No. 1 and American Fire Company No. 1 Trust
- Mark R. Bell Memorial Award
- Bethany Children’s Home Fund
- Marie M. Campbell Scholarship Fund
- The Cepheus Memorial Award Fund
- Chamber of Commerce Christmas Decoration Fund
- Tara M. Corson, Timothy R. Kimber and Joseph P. McGeoy Fund
- Davis/Boehmer Family Fund
- Ethel M. Jones Erment, R. N. Memorial Award in Obstetrics
- Eureka Park Fund
- Stephen Fago Memorial Fund
- Felker-Smith Memorial Fund
- Robert C. Fetterolf Memorial Fund
- Ashland Area Historic Preservation Society Fund

**UNRESTRICTED - 9**
- Elwood T. Bracey Fund
- The Citizens’ National Bank of Ashland Community Fund
- Marian E. Fenstermacher Memorial Fund
- Friends of the Foundation Fund
- The Dr. Gail D. Mackey, VMD, DABVP Memorial Fund
- The Nature Fund
- The Nature Fund

**SCHOLARSHIPS – 31**
- Dolores D. Adams Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Blaze Belfiore Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Butler Township High School Alumni Scholarship Fund
- Carr-Willower Memorial Scholarship Fund

**FIELD OF INTEREST - 8**
- Ashland Area Scouting Fund
- Ashland Mutual Fire Insurance Company Fire & Safety Fund
- Diversity Fund for Schuylkill County
- Ben Franklin Trust
- The Dr. Gail D. Mackey, VMD, DABVP Animal Fund
- Isabelle Ross Mettam Performing Arts Fund

**DONOR ADVISED - 9**
- Ashland Rotary Club Charitable Trust
- Carlyn Charitable Trust Fund
- * Martha M. and Michael Herbert, M.D. Charitable Trust (In part) (The first $6,000 of the earnings is used for scholarships.)
- Human Services Fund
- Reider Family Charitable Trust
- Reider Family Helping Hand Fund
- John C. and Helen M. Schreck Memorial Fund

**Total funds – 126**

* Funds are listed under two different categories.
Joseph A. Zane, Esq., 1919-2011

Joseph A. Zane was born in Shenandoah, the son of grocery store owners, Joseph and Katherine Alex Zanecosky. Of the six children, he was their only son. After graduating in 1937 from J.W. Cooper High School, he went on to Valley Forge Military Academy where he was the captain of the football, basketball and baseball teams, and was honored as a scholar athlete. He continued to play football at the University of Pennsylvania where he received his diploma from the Wharton School of Business. He served as an Army Captain at Fort Richardson with the Alaska Defense Command that ended Japan’s only western hemisphere military campaign.

In 1949 he was awarded a law degree from Temple University; soon he resided and maintained offices in Shenandoah and later Schuylkill Haven. He had a colorful fifty-year career as a civil litigator and tenacious criminal defense attorney. He enjoyed the challenge, the law, and helping his clients either as a solo practitioner or working with the firm of Zane, Rossi & Corville.

He was a 64 year member of the American Legion Damato Post 792 and former member of the Schuylkill Haven Lions Club. Attorney Zane was a director of the Miners National Bank of Shenandoah and its successor, Heritage Bank. He also served as the first President of the St. Ambrose School PTO.

He was triumphant on the fairways. With powerful long drives he won the Schuylkill Country Club championship, was named the Club’s “Golfer of the Year” four times, and scored five aces.

In 1999, despite bleak odds, he refused to allow a devastating medical crisis overcome his sense of humor, zest for life, and charming, but sometimes contrarian and mischievous free spirit. Soon he returned to the golf course, aware that every day was a bonus. One of his proudest moments was to return in 2005 to his beloved Valley Forge and walk onto the football field for induction into the College’s Athletic Hall of Fame. Life was still great. It was during this period, he established a fund with the Schuylkill Area Community Foundation which has and continues to benefit various charities and universities.

In 2000 he relocated to Providence Place and lived there for ten enjoyable years, always maintaining an interest in his donor-advised fund as well as never missing the happy hours on Friday afternoons while joking with the staff. On October 10, 2011, Joseph Zane, at the age of 91, quietly passed away, after having lived his life to the max, and returned to Shenandoah for the last time.

The Voice of Wisdom

SACF is known for prudent stewardship and investment practices. The Foundation’s strategy emphasizes conservative growth and preservation of assets for grant-making. By pooling funds, the Foundation is able to provide donors with the advantage of diversified investments.
Heritage Society Award

We are pleased to announce the 2011 Heritage Society recipient -
Mr. Richard Rompalo,
C.P.A. of Pfister and Rompalo, PC
located in Wormleysburg, PA.

He advised Heath and Heather Renninger to contact the Community Foundation as the charitable vehicle to establish the Hunter William Renninger Memorial Scholarship Fund. This award was created to permanently recognize attorneys, accountants, trust officers, estate planners and financial planners who share the value of philanthropy with their clients. The following professional advisors have been instrumental in the Community Foundation’s success throughout the years:

James Bohorad, Esq.
George Day
Allen Kiefer
M&T Investment Group
David Rattigan, Esq.
Harry Rubright, Esq.
Leonard Shumack, Esq.
Harry Strouse, Esq.
Frank Toole, Esq.
J. Robert Zane Esq.

3C's Family Restaurant
Peggy & Robert Allen / M of Joseph A. Zane
Anonymous
Anonymous / H of Susan Kennedy
Anonymous Donors / M or William “Jiggs” Wagner
Ashland Diesel Engines, Inc. / M of Elwood Bracey
Ashland Little League Baseball, Inc.
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Linda Baker
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Mr. & Mrs. Richard L. Berger
Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Berger / M of Frederick Batdorf
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M. Joseph Brady
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Dr. Melissa Burke
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Rev. Canon Clifford Carr
Beverly & John Caruso / M of Joseph A. Zane

SACF offers excellent options for donors to give in small amounts and have a large impact on the needs in our communities. Donors of all income levels are finding that working with the Foundation is an ideal way for them to easily give back to their community and make a positive difference in the lives of people.
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Catherine Schilling / Remembrance of husband, George Schilling’s 90th birthday
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If we inadvertently omitted a contributor, please accept our sincere regrets.
### Statement of Financial Position
as of December 31, 2011

#### ASSETS

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**TOTAL ASSETS** $11,590,350

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**TOTAL LIABILITIES** $358,529

#### NET ASSETS

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**TOTAL NET ASSETS** $11,231,821

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