



News Release

York County Community Foundation Awards Grants *\$30,750 will benefit 13 organizations serving York County residents*

May 23, 2016 – The York County Community Foundation recently awarded grants totaling \$30,750 to thirteen nonprofit organizations.

\$2,500 to **A Place for Hope** for the “Proud to be Me” Youth Program
\$1,500 to the **Arts Council of York County** for an economic impact study on the arts in York County
\$750 to the **Catawba Riverkeeper Foundation** for volunteer training to improve community waterways
\$2,500 to the **Girl Scouts, Hornets’ Nest Council** for the Girls Go Beyond program
\$2,500 to **Habitat for Humanity of York County** for critical home repair projects
\$2,200 to **Invent Now** for Camp Invention summer learning programs at three elementary schools
\$1,500 to **RideAbility Therapeutic Riding Center** for equine therapy for special needs children
\$2,500 to the **Rock Hill Parks Foundation** to promote effective outdoor science instruction at schools
\$2,800 to the **Ronald McDonald House of Charlotte** for family lodging support during medical treatment
\$2,500 to the **South Carolina Governor’s School for Science and Mathematics Foundation** for the iTEAMS Xtreme summer camp program for middle school students.
\$2,500 to **The Haven Men’s Shelter** for computers for residents to support learning and employment searches
\$2,500 to **The Palmetto School at the Children’s Attention Home** for a Learning and Healing through the Arts program
\$4,500 to the **York County Free Clinic** to purchase medication for their free medication program

About the York County Community Foundation

Established in 1988 as a permanent endowment, the York County Community Foundation benefits a wide range of charitable purposes. As an affiliate of Charlotte-based Foundation For The Carolinas, the York County Community Foundation inspires philanthropy, increases charitable giving and strengthens the community. For more information please visit www.yorkcounty-cf.org.

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