



Britton-Macon Area School Educational Foundation

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Remembering Yesterday, Focusing on Tomorrow

The Britton-Macon Area School Educational Foundation was formed to enhance educational opportunities of the Britton-Macon Area School, including scholarships for Britton-Macon students, alumni, and teachers, special projects, and capital improvements to the Britton-Macon campus. The foundation falls under the umbrella of the Lenawee Community Foundation. Having the Britton-Macon Area School Fund within the community foundation has advantages to both the school and contributors to the fund. Investments and reporting are handled by the Lenawee Community Foundation, thereby leaving the Britton-Macon Area School to its primary mission of education and raising funds to enhance educational opportunities within the school. In addition to contributors helping those opportunities become realities, contributors qualify for both federal and state tax benefits.



The Britton-Macon Area School Educational Foundation accomplished its goal of completing the track/football field complex. This year a new lighting system, scoreboard and home/visitor seating for 1,000 spectators was added. The field was dedicated during a community wide celebration on September 8, 2006.

This project was the first major endeavor of our Foundation. We are pleased with the progress that we have made, however we are mindful of the fact that there remains much to be done. We have established the following goals for our Foundation.

- Create an alumni support group to provide funding and volunteers for future projects
- Secure funding to develop the district's environmental Landscape for Learning Project
- Continue the support of our fine arts department
- Provide funding for teacher mini-grants that promote growth for our students
- Provide scholarship opportunities for students

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Scholarship Contributors and Recipients for 2006



Carly Bates

Max Larsen Scholarship Fund 2006 Recipient: Carly Bates

The Max Larsen Memorial Scholarship is an annual scholarship established in 2003. The scholarship is to be awarded to a graduating senior from Britton-Macon Area School who is enrolled in a vocational school, community college, or baccalaureate degree-granting institution.

Sam Hamilton Scholarship Fund 2006 Recipient: Edward Drews

The Sam Hamilton Memorial Scholarship is an annual scholarship established by the former basketball team members coached by Mr. Hamilton. The scholarship is to be awarded to a graduating senior from Britton-Macon Area School who is enrolled in a vocational school, community school, or baccalaureate degree-granting institution. The candidate must have participated in a Britton-Macon varsity sport.



Edward Drews

Amanda Stevens Scholarship Fund 2006 Recipient: Elizabeth Wielfaert

The Amanda Stevens Memorial Scholarship is an annual scholarship established by Amanda's family and the graduating class of 2003. The scholarship is to be awarded to a graduating senior from Britton-Macon Area School who is enrolled in a vocational school, community college or baccalaureate degree-granting institution. The candidate must plan a course of study related to writing, art, graphic design or other fine arts.

2006 Contributors to the Amanda Stevens Scholarship Fund:
After Hours Investors



Elizabeth Wielfaert

Joan Downing Wood Scholarship Fund 2006 Recipient: Elizabeth Wielfaert

The candidate must be a graduating high school senior from Britton-Macon Area School. The candidate must be accepted for attendance at a community college or baccalaureate degree-granting institution. The candidate must plan a course of study pursuing a career in the field of education or related services.

2006 Contributors to the Joan Downing Wood Scholarship Fund:
Mr. And Mrs. Charles Hill Charles and Kay Silkworth Gary Smith



Jeremy Squires

Pete Krzyzewski Memorial Scholarship Fund 2006 Recipient: Jeremy Squires

The candidate must be a graduating high school senior from Britton-Macon Area School. The candidate must be accepted for attendance at a community college or baccalaureate degree-granting institution. The candidate must have participated in inter-scholastic athletics in the school district's softball or baseball program.

Shirley Todd Herrick Scholarship Fund Established during 2006

The candidate must be a graduating high school senior from Britton-Macon Area School. The candidate must be accepted for attendance at a community college or baccalaureate degree-granting institution. The candidate must plan a course of study pursuing a career in the field of education or related services.

2006 Contributors to the Shirley Todd Herrick Scholarship Fund:
Shirley Todd Herrick

Capital Projects Fund- Contributions are used to support capital improvements to the school complex

2006 Contributors to the Capital Projects Fund:

Avery Oil and Propane	The Farver Foundation	Mrs. Shirley Herrick
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mannino	Mr. and Mrs. DJ Martin	David and Shelley Hickman
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Endowment Fund- Endowment funds will be held for future projects

2006 Contributors to the Endowment Fund:

Robert Tebo	Taina Bundshuh	Eileen Fore
Craig Gibbs	Stacie McMullen	Randy Salisbury
Doug Armstrong	Michael Servoss	

2006 Mini-Grant Recipients

Video Editing Project

Awarded: \$1,000.00

Project Leaders: Mr. Spencer and Mrs. Pechaitis

Equipment and materials were purchased for a collaborative video editing project which will be used by students in grades 7th-8th.

Special Education Department

Awarded: \$1350.00

Project Leaders: Mrs. Good, Mrs. Mitchell, and Mr. Gibbs

Three computers were purchased for special education classroom usage.

Creative Connections and World Literature Class Materials

Awarded: \$1,000.00

Project Leader: Mrs. Bundshuh and Mrs. Meyers

Literature materials were purchased for the Creative Connections and World Literature classes. Selected materials will enhance students appreciation for high quality literature.

K-2nd Teaching Staff Project

Awarded: \$850.00

Project Leader: K-2 Teaching Staff

Staff members received \$850.00 to purchase materials to support "Moving Linked with Learning." The program promotes physical activity for students pre-school through second grade and includes a parent component.

Instrumental Music Department

Awarded: \$500.00

Project Leader: Mr. Mykeloff

Funds were used to purchase two pianos, one for instrumental music and one for vocal music. This year's award combined with funds donated from last year's mini-grant, the Britton Band Boosters and the Sage Foundation made the purchase possible.

Creative Connections Class Project

Awarded: \$500.00

Project Leader: Mrs. Bundshuh

Materials were purchased for those enrolled in the Creative Connections class. The class will use photojournalism as a format for documenting the Village of Britton in its contemporary state. The project will involve writing and photography as well as interviewing village residents.



Building our foundation....brick by brick

A permanent dedication plaque was placed on our athletic support building during the dedication ceremony on May 28, 2005. The donor plaque recognizes members of our three-tiered donor system.

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\$5,000 and Above

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 TLC Community Credit Union

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\$1,000 - \$2,499

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2006 BRICK CONTRIBUTORS

Allen and Nina Bower
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 Donald and Colette Korican
 Wendy Pizana-
 For the Class of 1986
 Ron Croll-
 For the Class of 1956

POINTS OF PRIDE

- Established the Shirley Todd Herrick Scholarship Fund
- Completed development and dedicated our new football field
- Awarded teacher mini-grants
- Provided additional funding for our fine arts department
- Continued the development of our Landscape for Learning Project

We would like to thank all of our contributors for helping to make 2006 such a successful year as well as to congratulate all of the scholarship and mini-grant recipients. Our purpose is to promote and enhance life-long learning and together we can reach those goals.

If you would like additional information regarding the Britton-Macon Area School Educational Foundation contact Robert Tebo, Superintendent of the Britton-Macon Area School, at 517-451-4581.

