



FOUNDATION FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF THE TARRYTOWNS 2020-21 YEAR IN REVIEW

Since 1993 the Foundation has worked to enhance educational experiences throughout TUFSD, addressing the diverse strengths and needs of our students. We're proud to highlight accomplishments made possible by donors and volunteers.



\$400,000 RAISED TO SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

Donors came through in record numbers to support our district, students and local families during the academic year.

125 RISING 1ST, 2ND & 3RD GRADERS STRENGTHENED READING SKILLS IN OUR SUMMER LITERACY CAMP

Our annual Summer Literacy Program is a teacher-designed and -led small group program that nurtures a love of reading while increasing reading scores and preparing young children for the academic year.



106 HORSEMEN ATHLETIC GAMES LIVE-STREAMED

We partnered with TUFSD's Athletics Dept. to raise funds for LocalLive, which broadcast SHHS games during COVID restrictions.



30 GRANTS AWARDED TO TUFSD TEACHERS FOR CLASSROOM INNOVATION DURING COVID

This annual initiative, which empowers teachers to pilot projects that identify, explore, and demonstrate new ways to teach and learn, supported creative responses to challenges encountered during the Covid-19 pandemic. Funded projects included maker kits for creative projects onsite and online, the transformation of an outdoor courtyard for use as a classroom and cafeteria, and hands-on science lab activities that could be safely done outside.

300+ ORGANIC VEGETABLES PLANTED BY NEURODIVERSE STUDENTS WITH STONE BARN CENTER FOR FOOD & AGRICULTURE

We've partnered with Stone Barns to pilot a work-study program that provides special needs high school students with the opportunity to grow, prepare, and ultimately sell three seasons of organic produce.



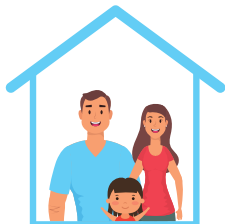
1,500 SEAT CUSHIONS FOR OUTDOOR LUNCH

We helped a parent-led effort raise funds for outdoor seat cushions so all K-5 students could sit outside for lunch and class during Covid.



1,400+ DISTRICT FAMILIES RECEIVED BILINGUAL CENSUS REMINDERS

We are grateful to our volunteers who made calls and sent flyers, emails and texts in Spanish and English reminding parents to complete the 2020 Census.



\$20,000 PLEDGED FOR K-12 ARTS ENRICHMENT



We committed \$20,000 to bolster opportunities for arts enrichment during onsite and online learning in all of our schools.



250 JOHN PAULDING KINDERGARTNERS AND TEACHERS WELCOMED WITH BILINGUAL BOOKS

Every year the Foundation encourages a love of reading by welcoming our youngest Horsemen with a new book written in English and Spanish. These books are carefully selected by educators at John Paulding School. Each kindergartner gets their own copy to read in class and at home, and have as a keepsake of their first year in school.



450+ VIRTUAL HOME VISITS TO SUPPORT LEARNING IN EARLY CHILDHOOD

Funds raised by the Foundation supported the Basics of Tarrytown & Sleepy Hollow, and Parent Child+ with Westchester Jewish Community Services, two community programs that encourage literacy through play-based learning for young children and their families.



85 TEACHERS RECEIVED ADDITIONAL EQUIPMENT OR TRAINING FOR ONLINE INSTRUCTION

Technology grants provided headsets to help teachers lead simultaneous onsite and online lessons, as well as training to support early childhood literacy through small reading group sessions given online.



159 CHILDREN FELT THE MAGIC!

We hosted a spellbinding virtual magic show during the pandemic to bring joy to WI children.



400 NEW AND CONTINUING DONORS CAME TOGETHER TO SUPPORT OUR SCHOOLS DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

Parents, grandparents, teachers, district administrators and community members... Local businesses, professional organizations, foundations and nonprofit partners... Giving circles, employer matching gift programs, friends who joined forces to organize and host fundraising events, and our dedicated volunteers... When the pandemic turned our world upside down, over 400 of you stepped up and shared your time and resources in support of local schools, teachers, children and families in Tarrytown and Sleepy Hollow. We couldn't be more proud, and...

WE CAN'T THANK YOU ENOUGH!



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