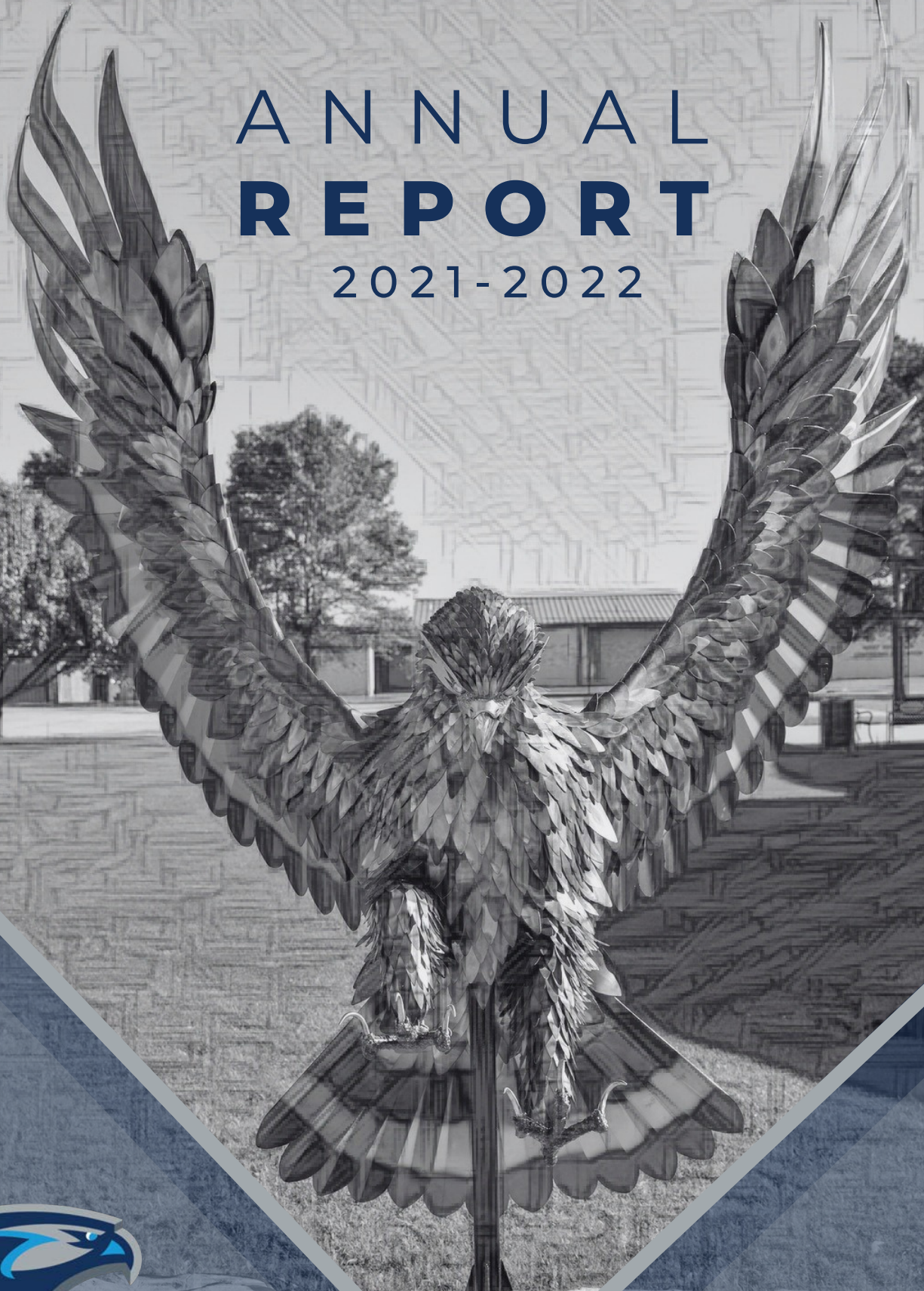


ANNUAL **REPORT**

2021-2022



BRTC FOUNDATION

FROM THE CHAIR

MESSAGE FROM CHAIRWOMAN MELISSA WRIGHT-DAVIS



“Donor,” “giver,” “contributor,” or “benefactor”: which noun you use to describe yourself, please know that the BRTC Foundation board appreciates your support of our mission: “....to enhance the community we serve.”

As we look back at this past year, finally being together at charitable functions for the NOVARIA Group/BRTC Foundation Golf Tournament, the President's Reception/Online Auction Spring Fling, and the BRTC 5K, it truly shows the continual support of our mission of the BRTC Foundation.

Thank you to the many individuals, businesses, and organizations that continue to be so gracious in their patronage of the BRTC Foundation.

YOU are providing us the motivation to continue to grow and to face the unknown challenges of the future.

On behalf of the entire BRTC Foundation, I sincerely thank you for your confidence in us.

Sincerely,
Melissa Wright-Davis
Foundation Board Chair

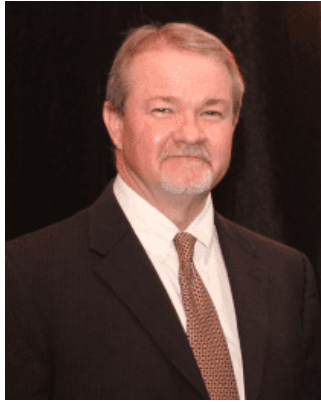


Melissa Davis, also golf tournament chairwoman, with sons Patrick and Philip at the 2022 tournament

FOUNDATION BOARD

The Board governs the BRTC Foundation.

Board members serve 4-year terms and are voted in by current board members. Board meetings meet bimonthly but are not public.



Scott Trammel
Vice Chair
Darragh Company



Rob Olvey
Secretary
Martin Agency



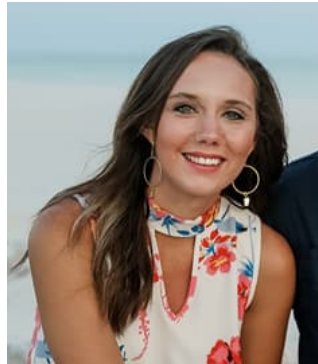
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Sedgwick Claims
Management



Graycen Bigger
NEA Intermodal



Jana Caldwell
Carter Realty



Sarah Lowtharp
St. Bernards



Susie Eddington
First Horizon



Michael Hallmark
Encore Bank



Mike Miller
Region's Bank



Milton Smith
1st National Bank of
Lawrence County



Mike Thompson
First Horizon

BOARD HONORS

The Foundation is very proud of its board members and their accomplishments.

Many Foundation board members go on to be members of the college's governing board or other state boards.



Graycen Bigger

Graycen Bigger was elected to Arkansas Economic Developers and Chamber Executives Board (AEDCE).

Bigger will represent the 1st Congressional District until December of 2022.



Stephanie Sutton

Arkansas Governor Asa Hutchinson appointed Stephanie Sutton of Pocahontas to a 7-year term on the Black River Technical College Board of Trustees.

Sutton served on the Foundation board for 25 years.

FIRST HORIZON LECTURE SERIES

BRTC hosted Arkansas true-crime author George Jared whose lecture brought in students from area schools, adults, and BRTC students.

Jared's lecture marked the beginning of the annual series, hosted by First Horizon.

The Foundation is grateful for First Horizon's support!



ANNUAL SERIES

The Foundation offers two annual series to students and the public.

These forums are opportunities to provide cultural and historical education to local schools, college students, and the public.



Black History Month Speaker

Partnering with the Eddie Mae Herron Center, Blues guitarist and vocalist Terry "Big T" Williams presented "A Conversation with the Blues."

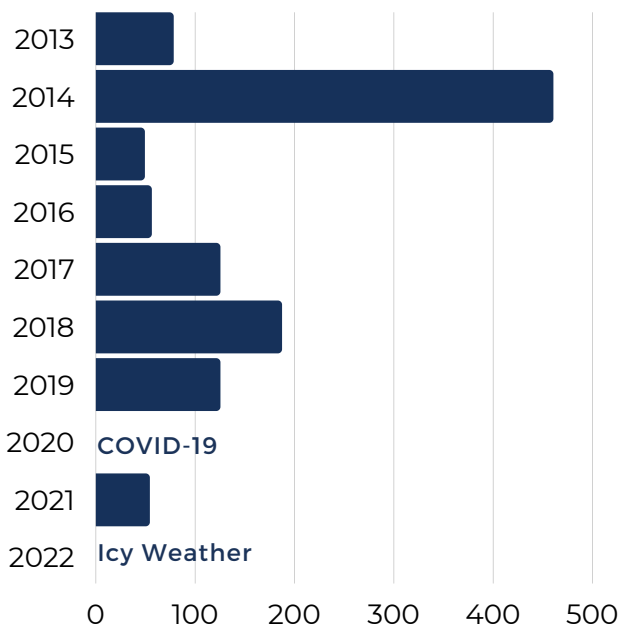


17th Annual Holocaust Survivor Series

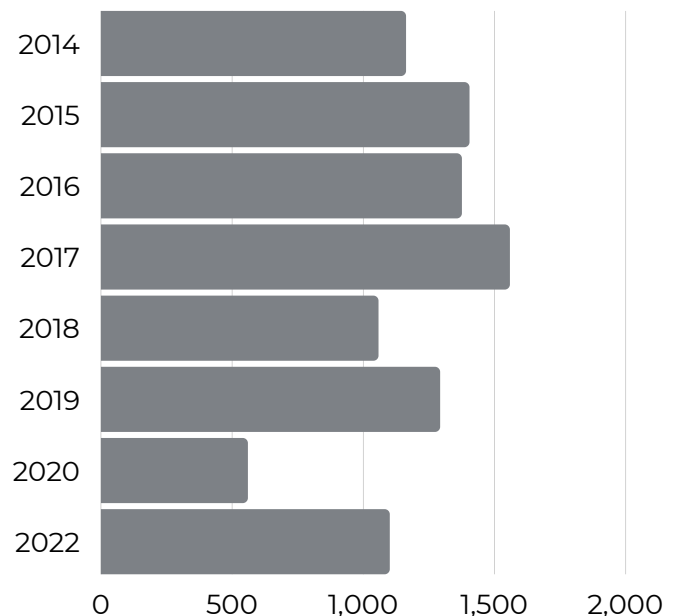
Holocaust survivor Steven Fenves spoke about his experience in Nazi occupied Yugoslavia and his time in Auschwitz, virtually to over 1,100 adults and students.

Due to icy weather, the Black History Month speaker program, which was scheduled to be on-campus for the first time since COVID began, had to be cancelled.

Black History Month Attendance



Holocaust Survivor Attendance



EVENTS

BRTC's 2 largest fundraising events are the annual Gala and Golf Tournament.

These two events constitute the vast majority of all event giving. Most other Foundation events are lectures and appreciation events.

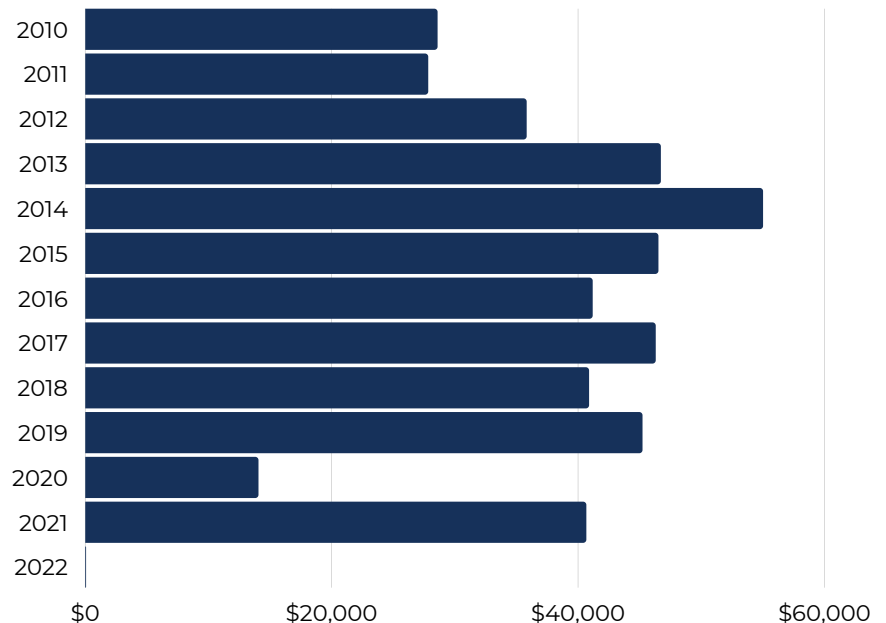
29th Annual NOVARIA/BRTC Foundation Golf Tournament



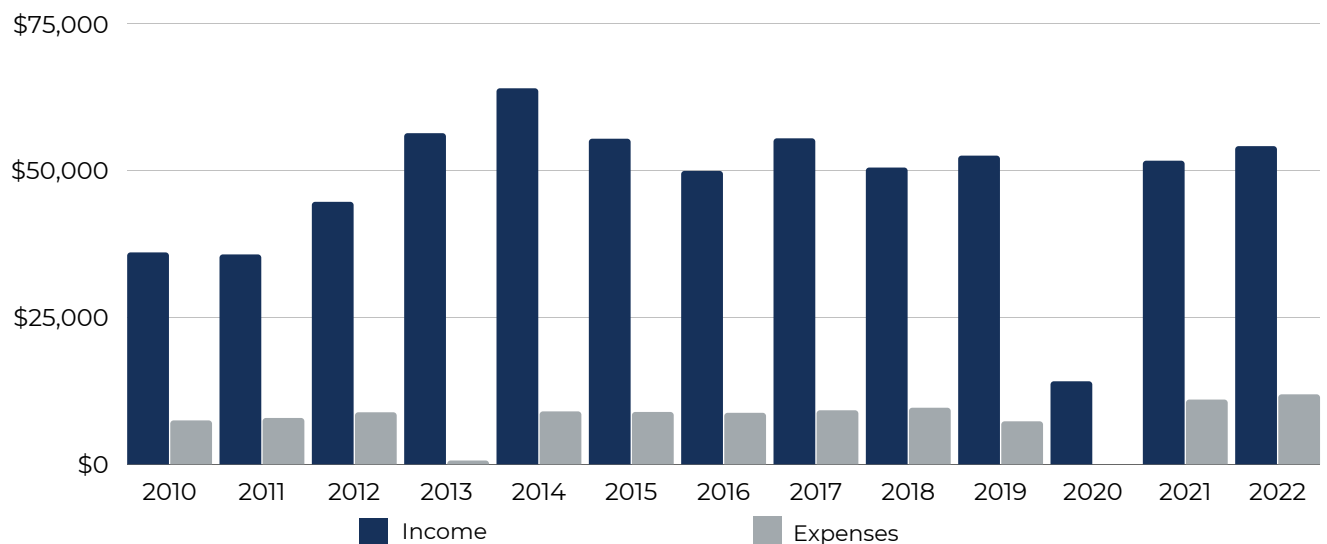
The Golf Tournament is the Foundation's largest scholarship fundraiser.



Golf Tournament Proceeds



Golf Tournament Expenses and Income

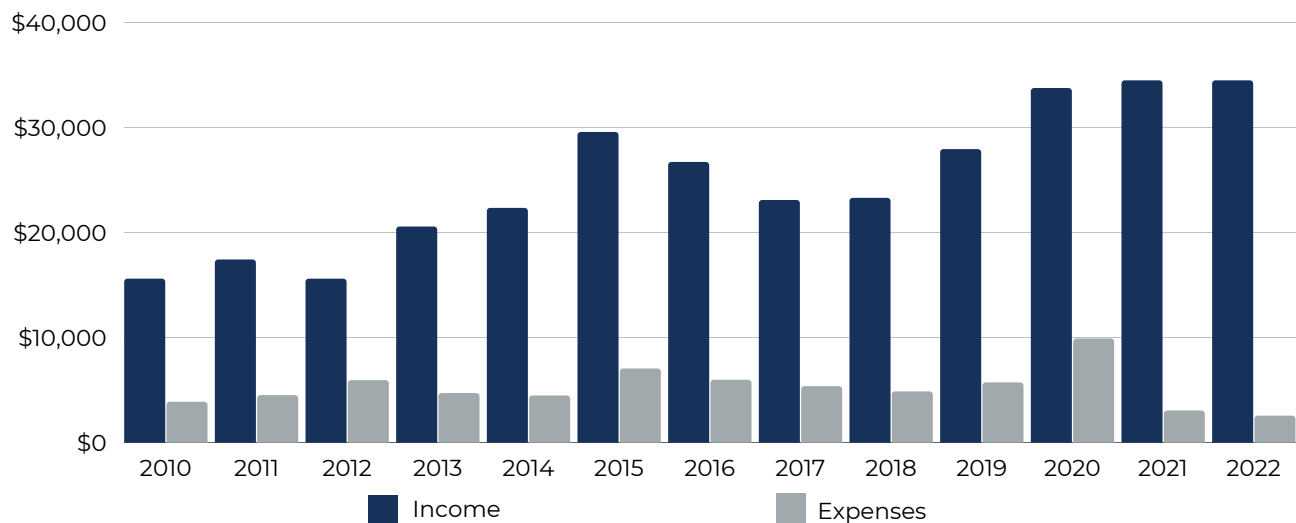


15th Annual Spring Fling & Auction

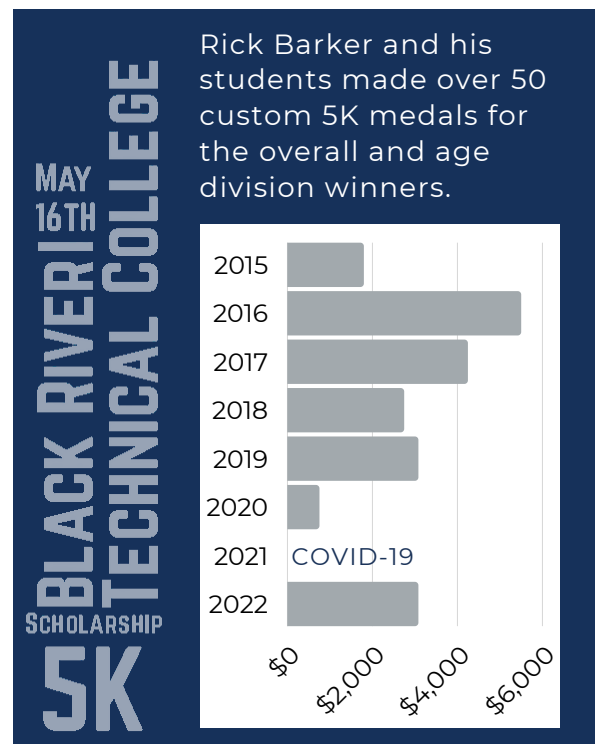
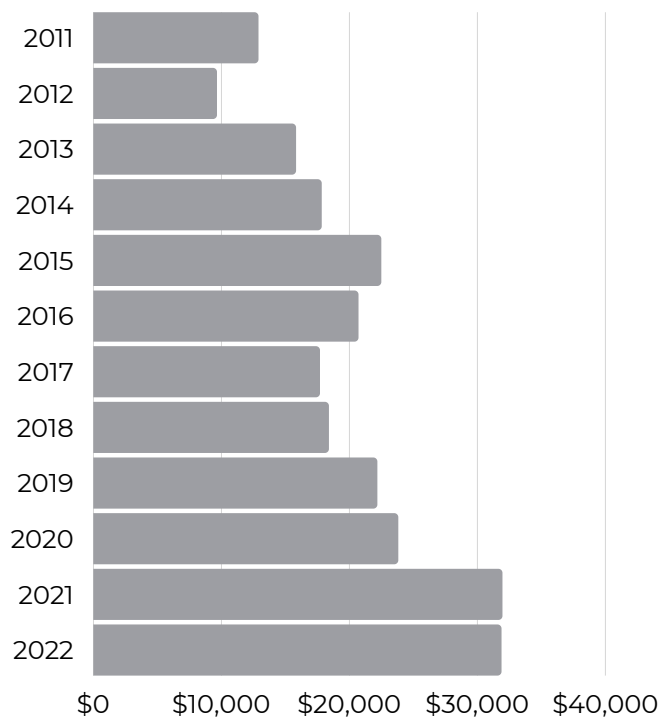
The 2022 Spring Fling Gala was the most profitable in BRTC history. The Foundation continued the online auction and replaced the formal dinner with a smaller, in-person President's Reception at Baltz Peanut Factory. Attendees continue to respond that they prefer the reception format.



Gala Income and Expenses



Gala Proceeds



FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

Foundation scholarships make a huge difference!

Supporting scholarships and students is a major reason why Foundation donors give.

Meet Some of the 2021-22 Scholarship Recipients



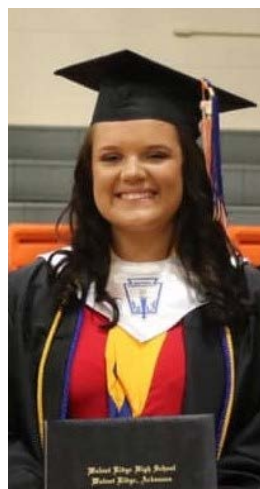
Matthew Exum
BRTC Agriculture



Tammy Galbreath
SGA Leaders of Tomorrow



Jacob Jones
PECO Foods



Baylee Davis
HARPS Foods



Devon Dunham
Pocahontas Aluminum

Dyzamona Johnson *Eddie Mae Herron Scholarship*

Hometown:
Major:

Earle
Nursing

I would graciously like to thank Eddie Mae Herron for selecting me as their scholarship recipient. I appreciate the belief you have in my ability to accomplish my goals. My educational goals is to become a well-rounded nurse and fighting every adversity that comes my way.



Foundation Scholarships

Awarded to Students
in 2021-22



\$77K

Total Amount Awarded

78

Number Students Awarded

OUR DONORS

Foundation donors make all the difference in students' lives!

Without donors' help, many BRTC students could not attend college.

The donors listed on these pages have given through a variety of channels:

- Annual golf tournament
- Annual gala and auction
- Series events such as the Holocaust Survivor Series or the Black History Month Speaker Series
- Growing Strong annual fund
- Project REACH
- In-kind giving of equipment or supplies essential to academic programs

1st Choice Healthcare, Inc., Pocahontas
 Above & Beyond Home Care
 Dane & Kim Adams
 AgHeritage Farm Credit Services, FLCA
 Allen Engineering Corporation
 Brian & Linda Anderson
 DaWayne & Mary Anderson
 Archer Realty
 Arkansas Bearings, Inc.
 Arkansas Methodist Medical Center
 Auto EfX
 Back in Motion Chiropractic
 Allison Baggett
 Amanda Bailey
 Dr. Brad & Meredith Baine
 Baine Properties, LLC
 Krystle Baker
 Larry Baker
 Gary Balding
 Pink & Charlotte Baltz
 Baltz Feed Company

BancorpSouth
 Una Barber
 Danny & Sheri Barr
 Dr. Hal & Bootsie Barre
 Sandy Barrington
 Deshea Baxley
 Be Pro Be Proud
 Cheyenne Bell
 Alex & Graycen Bigger
 Brock & Kim Bigger
 Birdsong Peanuts
 Paige Bishop
 Daryl & Patti Blaxton
 Linda Bly
 Skylar Boyd
 Katrina Bozarth
 Brett & Dana Bradford
 Justin & Kayla Broadway
 BRTC Student Government Association
 Everett & Louise Burcham
 LeAnne Burgess
 Brad Caffrey

Dear Archer Realty,

Thank you for investing in my future and will make use of your donation to further my education. My goals are too get a degree in industrial maintenance and then to further my education to become an industrial engineer.

Payton Smith





First National Bank of Lawrence County donated \$20,000, part of which will assist the creation of a new college lecture series

James & Kelsie Cagle
Mike & Jana Caldwell
Nathan Camp
Janie Campbell
Hannah Carr
Paul & Pam Carr
Carter-Cox Seeds
Don & Representative Fran
Cavanaugh
City Pharmacy
Corbett & Bethany Clark
C.L. & Gail Clark
Clark General Contractors
Dana Clay

Clay County Connect
Clay County Electric Coop.
David & Cathy Coker
Coker Insurance
Phil & Carolyn Collins
Elizabeth Collins
Debbie Cook
Viola Cook
Julie Courtney
Dillion Cox
Don & Ruth Ann Cox
Doug & Cindy Cox
Marlene Cox
Darlene Crawford

Custom-Pak
Butch & Doris Dail
John & Diana Dalton
Darragh Company
Margo Davis
Beth Davis
Philip Davis, D.D.S., P.A.
Keith DeClerk
Travis & Angie DeClerk
Declerk-Throesch
Engineering & Land
Surveying
Jim Dejournett
Joey & Christina Derbes
Micheal & Maria Dickson
Phillip & Lisa Dickson
Robert & Sheila Dobyns
Mike & Barbara Dunn
E.C. Barton & Company
Eddie Mae Herron Center
Dustin & Susie Eddington
Jim & Beverly Edington
David & Julie Edington
Dr. Martin & Jennifer
Eggensperger
Mike Ellis
Encore Bank
Families, Inc.
Family Dental Care of
Pocahontas, Inc.
Farmers & Merchants Bank
Nancy Felts
Amanda Findlay

Several golf sponsors have supported the college for many years!

Thank you for your tremendous support!

- **Famers & Merchants Bank**, formerly the Bank of Pocahontas, 26 years
- **First Horizon Bank**, formerly iBERIABANK, 25 years
- **Darragh Company**, formerly Tool Central and the Trammel Family, 23 years
- **Clay County Electric Cooperative**, 21 years
- **TLC Healthcare**, 21 years

First Horizon Bank
 First National Bank of
 Lawrence County
 First National Bank of
 Paragould
 Rex & Debra Flagg
 Kevin & Donna Foster
 Jake Foster
 Dr. Dianna Fraley
 Frankie's Dry Wall
 Angie French
 Vickie French
 Madison Gargac
 Mariah Garrett
 John Gillespie
 Glen Sain Ford
 Goodman Drug Company
 Diane Graftenreed
 Josh & Sissy Gray
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 Training Center (GCITC)
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 Ruth Holt
 Eric & Ramonda Housh
 Dr. Don & Hannah Howard
 James & Jennifer Humes
 Charni Hunt
 Hydes Pharmacy

The BRTC Foundation is fortunate to have many individuals who are long-time donors.

- John & Mary Helen Jackson, 30 years
- Farmers & Merchants Bank, 30 years
- iBERIABANK, 30 years
- Robert Bosch Tool Corp., 30 years
- Don & Ruth Ann Cox, 29 years
- Lloyd & Carol Lewallen, 29 years
- Ken & Dr. Jan Ziegler, 28 years

Hyde's Termite & Pest
Control

Ron & Keri Ingram

Trent & Stacey Ingram

Island Energy, Inc.

Eugenia Morris

Haley Jackson

John & Mary Helen Jackson

Dr. Phillip & Terri Jansen

Jenkins Welding, LLC

Jetton General Contracting

Jimmy Smith's Pawn Shop

& Trading Post

Dr. Roger & Kim Johnson

John D. Johnson

Leslie Johnson

Mike & Sue Johnson

Andrea Jones

Jennifer Jones

Amanda Junkersfeld

Karla Baltz, DDS

Greg & Erin Mathews

Jacob & Darendra Kersey

Katelyn Koons

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Hospital

Joey & Tammie Lemmons

Michael & Shawna Lepard

Brett & Karen Liebhaber

Jason Linam

Joan Linnstaedter

Aja Lloyd

Holly Looney

Angela Loveless

Elizabeth Loveless

Ron & Tara Mangold

Deborah Martin

Martin Agency

Martin Sprocket & Gear, Inc.

Cynthia McDaniel

Drew McGhehey

Sue McGowan

McNabb Funeral Home

David McQuire

Allison Medlock

Mike & Amanda Miller

Ashley Moore

Danny & Karen Moore

Bill & Regina Moore

More Music 93 dot 5

Donita Morris

Brandon & Elizabeth

Murphy

Nabholtz Construction

Brittany Newby

Brian & Krystal Niswonger

Holli Nitzsche

NEA Education Cooperative

Novaria Holdings, LLC

Mike & Shannon Ogden

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Peco Foods, Inc.

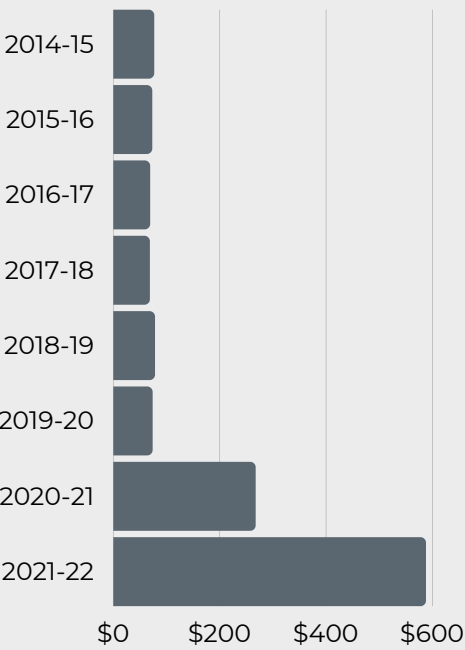
Daphne Perkins

Darren & Amy Plaster

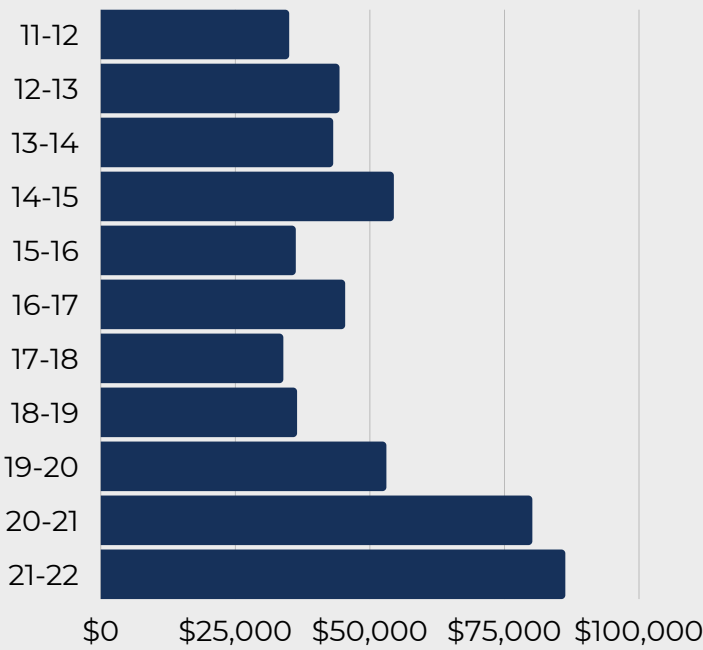
John & Amanda Plumley

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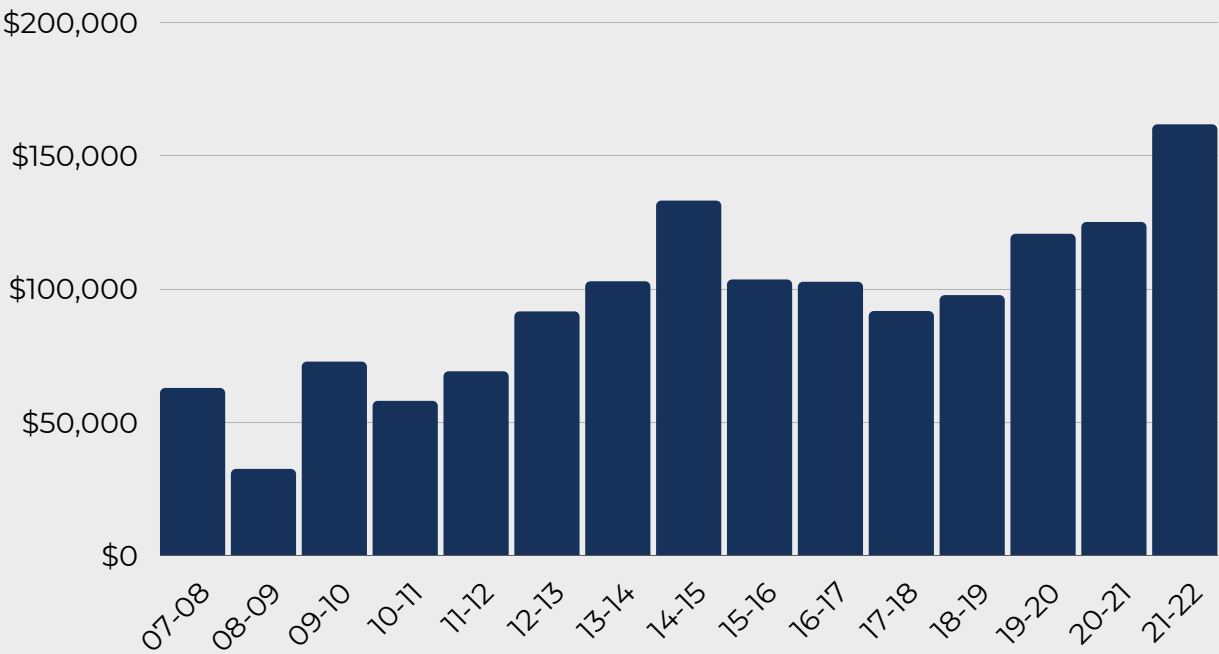
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Growing Strong Annual Fund

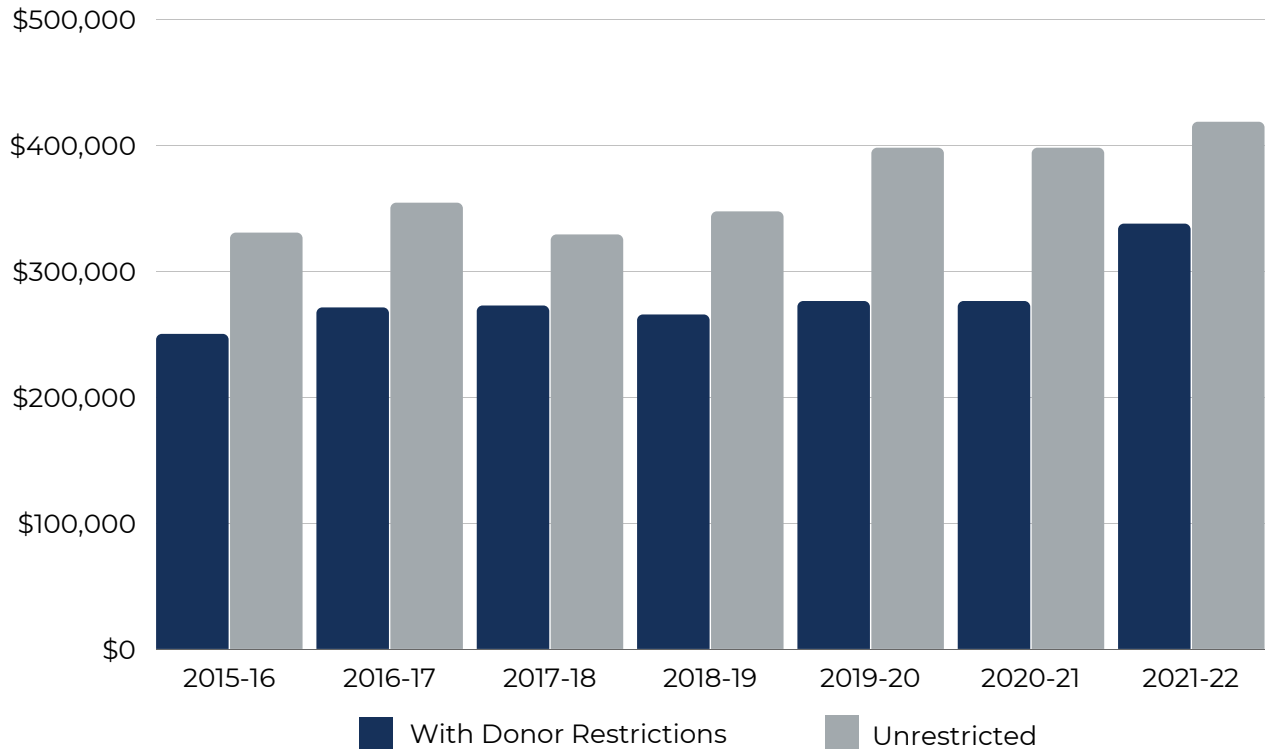


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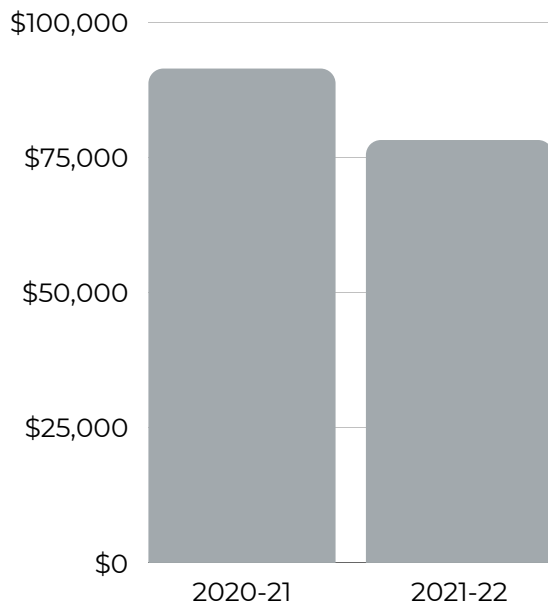


FOUNDATION FINANCES

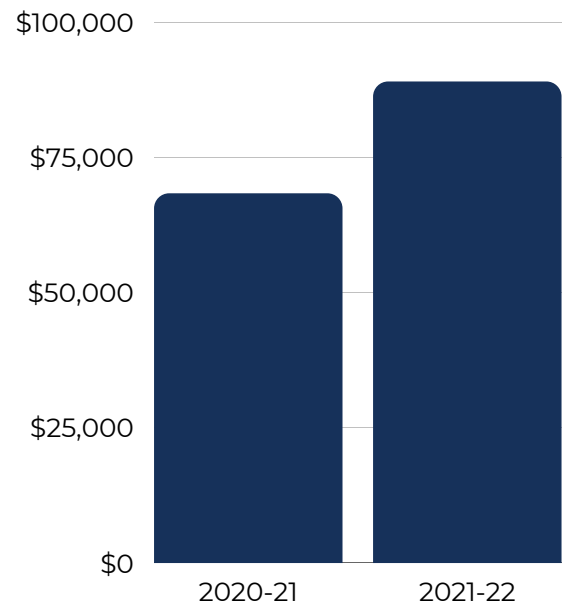
Total Net Assets



Expenses



Net Income



Pocahontas Aluminum Co..
Pocahontas Auto Body
Pocahontas Medical Clinic
Pocahontas Star Herald,
Cherry Road Media, Inc.
Hannah Ponder
Jeri Powers
Steve Powers
Dorothy Previtt
ProMed Ambulance, Inc.
Randolph County Farm
Bureau
Randolph County Friends of
Libraries, Inc.
Randolph Liquor Store
Regions Bank
Donnie Reynolds
Lesley Marie Rice
Kirby & Patty Riffel
River Bank
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Rotary Club of Pocahontas
Allie Russom
Rhonda Sade
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Jane Schiesser

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Shannon Salvage, Inc.
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Kim Taylor
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Tom & Carolyn Towell
Dick & Nancy Trammel
Scott & Joniece Trammel
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Triple B Electric
D. Rene Tyler, CPA
United Police Supply
VALIC
VisualEyes Optometry
Robert & Daletta Walker
Paula Ward
Daniel Watson
Chris Weaver
Mylea White
Joey & Hazelle Whited
Jamie Wilson
Kirk Wilson
Holly Winslow
Wren Family, LLC
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Melissa Wright-Davis
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