

2019

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YELLOWSTONE CLUB

COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

Yellowstone Club Community Foundation was established in 2010 to provide a resource to nonprofit community organizations in the greater Big Sky area. YCCF is a natural outgrowth of the long-standing commitment of Club Members to the Big Sky community.

The Foundation provides grants to nonprofit organizations that promote community services, arts and education, health, and conservation efforts. The Foundation has awarded more than **\$9 million** since inception.

The Yellowstone Club Community Foundation has made a profound difference in the greater Big Sky and Gallatin Valley areas. As contributions have grown, so have partnerships with local nonprofits. Our Board of YC Members stewards the grants to reflect the passions of our YC Community.





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OPENING LETTER



This has been a particularly remarkable year for the Big Sky Community and Yellowstone Club Community Foundation (YCCF). The Foundation continues to have a significant impact in education, arts, healthcare, conservation, and community services in the greater Big Sky and Gallatin Valley area through their grant making.

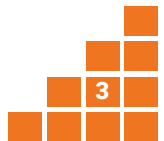
In 2019, the first ever workforce housing project in Big Sky was successfully completed. YCCF seed funded the Down Payment Assistance Program which was integral to the success of this project. Through a community wide fundraising effort lead by Big Sky Community Organization, Big Sky will now have a new community center, BASE, in 2021. Thanks to the

generosity of donors like you, YCCF's Big Sky Community Center Fund raised \$6.5 million. The Foundation also strengthened their commitment to mental and behavioral health services offered in Big Sky through a grant to Bozeman Health Foundation.

Donors continued their generous support for annual giving and participated in our three fundraising events: the 10th annual Tom Weiskopf Cup golf tournament, our spring Wine & Song evening featuring Marc Cohn, and the New Year's Eve Name That Run auction.

Change is happening fast in this corner of Montana. As contributions have grown, so have partnerships with local nonprofits. Together, we are making a difference.

Thank you for your support!



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MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS



YCCF does an incredible job at not only funding the highest priorities for our community, but also connecting their members with the causes and organizations that they most care about. The work we have accomplished at bringing a community center to Big Sky would not have been possible without the connections that YCCF made to both YC members who served as volunteers and donors to our ALL IN campaign.



Ciara Wolfe, CEO
Big Sky Community Organization

\$618 K
awarded to nonprofits
within the past year

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youth scholarships



\$150 K

awarded to Big Sky Community Housing Trust's Down Payment Assistance program to help community workers purchase a home in Big Sky.

\$150 K

Grant to Big Sky Medical Center for the implementation of program development for behavioral and mental health services

\$50 K

YCCF partnered with Bozeman Area Community Foundation with a grant to underwrite Give Big Gallatin Valley, which raised \$1.39 million for 194 local nonprofits this year.

\$6.5 MILLION

raised for BASE, Big Sky's new Community Center.

\$50 K

matching grant to Big Sky Community Organization for their Big Sky Locals Campaign.

\$203 K

to 16 local nonprofits - Spring 2019 Grant Cycle

\$240 K

to 19 local nonprofits - Fall 2019 Grant Cycle

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SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

COREY C. GRIFFIN SCHOLARSHIP

Two **\$5,000** scholarships are available to high school seniors in Gallatin Valley.

RIESCHEL STEM SCHOLARSHIP

This **\$5,000** Scholarship is awarded to a high school senior in Gallatin Valley pursuing further education in science, technology, engineering and/or math.

BIG BALD DAVE SCHOLARSHIP

YCCF is proud to honor the memory of Dave Mueller and his love for outdoor adventure by awarding an extraordinary summer adventure to one Big Sky student.

FRIENDS OF BIG SKY EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

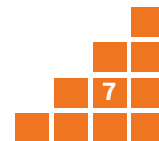
One Lone Peak High School Student receives two **\$3,000** scholarships for their freshman and sophomore years of college.

MONTANA WILDERNESS SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP

\$3,000 awarded to the tuition of an underserved Gallatin County student.

LEADERSHIP MONTANA SCHOLARSHIP FROM TUITION

YCCF provides **50%** of the tuition for a local nonprofit leader to attend this training.



YCCF

GIVING HIGHLIGHTS



With financial support from YCCF, BSSD #72 is putting in place a continuum of education that is second to none in Montana. Just ten years after Lone Peak High School opened its doors, the school was recently recognized by US News and World Report as the #1 high school in Montana.



Anne Marie Mistretta, V.P.
Friends of Big Sky Education

MAJOR DONOR TO BIG SKY MEDICAL CENTER

\$375K to Big Sky Medical Center to extend care in Big Sky with additional advanced care practitioner and expanded weekend and evening hours

COMMITMENT TO BIG SKY SCHOOL DISTRICT

- International Baccalaureate degree implemented in 2017 in the Big Sky schools
- Technology initiative

DEDICATED TO ENDING CHILDHOOD HUNGER IN MONTANA

Long time supporter of KidsPack Program, which provides a weekend, supplemental food bag to elementary children across Gallatin, Madison and Jefferson counties.

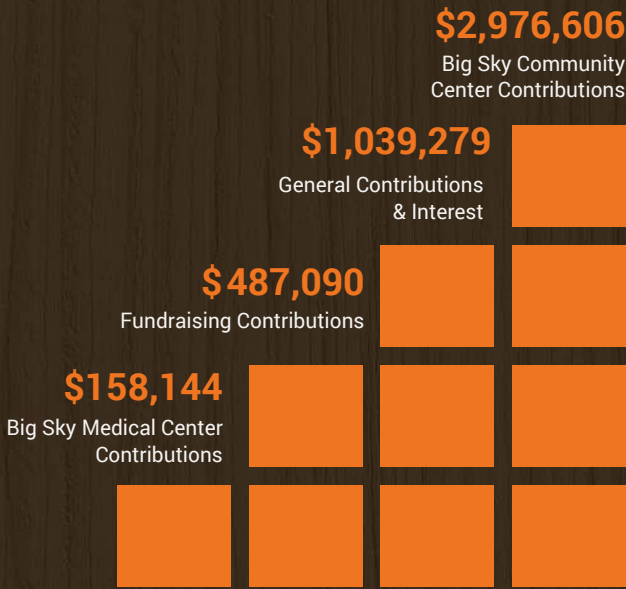


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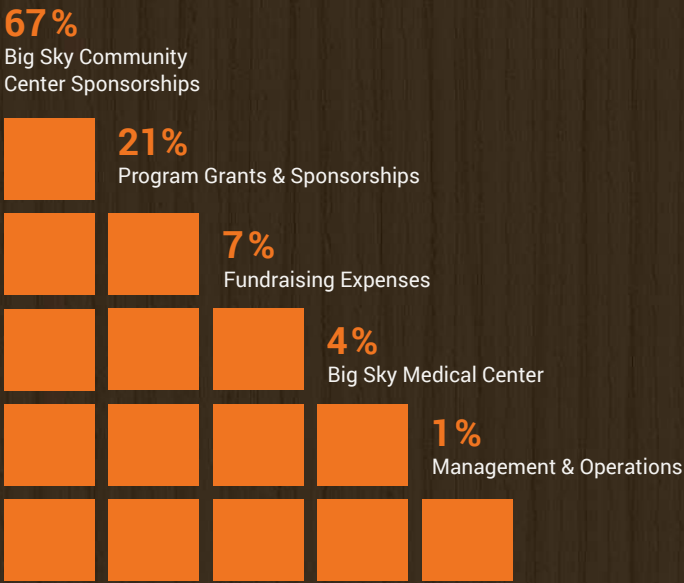
\$ 4,661,119

TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS
& SUPPORT



2019 data represents the 12 month period ending 9/30/2019. IRS Form 990 is available on our website. Financials audited annually.

TOTAL DISTRIBUTION OF
GRANTS AND EXPENSES



WAYS TO GIVE



By Mail



Gifts of Stock or
through your will or trust



Annual Giving



Annual
Fundraising Events



Member Account



Multi-year Giving through
the Black Diamond Club



Online at:
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grantees: yellowstoneclubfoundation.org





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