#### **HMB "Uncle T's" Community Foundation**

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# 2022 Annual Update

The power of a community foundation is in its flexibility, its longevity, and its ability to harness the power of many. A community foundation receives gifts and donations of various sizes from individuals, families, and businesses, and grants money back into the community for projects and programs that improve the quality of life for area residents.

"The beauty of a fund like this is that it's not tied to any one cause or organization," said Kara Geiger with the North Dakota Community Foundation. "Each year, the local Advisory Committee reviews applications from charitable organizations and community groups and recommend programs to receive funding."

This can be seen in the three grants our HMB Community Foundation has already awarded to three different organizations - the Southwest Threshing Association last year and two different ones this year (see article at right).

Our foundation's advisory committee believes strongly in the power of this community foundation and the impact it will have on our area in the future. Please join us in making a gift today for future generations of HMB residents!

#### **HMB Community Foundation Committee**

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#### **HMB "Uncle T's" Community Foundation**

- Established 2019
- Total Assets (as of 06/30/22): \$67,492
- Total Gifts Received so far in 2022 (as of 10/12/2022): \$2,411
- Total Grants Awarded in 2022: 2 grants totaling \$1,266
- Total Grants since Inception: 3 grants totaling \$1,866

#### \$1,266 Awarded in 2022

The HMB "Uncle T's" Community Foundation Advisory Committee awarded two grants totaling \$1,266 in 2022 to the following organizations:

- St. Katherine Parish Altar Society: \$1,000 to buy a new lawn mower
- Hazelton Historical Society: \$266 for maintenance of the museum and adjacent building

Grant applications are accepted once a year and are due by May 31. Go to www.NDCF.net/ HMB for more info. ◊



The Hazelton-Moffit-Braddock's first grant helped fund this new piece of playground equipment at the Threshing Grounds north of Braddock.

"Do what you can with what you have, where you are."

#### What is Our Potential?

There are over 69 local community foundations in North Dakota, some that started over three decades ago and others that started last year.

The larger these permanent endowment funds grow, the more earnings are available for grants every

year. Some funds award over \$40,000 in grants every year!

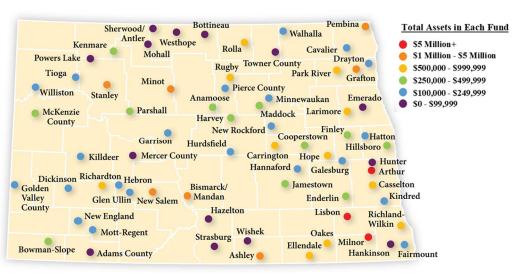
Can you help us grow our fund so that we can better support the programs and projects that make Hazelton-Moffit-Braddock great? Consider setting up a recurring gift online at www.NDCF.net/HMB or send a check to our address on the front.

#### Other ways to give include:

- Donate stock
- Take advantage of the IRA Charitable Rollover
   your donation (directly from your IRA account to our fund) counts as your Required Minimum Distribution, but you can avoid taxes on it!
- Give memorial gifts to our fund in honor of family members and friends.
- Make the fund a full or partial beneficiary of your life insurance policy.
- Leave a gift in your will it can be a specific dollar amount, percentage of your estate, or remainder after other gifts to family and friends.

If you'd like to have a free, confidential, no-obligation conversation about charitable-giving options, including planned gifts to our community fund, contact Kara Geiger with the North Dakota Community Foundation at Kara@NDCF.net or 701-222-8349. ◊





# Family Game Day!

Come enjoy a winter afternoon at HMB School, playing games with family and friends!

### Sunday, January 22 Noon to 5 pm

Hazelton-Moffit-Braddock School

Tickets for games = 25¢ each (most games = 1 or 2 tickets to play)

Soup and Sandwiches available from noon-2pm for a free-will donation.

## Fun for ALL Ages!!





The Hazelton-Moffit-Braddock "Uncle T's" Community Foundation is a component fund of the North Dakota Community Foundation (NDCF). Established in 1976, NDCF provides charitable giving and financial management services including donor gift planning, bequest planning, receipts, and an annual audit. For more information about NDCF or the HMB "Uncle T's" CF, contact Kara Geiger, NDCF Development Director at 701-222-8349 or Kara @NDCF.net.