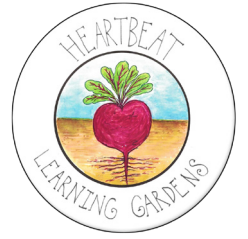




James A McKee Association



Supporting Our Community

50 SINCE 1974

for the love of community



ROADS TO RECOVERY GROWTH THROUGH | EDUCATION

Women's Park



YS Community Food Pantry



YELLOW SPRINGS Community Children's Center

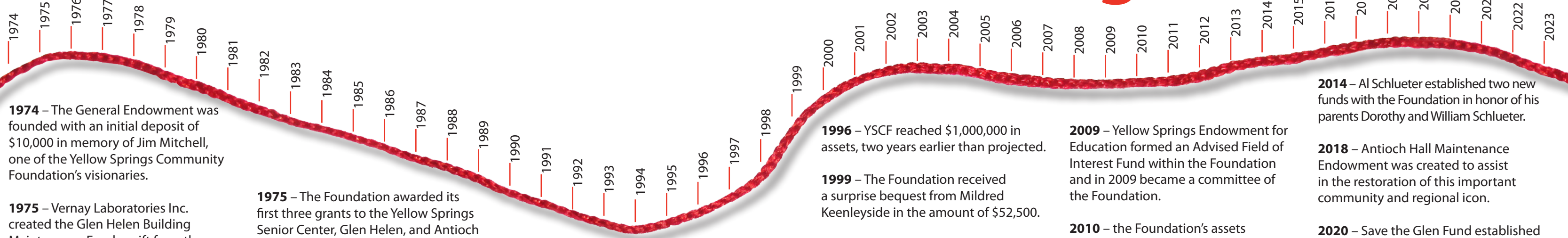


YS Development Corporation



and many more...

50 Years in the Making!



1974 – The General Endowment was founded with an initial deposit of \$10,000 in memory of Jim Mitchell, one of the Yellow Springs Community Foundation’s visionaries.

1975 – Vernay Laboratories Inc. created the Glen Helen Building Maintenance Fund, a gift from the Vernay Foundation to honor the life of the company’s founder, Sergius Vernet.

1975 – The Foundation awarded its first three grants to the Yellow Springs Senior Center, Glen Helen, and Antioch College. The nonprofits received \$1,000, \$579, and \$1,000 respectively.



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- PHOTOS**
- a. YSCF Philanthropy Awardees with YSCF’s Virgil Hervey
 - b. YSCF Convening
 - c. The Miller Brothers/Dick & Nolan Miller
 - d. Matan Mazursky & Angie Hsu – Covid-19
 - e. World House Choir
 - f. George and Toshiko Asakawa
 - g. Perry Stewart and Jeannamarie Cox
 - h. New YSCF 201 S. Walnut Street Office

1979 – The Corky Schiff Memorial Fund was established by her family to benefit the Yellow Springs Community Children’s Center.

1981 – First Glen Helen Eco Camp Grant!

1983 – First grant to Chamber Music Yellow Springs

1986 – George & Toshiko Asakawa Unrestricted Endowment for General Grants and Restricted Endowment for the YS Library and Glen Helen

1992 – Constance G. Sontag and Lester W. Sontag Fund which supports Seniors and the Library was established.

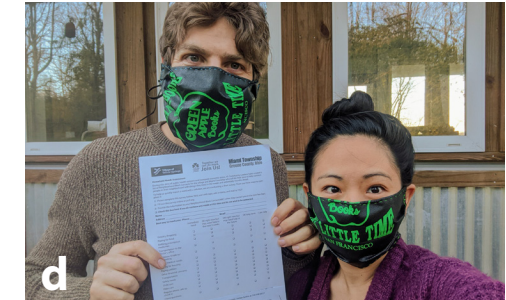
1994 – the GEM Endowment was established with a \$30,000 gift.

1996 – YSCF reached \$1,000,000 in assets, two years earlier than projected.

1999 – The Foundation received a surprise bequest from Mildred Keenleyside in the amount of \$52,500.

2002 – Tracy Stewart, daughter of Foundation co-founder Perry Stewart, announced the Stewart Family Fund, an unrestricted fund.

2008 – Three new funds were established: Chamber Music YS, Tecumseh Land Trust, and the Glen Helen Association. The Kenneth C. Tregillus Endowment was founded after receiving a bequest from Kenneth Tregillus, a regular contributor to the Foundation since its inception.



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2009 – Yellow Springs Endowment for Education formed an Advised Field of Interest Fund within the Foundation and in 2009 became a committee of the Foundation.

2010 – the Foundation’s assets nearly doubled in size after gifts from the trusts of Nolan and Richard Miller focused on multigenerational nonprofit service.

2014 – Al Schlueter established two new funds with the Foundation in honor of his parents Dorothy and William Schlueter.

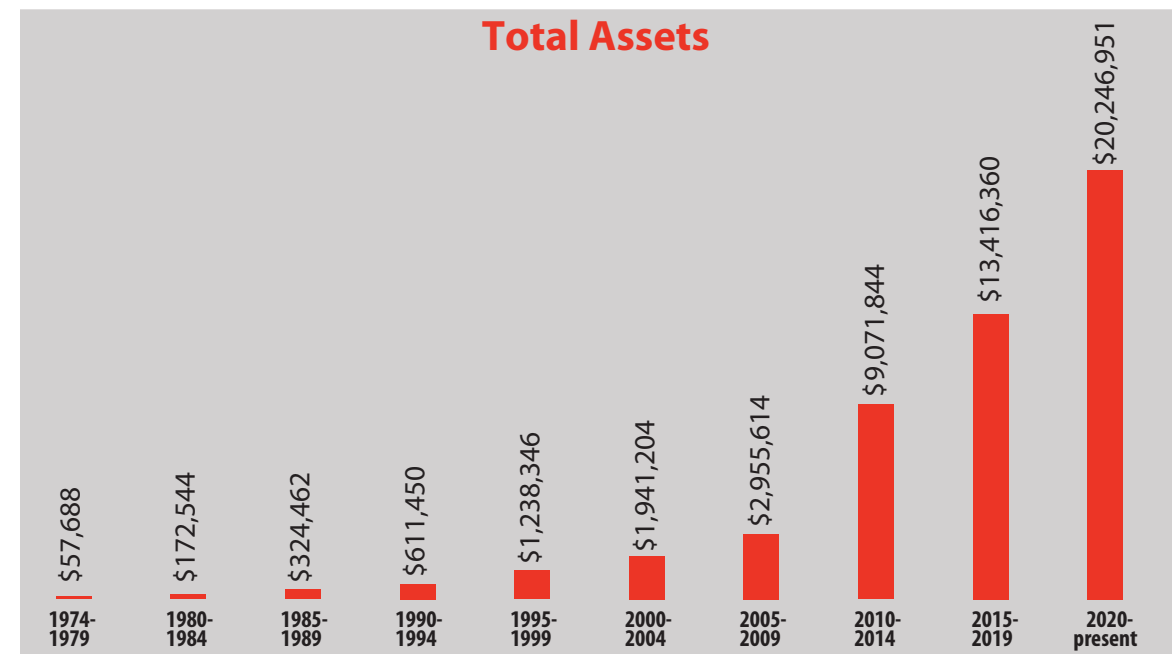
2018 – Antioch Hall Maintenance Endowment was created to assist in the restoration of this important community and regional icon.

2020 – Save the Glen Fund established by community members; COVID Relief Funds created which transitioned to YS Emergency Funds.

2022 – DEI Fund and YSEQUITY established



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\$9,850,000 provided in grants

\$17,900,000 your remarkable gifts



In Honor of Perry Stewart

The Foundation would like to honor one of its five founders, Perry Stewart. Perry along with community members George Asakawa, Phillip Aultman (Attorney), Hardy Trolander and Dorothy Mitchell formed the first board of trustees.

Perry cares deeply for this community. He has helped guide this organization through decades of changes in the community so that we

are responding to the Village's flux, to our donors' intent, to the fiduciary responsibility of the Board of Trustees and ensuring through grants we are helping our nonprofits thrive.

Having spent most of his life in the Village and possessing the capacity for factual recall like few, Perry weaves Village history through casual conversation, helping ensure our stories continue through the next generation.

Next 50 & Beyond!

"Those who are happiest are those who do the most for others."

– Booker T. Washington

The Yellow Springs Community Foundation begins celebration of its 50th Anniversary in 2024. We are incredibly grateful to both support and serve such a generous community. The positive impact of your philanthropy has been, and continues to be, truly remarkable: from providing essential support to local nonprofits to spearheading initiatives that address pressing social issues, your commitment to fostering positive change and promoting community well-being is inspiring.

As we look forward to the next 50 years (and beyond!), we are committed to continual engagement and support of our local community. By actively engaging and collaborating with our community members, the YSCF ensures that our initiatives are reflective of the needs and aspirations of the community we serve. This inclusive approach not only enhances the

effectiveness of our programs but also fosters a sense of ownership and belonging within our community.

We are also committed to transparency and accountability. Our practices and responsible stewardship of resources serves to instill trust and confidence among donors, partners, and beneficiaries alike. As you will see in the following report, it is evident that every dollar invested is utilized judiciously to maximize its impact and reach.

Our work at the YSCF goes beyond mere philanthropy; it embodies a vision of a more equitable, compassionate, and resilient community. Your unwavering dedication to creating positive change serves as a beacon of hope and inspiration for us all.

Thank YOU once again for your remarkable contributions to our community. We look forward to supporting your generous, life changing philanthropy that has enriched and improved the lives of our friends and neighbors for the past 50 years and will continue to do so for generations to come.

*Jeannamarie Cox, Executive Director,
Art Boulet, President, and
Matt Denman, Treasurer*



We kick off the next 50 years in our new home.

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