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Angola Rotary Club Establishes \$100,000 Scholarship Endowment

The Angola Rotary Club recently presented a \$25,000 check to the Steuben County Community Foundation. The contribution was added to the Angola Rotary Club Scholarship Fund which now hosts an endowment balance of over \$100,000. The Angola Rotary Club was established in 1919 to further the mission of Rotary International. Rotary is a service organization that brings together business and professional leaders in order to provide humanitarian services, encourage high ethical standards and to advance goodwill and peace around the world. There are 34,282 member clubs worldwide with 1.2 million Rotarians.

The Angola Rotary Club started an endowment fund at the Community Foundation in 1997. Since then, many contributions have been made to the fund by community Rotarians and from proceeds of the club's annual golf outing. The Community Foundation will be managing scholarship awards made from the Angola Rotary Club Scholarship Fund beginning in Spring 2016.

"The Community Foundation is pleased to help the Angola Rotary Club continue to award scholarships to students pursuing secondary education," said Jennifer Danic, President and CEO of the Community Foundation. "We look forward to managing the Angola Rotary Club Scholarship and appreciate the many donors who have contributed to this fund over the past 20 years."

"Our club is excited to establish this fund for the benefit of Steuben County students and our community," says Fred Beck, current President of the Angola Rotary Club. "Angola Rotary is now working to develop a benevolent fund to benefit widows of veterans in our community. Anyone interested in becoming a Rotarian or joining this new effort should contact the Angola Rotary Club."

Applications for the Angola Rotary Club Scholarship Fund, among others, can be found at www.steubenfoundation.org/scholarships.

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About the Steuben County Community Foundation

Through philanthropic services, strategic investments and community leadership, Steuben County Community Foundation helps people support the causes they care about, now and for generations to come. The Steuben County Community Foundation is a nonprofit organization with assets totaling more than \$25 million. Our vision: Serving as a community leader and improving the quality of life by assessing, supporting and coordinating philanthropic giving and endowment building. Our mission: Connecting people who care with needs that matter to our community. For more information on the Foundation, visit www.steubenfoundation.org.