



Trout Lake Community Foundation

Post Office Box 322 ▪ Trout Lake, WA 98650

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The Community Foundation History

Board Of Directors

Jeff Baker, Attorney, resident of Trout Lake for 10 years

Cliff Bennett, Retired US Forest Service Employee, resident of Trout Lake for 24 years

Monica Garrett, Secretary, Co-Owner of Garrett Sign Co., resident of Trout Lake for 6 years

Paul Garrett, Co-Owner of Garrett Sign Company, resident of Trout Lake for 6 years

Martha Hylton, Chair, Co-Owner of Elk Meadows Park, resident of Trout Lake for 20 years

Sharon Lee, Self employed, resident of Trout Lake for 10 years

Bettina McCuiston, resident of Trout Lake for 77 years

Coralee Warner, Treasurer, Accountant, resident of Trout Lake for 23 years

Kathy White, Vice-Chair, Accountant, resident of Trout Lake for 20 years

Our Organization

In 1999 several residents of Trout Lake came together with a common goal of helping local students further their education by providing financial assistance. Based on this goal, Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws were adopted resulting in the formation of the Trout Lake Community Foundation. The Foundation is a non-profit corporation registered in the State of Washington and has Federal non-profit status. A volunteer Board of Directors governs, oversees fund raising projects, dispenses funds, and guides the future direction of the Foundation. The Board operates independently of the Trout Lake School Board.

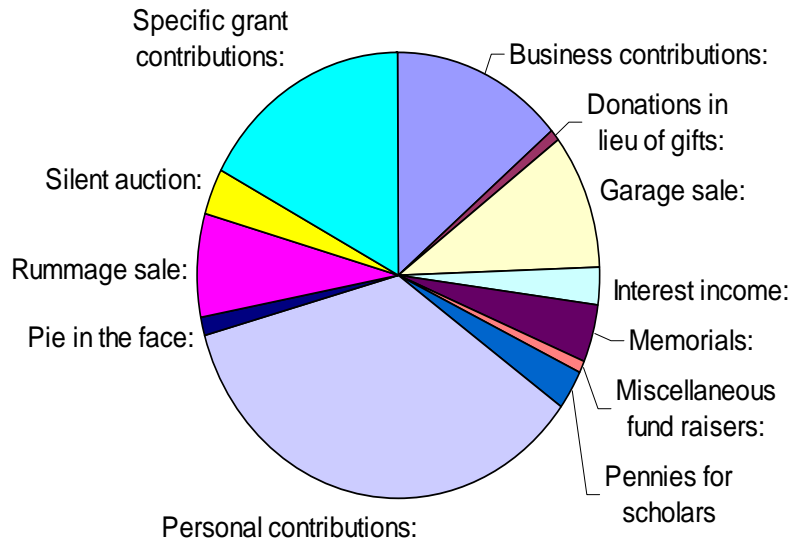
Our Mission

The primary objective of the Trout Lake Community Foundation is to provide scholarships for post secondary education and career training. The Foundation recognizes that further education is a necessity in today's world and that without financial assistance many students face difficulties in realizing their dreams. Recipients of the financial aid may be graduating seniors, students who need aid to complete their post secondary education, and community members whose situation warrants a career change.

Our Goal

Trout Lake is a small community with a population of approximately 700. The Trout Lake School, as a separate K-12 school district, is charged with educating fewer than 200 students. Graduating classes average 10-20 students. Many of these students are well prepared for college or trade schools, but lack the funds necessary to help ensure their success. The Community Foundation recognizes the ever-increasing number of graduates who leave the valley to further their education. Our desire is to help these students meet their goals by providing financial assistance. Ultimately our goal is to be able to provide a scholarship opportunity for every graduating student that desires to pursue post-high school education or training. At the present time the size of our investment fund allows us to utilize only interest earned for scholarships while growing the principal for future recipients.

The help we seek to provide will allow those students, who wish to make a difference in their own lives, achieve success.



Financial Information

Our present investment fund has a balance of \$30,659. Since the Foundation’s inception our assets have grown from the following sources:

- Business contributions: \$5,000
- Donations in lieu of gifts: \$320
- Garage sale: \$3,522
- Interest Income: \$998
- Memorials: \$1,450
- Miscellaneous fund raisers: \$346
- Pennies for scholars: \$957
- Personal contributions: \$12,800
- Pie in the face: \$509
- Rummage sale: \$2,678
- Silent auction: \$1,196
- Specific grant contributions: \$6,200

To date the Foundation has awarded \$4,850 in scholarships and spent \$467 in operating expenses. The remainder of our funds have been invested in order to provide future monetary awards.

“Every student with the ability and desire should have the opportunity to pursue a college education or other vocational training after high school graduation, and our goal is to provide that opportunity. “

Scholarships Awarded

Thanks! Your gifts have made a dream become reality. Thank you for your support of our fund raising activities, for your generous gifts, and your positive encouragement to make this all happen! Since the inception of the Foundation, the following Trout Lake High School graduates have applied for and received scholarships:

Erica Padilla	\$1,000	Michael Sanford	\$2,000
Keith Whigham	\$500	Sarah Black	\$500
Jay Beeks	\$650	Jaime Schmid	\$200



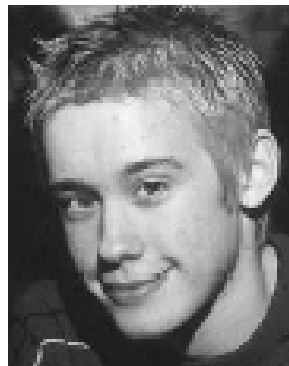
Jaime Schmid
Oregon State University
Agriculture



Sarah Black
Central Seattle Community College
Computer Science



Jay Beeks
Wyoming Technical Institute
Business Automotive



Michael Sanford
Heald College
Business Technology



Erika Padilla
Clark College
Business



Keith Whigham
University of California Santa Barbara
Sports Therapy Psychology

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- **February-**
Pie in the Face
Paul Garrett (509) 395-2001
Cliff Bennett (509) 395-2297
- **April/May-**
Pennies for Scholars
Sharon Lee (509) 395-3690
- **August-**
Silent Auction
Kathy White (509) 395-2585
Martha Hylton (509) 395-2843
- **September-**
Rummage Sale
Coralee Warner (509) 395-2561

HOW YOU CAN HELP!

Contributions can be made to the Trout Lake Community Foundation by check or pledge. An individual or corporate contribution of time and/or the expertise to support The Foundation would be greatly appreciated.

Other forms of donations include:

- ⇒ Naming the Foundation in a will.
- ⇒ Naming the Foundation as a beneficiary of a life insurance policy.
- ⇒ Memorials
- ⇒ Contributions in lieu of celebratory gifts (i.e. weddings, anniversaries, etc.).
- ⇒ Remembrances in lieu of flowers.

Acknowledgements will be made to the donors, as well as to the bereaved, when applicable. Your donation is tax deductible.

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YES, I WOULD LIKE TO SUPPORT THE WORK OF THE TROUT LAKE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

- Please accept my donation in the enclosed amount of \$_____ .
Tax deductible checks should be made payable to the Trout Lake Community Foundation.
- I would like to discuss a planned gift or pledge. Please contact me with additional information.
- I am happy to volunteer my time and talent! Give me a call to discuss how I may be of help.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

PLEASE DETACH AND MAIL TO:

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