

Fall 2022 Grantees by Program Area

The Longwood Foundation is a catalyst to strengthen nonprofit organization. These grantees are working to better serve their communities, and improve quality of life, in the state of Delaware and Kennett Square, Pennsylvania. We are excited to announce the 46 Fall 2022 grantees.



The image above was taken at the Grantee Celebration on December 9, 2022, at Longwood Gardens. Together, we celebrated their awards and built connections amongst all.

Brandywine Battlefield Park Associates

\$15,000 to support operations of the Living History Initiative, an effort to engage participants in active learning of the Battle of the Brandywine.

Brandywine Conservancy and Museum of Art

\$600,000 to redevelop and expand the Museum's main entrance courtyard.

Calliope Project – Milton Theatre

\$500,000 to support their capital campaign for building expansion and upgrades.

Capital Ringers

\$19,000 in general operating support.

Delaware Theatre Company

\$450,000 in marketing and capital support, as well as to hire a Community Engagement Specialist.

Downtown Milford

\$20,000 to support their efforts to create a plan to acquire the Vineyard Shipyard site and convert it into a working museum focused on the maritime history of the Delaware Bay area.

Hagley Museum and Library

\$250,000 in capital support towards their building automations systems renovation.

Kent Chamber Choir

\$6,000 in general operating support.

The Music School of Delaware

\$200,000 to support their capacity building efforts and fundraising initiative.

Delaware Public Media

\$275,000 to expand their reach with capital and marketing support.

Delaware Skills Center

\$90,000 to hire a Business Development Coordinator.

DETV Foundation

\$800,000 to support expanding capacity, coverage, and reach using DETV news platforms, community programming, and technology.

NerdiT Cares

\$200,000 to hire an Executive Director and capital support for their new headquarters.

Spur Impact Association

\$600,000 to support Delaware Gives Day, capacity building, and technology upgrades.

Sussex Sports Center Foundation

\$250,000 to support the building of a fieldhouse at the Sandhill Fields complex which will provide an indoor space for sports practices and exercise during inclement weather and winter months.

The Challenge Program

\$700,000 to support their new social enterprise furniture business, which supports their training program for youth with significant barriers to employment.

The Newark Partnership

\$100,000 to support Newark NOW, a program that will support recent University of Delaware Horn Program graduates.

The Philanthropy Roundtable

\$50,000 to support their operations.

Tri-State Bird Rescue and Research

\$40,000 to support their effort to hire an Education and Outreach Coordinator.

EDUCATION

Academia Antonia Alonso

\$600,000 to support their move to a new location in Newark.

Archmere Academy

\$250,000 to support their capital campaign for building renovations and upgrades.

Delaware Charter Schools Network

\$250,000 to support their efforts to advocate for tuition funding for Charter School Network students.

Freire Foundation

\$1,375,000 to support their capital campaign for an athletic facility for their students.

Newark Charter School

\$1,000,000 to capital campaign for the addition of arts and athletic facilities.

UP for Learning

\$155,000 to support youth leadership development and student voice projects

ENVIRONMENT

Nanticoke Watershed Alliance

\$89,000 to hire a Restoration Coordinator to provide technical expertise on water quality improvement projects in southern rural towns.

The Nature Conservancy

\$244,300 to support the planning for resiliency projects concerning nature-based strategies to increase the resilience of coastal ecosystems and vulnerable human communities in Delaware.

HOUSING

Family Promise of Northern New Castle County

\$500,000 towards capital support for their planned facility expansion to support additional families experiencing homelessness.

Good Samaritan Services

\$284,000 to launch their housing and wrap around services program for men experiencing homelessness in Kennett Square.

HEALTH & HOSPITALS

Christiana Care Health Services

\$400,000 to support system enhancements that improve their surgeons' skills, mastery and proficiency to reduce the possibility of patient harm.

Exceptional Care for Children

\$2,000,000 to support their capital expansion that will serve their medically fragile teenage population and support the formalization of a transitional care program for teens and young adults.

SOCIAL SERVICES

4 Youth Productions

\$160,000 to support capacity building and create a three-year strategic plan.

A Better Chance for Our Children

\$163,000 to support the hire of a Director of Development and a Post Permanency Specialist to support families who are providing permanency to children through adoption or guardianship.

Beau Biden Foundation

\$125,000 to develop and deploy a trauma and violence prevention workshop for in school faculty and youth-serving professionals across the state of Delaware.

SOCIAL SERVICES (continued)

Children's Beach House

\$600,000 to support capacity building toward their, state-wide Youth Development Programs and their expansion of services into Milton, Delaware.

Connecting Generations

\$150,000 to support the evaluation of their programs which provide mentoring and social emotional learning programs to children.

Culture Restoration Project

\$250,000 to support capacity building and culturally competent educational and arts-based programs and services that build culturally aware, self-reliant youth leaders and communities in Wilmington.

Green Beret Project

\$200,000 to support capacity building efforts.

Harper's Heart

\$200,000 to support capacity building efforts.

Kind to Kids Foundation

\$600,000 to support UGrad Academy, which aids foster students towards achieving in school at each grade level, obtaining a high school degree and succeeding in college, trade school, or a career upon graduation.

Meet Me at The Well

\$67,700 to support capacity building, general operations, and funding for emergency shelter for human trafficking survivors in a short-term rental capacity.

Neighborhood House

\$31,000 to support renovation of their counseling and administration office carpet and flooring.

Shatterproof

\$364,132 to support their ATLAS website in Delaware, which provides a quality measurement system for substance use disorder treatment facilities that helps users search for and compare addiction treatment facilities to find care. Funding will also support the launch of a stigma reduction campaign.

The Garage Community and Youth Center

\$200,000 to support Youth Wellness Development Programs.

Unite for HER

\$206,289 to support the provision their wellness program to patients in Delaware facing early breast cancer, metastatic breast cancer, and ovarian cancer.

UrbanPromise Ministries

\$250,000 to support a capital campaign across their sites.