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ENRICHING LIVES 2017 GRANTS REPORT

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MEMBER OF NASHOBA LEARNING GROUP'S ADULT PROGRAM PARTICIPATING IN TRAINING.

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OUR HISTORY

Founded by Tom and Jean Yawkey, the Yawkey Foundations have awarded more than 4,800 grants totaling \$453 million to nonprofit organizations serving the people of New England and Georgetown County, South Carolina, since 1977.

For more information about Tom and Jean Yawkey and the Yawkey Foundations, please visit the Foundations' website at www.yawkeyfoundations.org.

OUR MISSION

The Trustees of the Yawkey Foundations are committed to continuing the legacy of Tom and Jean Yawkey by making significant and positive impacts on the quality of life for children, families, and the underserved in the areas that the Yawkeys called home: New England and Georgetown County, South Carolina.

Chairman and President's Message



Dear Friends,

It's impossible not to think of the Boston Red Sox whenever Tom or Jean Yawkey's names are mentioned. After all, they owned the iconic team for more than half a century. The legacy of the Yawkeys and the Red Sox are very much intertwined.

For those of us who were privileged to know Tom and Jean personally, for those of us who work at the Yawkey Foundations, and for those many individuals whose lives have been touched by their generosity, the names Tom and Jean Yawkey bring to mind a second legacy: deep and unwavering generosity to the people of Boston, New England, and Georgetown County, South Carolina.

Since 1977, through the work of their Yawkey Foundations, the Yawkeys have granted more than \$450 million to hundreds of organizations, enriching the lives of thousands of people.

The Trustees of the Yawkey Foundations have sought to emulate Tom and Jean's tradition of giving – of walking alongside people and organizations as they work to address problems and alleviate suffering. We work to continue Tom and Jean's legacy by supporting the causes and interests that were so important to them.

When we remember the Yawkeys, we remember Tom Yawkey's actions after learning that a Red Sox scout's child had significant disabilities: he ensured the child had access to a supportive school. We think about Jean Yawkey taking an interest in an employee's child who was deaf and then quietly researching schools and paying the tuition so that the child would have the support he needed to be successful. We reflect on Tom and Jean's long association with Dr. Sidney Farber and the Jimmy Fund, and the commitments they made that helped transform Dr. Farber's laboratory at Boston Children's Hospital into what is now the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, one of the world's leading cancer institutes. We remember the Yawkeys' work with Tara Hall Home for Boys in Georgetown, South Carolina, and their instrumental role in the establishment of the Family Inn in Brookline, a home for families whose loved ones were receiving medical care at nearby hospitals.

These are some of the stories – of quiet philanthropy that made a difference in people's lives – that the Trustees of the Yawkey Foundations use to guide the Foundations' mission and grant making.

This approach gives us the opportunity to see and understand challenges that may not make the headlines. One area of special focus by both the Yawkeys and the Yawkey Foundations has been supporting individuals and families with disabilities. Since 2002, the Foundations have committed more than \$10 million to this initiative. Through this work, we have come to know the many organizations and families who are struggling with the significant reduction in public funding that happens when children with disabilities turn 22 years old. Every family, regardless of circumstances, wants the same things for their child – to contribute to the community through employment or volunteerism, to live in a supportive environment, and to have a network of peers. We recognize that providing these opportunities for children with disabilities as they age into adulthood is no easy task, but we owe it to all of these children and their families to provide them with the resources to ensure that they continue to have enriching lives.

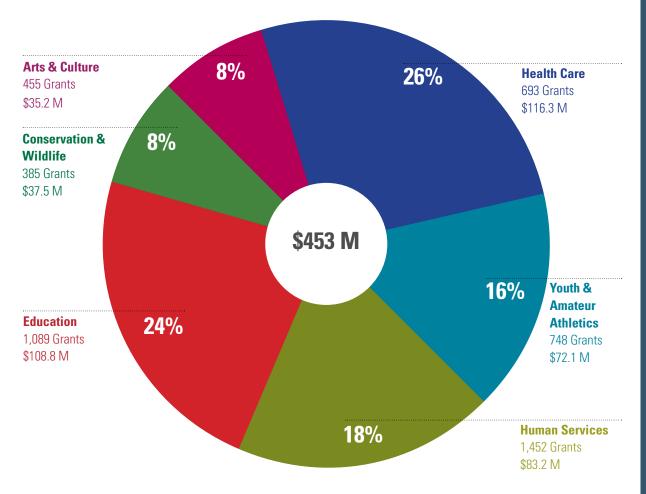
There are many organizations that work with children with disabilities, particularly as they age into adulthood. In this year's Grants Report we highlight four of them: Cardinal Cushing Centers, Melmark New England, Nashoba Learning Group, and Perkins School for the Blind. Each organization is trying to tackle the daunting task of preparing young adults with disabilities and their families for life after age 22. In all of these organizations there are dedicated staff members who are committed to creating fulfilling, happy, and successful days for these young adults. We meet them working in gardens, art studios, greenhouses, a radio station, and kitchens. We hear about their trips to museums, malls, grocery stores, and restaurants. We witness first-hand the commitment these organizations and their staff members have to enriching the lives of their students. We are honored to provide some of the support to help ensure their lives are as full and meaningful as possible.

We hope that you enjoy reading about these wonderful organizations. The Trustees of the Yawkey Foundations are honored to carry on Tom and Jean Yawkey's tradition of giving by making an impact on so many worthy organizations, which in turn have made life better for thousands of deserving people throughout our community. This is the Tom and Jean Yawkey we knew and we celebrate.

John L. Harrington Chairman and Trustee James P. Healey President and Trustee

THE YAWKEY LEGACY 1977 – 2017

\$453 MILLION / 4,822 GRANTS AWARDED



Enriching Lives for Adults with Disabilities



For many young men and women, turning 22 is a time of possibility – it can mean graduating from college, starting a job or moving out on one's own – generally beginning life as an adult.

But as Krista approached her 22nd birthday, her parents Tim and Nadine Mahoney were dreading the day.

Krista is on the autism spectrum. Since the age of 12, she had attended Melmark New England, a school with locations in Andover and Lawrence, Massachusetts, that provides services for students ages 3 to 22 with autism, as well as other intellectual and developmental disabilities and severe challenging behaviors.

In 2008, Krista turned 22. At the time, Melmark did not have a program for adults, so Krista had to leave the school and her parents had to find services elsewhere.

"Melmark prepared us," said Tim. "When Krista was 18 years old, the staff and teachers started talking to us about the transition to adult services. Quite honestly, it was scary."

This uncertainty is a feeling many parents of children with disabilities in Massachusetts deal with when their children reach their 22nd birthday. Before turning 22, children's educational needs are an entitlement under the Individuals with Disability Education Act and therefore the responsibility



500,000: The number of young adults with autism nationwide who will age out of publiclyfunded day programs and services over the next decade. (Source: Drexel University)



MEET KRISTA

Krista loves to shop and enjoys art.

She is in the adult day program at Melmark.

She lives with her friends in one of Melmark's residency programs.

She is 31 and will need support for the rest of her life.

of the Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education. After age 22, support for young adults with disabilities falls under the direction of the Department of Developmental Services whose funding stream is limited and therefore the financial resources and in turn services are often severely reduced.

For those with more significant—and expensive—needs, this change can be of great concern to families. Some refer to this sudden change as "falling off a cliff."

"The need for adults so far outweighs what's provided," said Larry Cancro, whose daughter Lisa also aged out of the student program at Melmark. "None of these kids did anything to hurt themselves. They were born needing everyone else's help."

There is currently no accurate way to measure the number of individuals in the state with complex medical and behavioral needs, such as autism. For those families, it can be a draining process, physically, emotionally and financially. Thankfully, there are programs, people and organizations that are working tirelessly to close the gap and continue to help individuals with disabilities live fulfilling lives.

The Yawkey Foundations have a long history – much of it dating back to Tom and Jean Yawkey's personal giving – of supporting schools and organizations that provide educational services to children with disabilities. Through that work and the relationships built over time, the Foundations have come to realize the challenges faced by families whose children have reached age 22, as well as the organizations that support them. This is a critical gap that needs to be addressed.



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The supports that have been established to ensure a quality of life need to be continued. Expert, highly trained staff can ensure that adults have access to jobs and can obtain the highest possible level of independence in the community."

Rita Gardner, President and CEO of Melmark New England

MEET ROBERT

Robert is 25 years old and has autism.

He loves to exercise and save money.

He works part-time at Whole Foods with staff from Nashoba Learning Group supporting him.

He wants to own an RV someday and travel the world.





"We fundraise, in part, to supplement the adult services, because the cost of care exceeds the amount of money available to help the adults Melmark has always been committed to serve. Melmark's commitment is for those adults with complex autism who have found success at Melmark. We make sure the most vulnerable in our community are served well," said Helena Maguire, Executive Director of Melmark.

Enriching Days Through Supportive Employment and Programs

Robert wants to travel.

The 25-year-old works part-time at Whole Foods and his dream is to buy an RV like the one he sees on his favorite TV show.

Desire to travel may seem like a fairly common dream, but it wasn't always a possibility for Robert. Robert has autism and is a participant in the adult program at Nashoba Learning Group (NLG) in Billerica, Massachusetts.



NLG was founded in 2002 to help children aged 3 to 22 with autism. The founders were a group of parents of children with autism and clinicians, including President and Clinical Director, Elizabeth Martineau.

As her son and his classmates at NLG approached their 22nd birthdays, it was clear that they would continue to need robust supportive programming if they were to be successful as adults. Unfortunately, they were about to lose funding for their services.

"We were working so hard to help develop functioning, independent adults but we knew they would need continued support after they turned 22," said Lauren Savioli, Program Director at NLG.

The Yawkey Foundations have supported NLG since its founding with grants totaling \$1.1 million. In 2013, with support from the Foundations, NLG created and expanded a program to serve adults over the age of 22, which includes people like Robert.

950: The number of students with disabilities in the special education system that the State of Massachusetts projects will be newly eligible for adult services in 2017.

(Source: Massachusetts Development Disabilities Council) Adult programs for individuals with disabilities who have more intensive needs require highly qualified and trained staff and require significant resources to allow these adults to function successfully in the program and in the community. NLG currently has 34 members in its adult program. While the program does receive state funding to support these individuals, the funding gap to provide the intensity of services needed is \$25,000 a year per member. For some individulas and organizations this gap is even higher. And unlike a school age program that has a graduation date, organizations such as NLG will be caring for some of these individuals for the rest of their lives.

"When you turn 22, you don't stop learning," said Savioli. "You can still advance your skills and advance your life and still work towards becoming an independent, successful adult."

Providing services for adults with disabilities and more intensive needs can be an expensive proposition, and organizations that serve this population lean heavily on foundations such as the Yawkey Foundations to make ends meet.

Enriching Lives Through Employment Opportunities

At Cardinal Cushing Centers, just off Route 53 in Hanover, Massachusetts there are quaint shops run by students in the school program and frequented by locals. There is a greenhouse with a small chicken coop. Further back from the road, the smell of fresh baked goods wafts out from a café. There is also a gift shop where items created by students and adults are sold.



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The need for adults so far outweighs what's provided. None of these kids did anything to hurt themselves. They were born needing everyone else's help."

Larry Cancro, Melmark New England Parent

MEET SOPHIE

Sophie turns 22 in May 2018.

She has attended Cardinal Cushing Centers since elementary school.

She works part-time at a sports-entertainment complex.

She understands a change is coming.



Jody Nash knew the school would be the perfect environment for her daughter Sophie. Sophie has cognitive disabilities and when her family visited Cardinal Cushing there was an instant connection.

"When we were walking around, not only did the students stop and say hi, but every staff member did also," said Jody. "There are staff who have been here for 30 and 35 years. To me, the campus seems more like a caring neighborhood. People truly want to be here."

Sophie is now 21 and Jody is bracing for the transition that will come as a result of her graduation from Cardinal Cushing. Sophie's family has secured her a safe, stable living situation, but Jody knows there will be a lot of trial and error as her daughter gets used to the adult world.



While Cardinal Cushing does have an adult program for students after they turn 22, not every individual they support as a student will receive funding to continue on as an adult. Regardless of their funding situation, Cardinal Cushing works very hard to ensure that its students and their families are prepared for their transition. The organization is in the midst of a capital campaign that will result in a brand new Marketplace Building along Route 53. The Yawkey Foundations supported this effort with a \$500,000 grant. Once completed, the new building will feature a café, thrift store and gift shop — which will provide job training and employment opportunities for students. The program is designed to prepare students for paid employment opportunities with businesses in the community. The hope is to turn the quaint shops into vibrant, profitable businesses. Adults with disabilities will staff the shops in the afterschool hours.

While individuals served by institutions like Cardinal Cushing, Melmark and NLG have a wide range of capabilities, the importance of these community connections is paramount for each of the organizations.

"All parents want their child to feel proud and successful and accomplished. And I think for each family that success looks slightly different," said NLG's Savioli.



Enriching Lives with Stable Residency Programs

Krista's parents felt she was safe in the group home where she was placed after aging out of Melmark's school-aged program. Over time, however, she began to lose some of the life skills she had learned. She also didn't get to go out as often as she was used to (Krista loves to go shopping).

"She's the type of person who likes being around people," said her mother, Nadine. "We saw a change in her behavior almost immediately."

The Yawkey Foundations have supported Melmark for many years and in 2016 provided a \$2 million grant to support the construction of four

residences for Melmark students. In addition, the Foundations have been supportive as the organization worked to establish a solution for their students as they aged out of the school program.

Eventually Krista's parents were able to enroll her into Melmark's adult residency program, which opened in 2012, followed by their adult day program in 2015.

"Krista comes home from time to time," added Tim. "She's happy to come home, but she's usually even happier to go back mostly because all of her friends are there. At age 31, people don't necessarily want to live with their parents and Krista is no different."

"When someone turns 22, autism doesn't end," said Rita Gardner, President and CEO of Melmark. "The supports that have been established to ensure a quality of life need to be continued. Expert, highly trained staff can ensure that adults have access to jobs and can obtain the highest possible level of independence in the community."

The adult program provides Lisa, Krista and their peers with opportunities – and a stable, nurturing environment where they can thrive.



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Helena Maguire, Executive Director of Melmark New England

MEET NICK

Nick starred as the Tin Man in the *Wizard of Oz* at his high school.

He has skied with New England Disabled Sports.

His favorite programs at Perkins are theater week and Camp Abilities.

He will graduate from high school in June and start college in the fall.



"Institutions like Melmark make a big difference, people who care make a big difference," said Larry. "And what I'm finding is, Lisa has a good life. Lisa does a lot of things. She's happy."

Enriching Lives Beyond the Classroom

While the cliff that young people with autism encounter at 22 can be massively disruptive, the transition from school-age to adult services affects many young people with other disabilities.

Perkins School for the Blind in Watertown, Massachusetts, provides a number of enrichment programs designed both to help visually impaired students from infancy to age 22 prepare for the working world, and to give them access to new experiences. For many years, the Yawkey Foundations have supported Perkins' Outreach Courses with grants of more than \$500,000. These courses include activities such as health and wellness programs, cooking classes and working at a radio station.

"Often these courses bring students who wouldn't typically come to Perkins for school but have a need to be engaged with other students who are blind or visually impaired," said Ed Bosso, Perkins' Superintendent and Executive Director of Educational Programs.

Every student is expected to leave high school with a strong grasp of core subjects such as math, language arts, science, and history. But in order to eventually live and work independently, students who are blind or visually impaired learn an additional set of skills that Perkins calls the "expanded core curriculum" — skills such as social interaction, career education, and communication modes such as Braille.





Nick, a senior in high school, has participated in a number of Perkins' Outreach Courses, including theater and Camp Abilities Boston, which is part of a national program for students who are visually impaired to explore athletics through adaptations that make many sports accessible.

Nick also participated in a five-week course that focused on life skills, giving the 17-year-old a boost of confidence. Nick is on a college-bound track and hopes to one day attend law school. Many of the skills taught through workforce prep programs will be applicable throughout his entire life.

"These programs have really helped me gain confidence in my mobility skills," said Nick.

Despite the young man's confidence and capability, his mother Allison is still concerned.

"I'm a little nervous about what happens when he

graduates," she said. "The programs my son has participated in at Perkins have given him invaluable experience."

Honoring a Legacy

Throughout their lives, Tom and Jean Yawkey never forgot the community's most vulnerable citizens and understood their challenges and needs. This understanding guided the Yawkeys' philanthropic leadership with many organizations throughout Massachusetts, New England, and Georgetown, South Carolina. For eight decades, Tom and Jean Yawkey – and now the Yawkey Foundations – have supported organizations such as Cardinal Cushing, Melmark, Nashoba Learning Group, Perkins, and many others to provide enriching programs for thousands of individuals to help them live fulfilling lives. This is Tom and Jean Yawkey's legacy, a legacy that continues today.



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Lauren Savioli, Program Director at Nashoba Learning Group

YAWKEY foundations

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YAWKEY FOUNDATION I

January 1 – December 31, 2017

Anti-Defamation League	Boston, MA	\$ 10,000	Education and community programs
Archdiocese of Boston	Braintree, MA	\$ 25,000	Human service programs
Beaver Country Day School	Chestnut Hill, MA	\$ 10,000	Scholarship program for disadvantaged students
Bethany Health Care Center	Framingham, MA	\$ 10,000	Health and human service programs
Boone County Community Foundation	Charleston, WV	\$ 25,000	Human service programs
Boy Scouts of America/ Coastal Carolina Council, BSA	North Charleston, SC	\$ 10,000	Scouting program supporting more than 450 young people from Georgetown County
Campaign for Catholic Schools	Braintree, MA	\$ 25,000	Yawkey Teaching Excellence Award for teachers at Saint John Paul II Academy
Cape Cod Healthcare	Hyannis, MA	\$ 5,000	Health care services
Catholic Charities	Boston, MA	\$ 5,000	Human service programs
Clemson University	Clemson, SC	\$ 105,000	Research and collaboration between the Tom Yawkey Wildlife Center and Clemson University
Dana-Farber Cancer Institute	Boston, MA	\$ 100,000	Cancer research, patient education, and legal assistance programs
aglebrook School	Deerfield, MA	\$ 60,000	Scholarship program for disadvantaged students at boys school for students in grades 6-9
ckhart Tolle Foundation	Louisville, KY	\$ 10,000	Programs to support incarcerated individuals, educators, students, and the elderly
Emmanuel College	Boston, MA	\$ 5,000	Scholarship program for disadvantaged students
xponent Philanthropy	Washington, DC	\$ 4,250	National grantmakers organization
riendship Place	Georgetown, SC	\$ 25,000	Food and support services for disadvantaged residents of Georgetown County, SC
lelping Hands and Hooves	Mattapoisett, MA	\$ 5,000	Therapeutic riding programs
lelping Hands of Georgetown	Georgetown, MA	\$ 25,000	Food and support services for disadvantaged students from Georgetown County, SC
litchcock Woods Foundation	Aiken, SC	\$ 10,000	Land conservation and management programs
lorry-Georgetown Technical College	Georgetown, SC	\$ 125,000	Allied health care scholarship program for disadvantaged students from Georgetown County, SC
lorry-Georgetown Technical College	Georgetown, SC	\$ 66,200	Forestry and wildlife management program

Kripalu Center for Yoga and Health	Stockbridge, MA	\$ 25,000	Programs for educational leaders and teachers
Learn Live Love	Scituate, MA	\$ 10,000	Support program for individuals and families dealing with cancer
Lee Memorial Health System Foundation	Ft Myers, FL	\$ 50,000	Oncology program for pediatric patients
Lowcountry Open Land Trust	Charleston, SC	\$ 25,000	Land conservation programs
Maryknoll Fathers and Brothers	Maryknoll, NY	\$ 5,000	Human service programs
Mattapoisett Land Trust	Mattapoisett, MA	\$ 10,000	Land conservation programs
Mount Holyoke College	South Hadley, MA	\$ 10,000	College athletic programs
My Brother's Keeper	North Easton, MA	\$ 5,000	Human service programs
Nature Conservancy of South Carolina	Mt. Pleasant, SC	\$ 35,000	Land conservation programs
New England Baptist Hospital	Boston, MA	\$ 5,000	Health care programs
New England Collegiate Baseball League	North Adams, MA	\$ 25,000	Summer collegiate baseball league
Pan-Mass Challenge	Needham, MA	\$ 125,000	Capacity building for Pan-Mass Challenge Kids Rides for cancer research
PEAK Grantmaking	Washington, DC	\$ 1,900	National grantmakers organization
Professional Baseball Scouts Foundation	Thousand Oaks, CA	\$ 10,000	Human service programs for disadvantaged adults
Rodman Ride for Kids	Foxboro, MA	\$ 5,000	Programs serving disadvantaged children in Massachusetts
Round the Bend Farm	Dartmouth. MA	\$ 25,000	Education and programming for children
Sacred Heart Church - Roslindale	Roslindale, MA	\$ 10,000	Renovation projects at school serving students in grades K-8
Sacred Heart Church - Weymouth	Weymouth, MA	\$ 10,000	Scholarship program for disadvantaged students
Smith Medical Clinic	Pawleys Island, SC	\$ 25,000	Health care programs for the disadvantaged residents of Georgetown County
St. Christopher's Children	Pawleys Island, SC	\$ 10,000	Orthodontic care for disadvantaged children.
St. Sebastian's School	Needham, MA	\$ 10,000	Scholarship program for disadvantaged students at boys school for students in grades 7-12
Stonehill College	Easton, MA	\$ 5,000	Scholarship program for disadvantaged students
Tara Hall Home for Boys	Georgetown, SC	\$ 225,000	Residential and educational center for at-risk boys
Tom Yawkey Wildlife Center	Georgetown, SC	\$ 1,023,932	Capital, maintenance, and education at the Tom Yawkey Wildlife Center
Xaverian Brothers High School	Westwood, MA	\$ 5,000	Scholarship program for disadvantaged students at boys school for students in grades 7-12
Yale University	New Haven, CT	\$ 50,000	Scholarship program for disadvantaged students
YAWKEY FOUNDATION I		\$ 2,411,2	82

GRAND TOTAL



Tom Yawkey Wildlife Center: Research Partnership with Clemson University

Located on more than 24,000 acres in Georgetown County, South Carolina, the Tom Yawkey Wildlife Center includes miles of sandy beaches, maritime forests, longleaf pine uplands, marshes, and wetlands that serve as a wildlife refuge and natural habitat for hundreds of animal and plant species. As envisioned by Tom Yawkey, the Wildlife Center is fully funded by the Yawkey Foundations and serves as an outdoor laboratory and research center and educational research center used by biologists, researchers, and students from across the country. In 2014, the Wildlife Center and Clemson University entered into a research partnership that emphasizes natural resource and wildlife conservation as key components of their missions.

Key Highlights

- Established and continued 10 separate wildlife research projects.
- Created or maintained over 30 collaborative research and education partnerships.
- Published 23 peer-reviewed scientific research articles.

EDUCATION

In 2017, the Yawkey Foundations:

- Provided nearly \$1.7 million in scholarship and capital renovation support to middle and secondary schools providing educational opportunities for underserved students.
- Welcomed 33 new students to the Yawkey Scholars Program which has provided more than \$11 million in tuition and support to nearly 300 underserved college students since 2005.
- Awarded more than 100 nonprofit internship fellowships for underserved college students from Boston University, Yale University, Bentley University and Merrimack College to work at local nonprofit organizations.



YAWKEY FOUNDATION II: EDUCATION

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Higher Education				
Agganis Foundation	Lynn	\$	50,000	Scholarship program for student athletes from Greater Boston
Bentley University	Waltham	\$	100,000	Nonprofit internship program for undergraduate students enrolled in Bentley's Service Learning and Civic Engagement Center
Boston University	Boston	\$	4,000,000	Construction of the student services center and support for nonprofit internship program for undergraduate students
Francis Ouimet Scholarship Fund	Norton	\$	50,000	John McCafferty Scholarship Program for disadvantaged students from Boston
Jackie Robinson Foundation	New York, NY	\$	80,000	Jackie Robinson scholarship, mentoring, and leadership program for minority college students
Merrimack College	North Andover	\$	25,000	Support for nonprofit internship program
Regis College	Weston	\$	10,000	Scholarship support for disadvantaged students
Yawkey Scholars Program/ The Philanthropic Initiative		\$	1,268,497	Scholarship program for disadvantaged students from Massachusetts and South Carolina
Higher Education		\$	5,583,497	
Middle and Secondary Schools		•••		
Blessed Stephen Bellesini Academy	Lawrence	\$	25,000	Scholarship support for tuition-free school for disadvantaged students
Cathedral High School	Boston	\$	250,000	Renovation project at school serving students in grades 7-12
Catholic Memorial School	West Roxbury	\$	25,000	Scholarship program for disadvantaged students at school serving boys in grades 7-12
Catholic Schools Foundation	Boston	\$	100,000	Leadership training program for current and future Catholic school principals and board members
Cristo Rey Boston High School	Boston	\$	25,000	Scholarship program for disadvantaged high school students
Esperanza Academy	Lawrence	\$	25,000	Scholarship support for tuition-free school for disadvantaged girls

Fontbonne Academy	Milton	\$ 250,000	Renovation of auditorium space at school serving girls in grades 7-12
Foundation to Advance Catholic Education	Fall River	\$ 25,000	Scholarship program for disadvantaged children in Fall River, New Bedford, Taunton, and Cape Cod
Immaculate Conception Parish	Lowell	\$ 30,000	Academic and equipment upgrades at school serving children in grades K-8
Mother Caroline Academy & Education Center	Dorchester	\$ 25,000	Capacity building grant for tuition-free school for girls in grades 4-8 serving Boston families with limited resources
Nativity Boston	Jamaica Plain	\$ 50,000	Scholarship support for tuition-free, Jesuit school for low-income boys in grades 4-8
Notre Dame Cristo Rey High School	Lawrence	\$ 50,000	Scholarship support for disadvantaged students
St. Mary's High School	Lynn	\$ 25,000	Guidance and counseling support program
Jrsuline Academy	Dedham	\$ 750,000	Construction and renovation for school serving girls in grades 7-12
Middle and Secondary Schools		\$ 1,655,000	
Adult Education Programs		 	
Benjamin Franklin Institute of Technology	Boston	\$ 50,000	Scholarship program for disadvantaged adults completing technical education programs
Boston Higher Education Resource Center	Boston	\$ 25,000	Literacy and skills programs for disadvantaged adults
Catholic Charities	Brockton	\$ 25,000	Literacy and skills programs for immigrants and disadvantaged adults
Curry College	Milton	\$ 50,000	Scholarship program for disadvantaged adults
Endicott College	Beverly	\$ 25,000	Scholarship program for single parents and their children in the Keys to Degrees program
Immigrant Learning Center	Malden	\$ 25,000	Literacy and skills program for immigrants and disadvantaged adults
nternational Institute of New England	Boston	\$ 25,000	Literacy and skills program for immigrants and disadvantaged adults
rish International Immigrant Center	Boston	\$ 50,000	Literacy and skills programs for immigrants and disadvantaged adults
Labouré College	Milton	\$ 75,000	Scholarships for disadvantaged adults and purchase of classroom medical equipment



Year Up Educational Programs for Youth Ages 18 to 24

Year Up Greater Boston delivers an employment training program coupled with a corporate internship that prepares underserved young adults, ages 18 to 24, for entry-level roles with leading employers, as well as their pursuit of continued higher education. The Yawkey Foundations have supported Year Up since 2004 with grants totaling \$250,000.

Key Highlights

- Year Up operates in 21 cities nationwide and has served 19,500 young adults since its inception in 2001.
- Year Up Greater Boston has served 4,280 students since 2001.
- 88% of graduates are employed and/or enrolled in postsecondary education within four months of completing the program.
- Employed Year Up graduates earn an average of \$18 per hour — the equivalent of \$36,000 per year.

Lesley University	Cambridge	\$	25,000	Scholarship support for disadvantaged adults enrolled in Lesley's Center for Adult Learners
Mujeres Unidas Avanzando	Dorchester	\$	25,000	Literacy and skills program for disadvantaged adults
Project Hope	Roxbury	\$	50,000	Adult basic education programs for homeless and low-income women
Regis College	Weston	\$	25,000	Scholarships for disadvantaged adults enrolled in the Upward Mobility/RN to BS program
Wentworth Institute of Technology	Boston	\$	50,000	Scholarship support to provide tuition and books to disadvantaged adult students completing bachelors degree programs
Year Up	Boston	\$	100,000	Education and employment-training program for disadvantaged young adults, ages 18-24
Adult Education Programs		\$	625,000	
Youth Academic Development		• • • •		
Action for Boston Community Development	Boston	\$	50,000	Academic programs for at-risk students
Babson College	Wellesley	\$	25,000	Entrepreneurial program for disadvantaged students
Black Ministerial Alliance	Roxbury	\$	200,000	Academic enrichment program for disadvantaged students
Boston After School & Beyond	Boston	\$	25,000	Boston Summer Learning Project for high-need students
Boston Higher Education Resource Center	Boston	\$	25,000	Academic enrichment program for disadvantaged students
The Labouré Center	South Boston	\$	10,000	Youth academic tutoring program
Citizen Schools	Boston	\$	25,000	STEM program for students from low-income communities in Boston and Chelsea
Generation Excel Youth Development Program	Jamaica Plain	\$	150,000	Education support services for high-risk youth
SquashBusters	Roxbury	\$	25,000	Academic and mentoring program for disadvantaged students
Trinity Boston Foundation	Boston	\$	25,000	Education and mentoring program for disadvantaged students at risk of dropping out of school
YWCA of Southeastern Massachusetts	New Bedford	\$	25,000	Education and support program for at-risk children
Youth Academic Development		\$	585,000	
EDUCATION TOTAL		\$8	8,448,497	



HEALTH CARE

In 2017, the Yawkey Foundations:

- Made its 100th grant to the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute in honor of Tom Yawkey's outstanding dedication to the Jimmy Fund during his tenure as owner of the Boston Red Sox – a relationship that spans more than six decades starting in 1953.
- Awarded \$10 million to Georgetown Memorial Hospital in Georgetown, South Carolina that Tom and Jean Yawkey helped found in the 1940s.
- Awarded \$500,000 to Boston Medical Center to support capacity building.

YAWKEY FOUNDATION II: HEALTH CARE

January 1 – December 31, 2017

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Roxbury	\$	25,000	Programs for at-risk youth facing significant health issues
Boston	\$	50,000	Navigation program to support patients of Chinese origin designed to enhance patient understanding of cancer treatment programs
Cambridge	\$	25,000	School-based cavity prevention program for disadvantaged children in schools across Massachusetts
South Weymouth	\$	25,000	Ambulatory transport system for infants born prematurely
Providence, RI	\$	50,000	Enhancements to pediatric mental health services in hospital emergency department
Cambridge	\$	5,000	Emergency and specialized healthcare services for low income patients receiving care in the United States
Brighton	\$	25,000	Support for pediatric mental health screening and diagnostic services
Lebanon, NH	\$	25,000	Residence for families and patients receiving medical treatment at Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center
Plymouth	\$	25,000	Quality of life and comfort programs for critically ill children and their families during the course of illness, death and bereavement
Boston	\$	25,000	Residential support for families and patients who travel to Boston to receive long-term medical care at Children's Hospital.
Brockton	\$	25,000	Medical interpreter program for more than 16,000 Cape Verdean Creole, Brazilian Portuguese, Haitian Creole, French, and Spanish speaking patients
Boston	\$	50,000	Program to help pediatric families navigate the health care system
Framingham	\$	100,000	Expansion and construction of an activities center for elderly residents
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	\$1	,000,000	
Hyannis	\$	500,000	Expansion of emergency departments at Cape Cod Hospital and Falmouth Hospital
Boston	\$	500,000	Capacity building for the renovation and expansion of Boston Medical Center's Psychiatric Services facility
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Tufts Medical Center: Patient Navigation Program

Located in Boston's Chinatown, Tufts Medical Center is a 415-bed academic hospital. Since its founding in 1796, Tufts has provided medical relief to underserved populations and continues to serve a high-number of patients of Chinese origin. With the support of a \$300,000 grant from the Yawkey Foundations, Tufts designed a patient navigation program for Chinese patients who are receiving cancer treatment to assist with patient understanding and adherence to medical prescriptions and care.

Key Highlights

- Patient Navigators play a critical role as medical liaisons between patients of Chinese origin and the cancer care team.
- Bilingual signage, appointment sheets and medication calendars to improve patient understanding of treatment and follow-up.
- Over the past year, the program served 158 patients in more than 1,100 visits, a 50% increase over the prior year.

HUMAN SERVICES

In 2017, the Yawkey Foundations:

- Celebrated the ground breaking of the Dr. Lucy Sewall Center for Acute Treatment Services at the Dimock Center, supported in part by a \$2.5 million grant.
- Provided \$1.6 million in funding for food and shelter programs serving the most basic needs of individuals in our community.
- Granted more than \$1 million to organizations providing mentoring and supportive services to youth-at-risk throughout the City of Boston.



YAWKEY FOUNDATION II: HUMAN SERVICES

Boston Health Care for the Homeless Program	Boston	\$ 50,000	Health care and respite for homeless individuals
Caritas Communities	Braintree	\$ 35,000	Updates and renovation of affordable housing units in Dorchester
Casa Myrna Vasquez	Boston	\$ 25,000	Community support program for domestic and dating violence survivors throughout the Boston area
Community Servings	Jamaica Plain	\$ 25,000	Nutrition care to the acutely ill as well as essential nourishment for their dependents and caregivers
Family Aid Boston	Boston	\$ 25,000	Homelessness prevention and stabilization program for at-risk families
Father Bill's & MainSpring	Brockton	\$ 100,000	Accessibility improvement project at the MainSpring House emergency shelter in Brockton
Greater Boston Food Bank	Boston	\$ 100,000	Distribution of free, safe, healthy food to individuals and families who struggle to meet their basic needs throughout Eastern Massachusetts
Horizons for Homeless Children	Roxbury	\$ 25,000	Family support and partnership program
Housing Assistance Corporation	Hyannis	\$ 25,000	Housing programs and support services for homeless and low-income residents of Cape Cod, Nantucket and Martha's Vineyard
Lazarus House	Lawrence	\$ 50,000	Emergency shelter and food programs
Mission of Deeds	Reading	\$ 25,000	Beds, cribs, mattresses, and linen for families in need
My Brother's Keeper	Greater Brockton	\$ 100,000	Holiday program for disadvantaged individuals and families
My Brother's Keeper	Southeastern Massachusetts	\$ 500,000	Construction of facility for program that serves disadvantaged individuals and families in Southeastern Massachusetts
Pine Street Inn	Boston	\$ 150,000	Food, shelter and support programs
Rosie's Place	Boston	\$ 75,000	Food, shelter and support programs
School on Wheels of Massachusetts	East Bridgewater	\$ 25,000	Academic tutoring program for children experiencing homelessness
St. Francis House	Boston	\$ 50,000	Food, shelter and support programs
Massachusetts United for Puerto Rico Fund/The Boston Foundation	Boston	\$ 100,000	Relocation support for Puerto Ricans arriving in Boston and the Commonwealth as a result of the destruction from Hurricane Maria
The Charity Guild	Brockton	\$ 25,000	Food pantry program serving low-income and homeless individuals and families from Brockton and surrounding communities

Women's Lunch Place	Boston	\$	50,000	Food, shelter and support programs for disadvantaged and homeless women
Food and Shelter Programs		\$ '	I,560,000	
People with Disabilities				
Cardinal Cushing Centers	Hanover	\$	100,000	Support for the construction of vocational job training facility
Easter Seals Massachusetts	Worcester	\$	25,000	Leadership program for youth with disabilities
House of Possibilities	North Easton	\$	100,000	Respite programs for children and youth with significant disabilities
Melmark New England	Andover	\$ 2	2,000,000	Construction of residential campus for individuals with autism
Perkins School for the Blind	Watertown	\$	50,000	Outreach programs for visually impaired youth
People with Disabilities		\$2	2,275,000	
Youth at Risk		• • • •		
Bird Street Community Center	Dorchester	\$	25,000	Outreach and supportive programming for at-risk youth
Boston TenPoint Coalition	Roxbury	\$	75,000	Violence prevention and programming for at-risk youth
Bridge Over Troubled Waters	Boston	\$	175,000	Renovation of transitional housing facility for homeless youth
Catholic Charities/St. Peter's Teen Center	Dorchester	\$	25,000	Academic and recreational programming for youth
Project R.I.G.H.T.	Roxbury	\$	50,000	Outreach and community activities for high-risk youth
RFK Children's Action Corps	Boston	\$	50,000	Detention Diversion Program for disadvantaged young people
Roca	Chelsea	\$	75,000	Life skills programs for very high-risk young people ages 17-24
Rodman Ride for Kids	Foxboro	\$	75,000	Programs serving disadvantaged children in Massachusetts
Roxbury Presbyterian Social Impact Center	Roxbury	\$	25,000	Post-traumatic healing program that provides connection and support for individuals impacted by urban violence
Tara Hall Home for Boys	Georgetown, SC	\$	105,000	Purchase of a new generator system at residential and educational center for at-risk boys
The Center for Teen Empowerment	Roxbury	\$	25,000	Community leadership program for youth
The Home for Little Wanderers	Boston	\$	50,000	Guidance programs for children who are in or who have aged out of the foster care system
Trinity Boston Foundation	Boston	\$	25,000	Programs for at-risk students
United Teen Equality Center	Lowell	\$	25,000	Outreach and supportive programming for at-risk youth
Youth at Risk		\$	805,000	

Bridge Over Troubled Waters: Transitional Housing for Homeless Youth

Bridge Over Troubled Waters provides a variety of services for homeless youth including an emergency services day program and transitional housing. The Yawkey Foundations have been supporting Bridge since 2004 with grants totaling \$825,000, including a recent \$300,000 grant to support the renovation of two residences for homeless youth in Brighton.

Key Highlights

- Bridge serves more than 2,500 high-risk and homeless youth aged 14-24 each year.
- Bridge is the only Boston-area organization that provides a full continuum of age-appropriate services to homeless adolescent and young adults.
- The new Brighton residences can serve 46 homeless youth at any given time.
- These residences can serve up to 11 homeless young mothers with up to two babies per family.

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		21,500	Regional grantmakers organization
	\$ 2	285,000	
Roxbury	\$	50,000	Job training and skill development programs for impoverished, under-and unemployed adults
			Support for financial opportunity centers located in Boston, Lawrence Lynn, Chelsea, and Quincy
			with multiple sclerosis
			Renovation project at facility offering specialized care to individuals
			Work readiness and job training programs for disadvantaged adults Support for programs and work of the CSJ community
			Job training and support program for disadvantaged adults
			Programs and work of the Jesuit community
Boston			Education and training program for disadvantaged women
Boston			Human service programs
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Boston			One-to-one mentoring program for youth with disabilities
			Support to expand the quantity and quality of mentoring relationship for disadvantaged youth
			One-to-one mentoring programs for disadvantaged young women
			Mentoring program for disadvantaged children and youth
			Mentoring program for middle and high school students with intellectual disabilities
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YOUTH & AMATEUR ATHLETICS

In 2017, the Yawkey Foundations:

- Supported more than 25,000 disadvantaged and at-risk youth from Greater Boston who took part in summer camping and cultural and arts activities.
- Provided \$500,000 in youth recreation funding to organizations located in the City of Boston.
- Continued its longstanding tradition of supporting youth baseball programs, a history that dates back to the Yawkeys many years of Red Sox ownership.

YAWKEY FOUNDATION II: YOUTH & AMATEUR ATHLETICS

All Dorchester Sports and Leadership	Dorchester	\$ 25,000	Baseball and softball programs for disadvantaged children
American Legion Baseball	Greater Boston	\$ 10,000	Youth baseball programs
Boston Park League	Boston	\$ 50,000	Summer baseball league
Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket	Pawtucket, RI	\$ 30,000	Rookie league and RBI baseball programs for disadvantaged youth
Cape Cod Baseball League	Yarmouthport	\$ 50,000	Summer collegiate baseball league
Good Sports	Quincy	\$ 25,000	Baseball and softball equipment program for disadvantaged youth
Little League Baseball	Williamsport, PA	\$ 50,000	Online resources for coaches and administrators
Red Sox Foundation	Boston	\$ 25,000	Summer RBI baseball programs in Boston neighborhoods
South End Baseball League	Boston	\$ 20,000	Inner-city youth baseball and softball program
Yawkey Baseball League	Boston	\$ 25,000	Summer baseball league
Amateur Baseball Programs		\$ 310,000	
Youth Camp Programs		 	
Boston Baseball Camps	Boston	\$ 30,000	Summer baseball camp for disadvantaged children
Boys & Girls Clubs of Boston	Boston	\$ 25,000	Summer camp for disadvantaged children
Boys & Girls Clubs of Dorchester	Dorchester	\$ 5,000	Summer camp for disadvantaged children
Hale Reservation	Westwood	\$ 75,000	Restoration project at reservation that hosts summer camps serving more than 4,400 Greater Boston children
Jewish Community Centers of Greater Boston	Newton	\$ 25,000	Inclusive summer camp program for children with physical and developmental disabilities
Massachusetts 4-H Foundation	Framingham	\$ 25,000	Facility improvement projects at five summer camps
Ron Burton Training Village	Hubbardston	\$ 25,000	Summer camp program for disadvantaged children
Save the Harbor/Save the Bay	Boston	\$ 25,000	Summer environmental education program for youth
The Summer Fund	Boston	\$ 150,000	Quality summer camp and enrichment opportunities for disadvantaged children
United South End Settlements	Boston	\$ 25,000	Summer camp program for disadvantaged children
YMCA of Greater Boston	Boston	\$ 25,000	Aquatics program for disadvantaged children
		\$ 	



Youth Enrichment Services: Outdoor Adventure and Enrichment Program for Underserved Youth

Youth Enrichment Services (YES) provides year-round opportunities for outdoor and enrichment programs for underserved youth. A variety of program offerings includes skiing and outdoor adventures and track and field. All outdoor programs are coupled with mentoring and engagement programs designed to help Boston teens reach their full potential and achieve success. Topics covered include leadership training, girls' leadership, college preparation, and job training. The Yawkey Foundations have supported YES since 2002, with grants totaling \$1,125,000.

Key highlights

- Served 1,690 youth last year.
- Over the last five years, 100% of YES teens graduated from high school and enrolled in college.
- 100% of young people in YES' career preparation program completed the program with a job, internship, or summer academic plans at any given time.



Youth Recreation Programs			
Bay State Games	Woburn	\$ 50,000	Olympic-style amateur sports events for more than 5,000 athletes in 27 sports
Boys & Girls Clubs of Dorchester	Dorchester	\$ 75,000	After-school and summer recreation and sports programs for disadvantaged children
Boys & Girls Club of Brockton	Brockton	\$ 25,000	Recreation and sports programs for disadvantaged youth
Boys & Girls Clubs of Boston/ Yawkey Clubhouse	Roxbury	\$ 50,000	After-school and summer programming for disadvantaged children
Boy Scouts of America/ Old Colony Council	Canton	\$ 25,000	Scouting program for disadvantaged children in southeastern Massachusetts
Boy Scouts of America/ Spirit of Adventure Council	Woburn	\$ 25,000	Scouting program for disadvantaged children
Girl Scouts of Eastern Massachusetts	Boston	\$ 25,000	Scouting program for girls from underserved communities
Massachusetts Youth Committed to Winning	Boston	\$ 50,000	Educational-based athletic program for disadvantaged and at-risk youth from Boston's neighborhoods
Special Olympics of Massachusetts	Marlborough	\$ 25,000	Inclusive athletic and leadership program for children and youth with physical and developmental disabilities
Stonehill College	Easton	\$ 500,000	Construction and expansion of athletic complex
Youth Enrichment Services	Boston	\$ 75,000	Outdoor adventure and enrichment program for inner-city youth
Youth Recreation Programs		\$ 925,000	

YOUTH & AMATEUR ATHLETICS TOTAL \$1,670,000



ARTS & CULTURE

In 2017, the Yawkey Foundations:

- Provided more than \$2.6 million in capital grants to family museums in the city of Boston and beyond.
- Awarded \$600,000 to the EcoTarium in Worcester to support the construction of the new Wildcat Station and Education Area.
- Awarded \$100,000 to the Discovery Museum in Acton for the expansion and renovation of its facility.

Zoo New England: The Children's Zoo

Zoo New England recently completed the renovation of its Children's Zoo at the Franklin Park, designed to provide an opportunity for children and families to connect with animals and their habitats. The project aims to foster a basic understanding of interdependent communities, wildlife preservation and environmental stewardship. The Yawkey Foundations have been supporting Zoo New England since 2000 with grants totaling \$450,000, including a recent \$250,000 grant to support the renovation of the Children's Zoo.

Key Highlights

- Zoo New England's animal collection includes 1,340 animals representing 209 species.
- Nearly 600,000 people visited Zoo New England in 2017.
- Education programs served 246,450 visitors of all ages.
- Nearly 65,000 schoolchildren visited free of charge as part of scheduled school field trips.



YAWKEY FOUNDATION II: ARTS & CULTURE

Family Museums		 	
Children's Museum	Boston	\$ 250,000	Facility improvement project to restore the brick façade on the Yawkey Center for Children and Learning
EcoTarium	Worcester	\$ 300,000	Renovation and expansion project at science and education center, including a mountain lion exhibit, a multi-purpose educational area, and a wildlife care building
John F. Kennedy Library Foundation	Boston	\$ 50,000	Education and access programs for children
Museum of African American History	Boston	\$ 25,000	Capacity building to support education and history programs
Museum of Science	Cambridge	\$ 2,000,000	Renovation to museum lobby area and Charles River Gallery
National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum	Cooperstown, NY	\$ 200,000	Exhibitions, educational programs, outreach publications, and artifact preservation
New England Aquarium	Boston	\$ 25,000	Education and access programs for children, teachers, and families
Plimoth Plantation	Plymouth	\$ 25,000	Education and access programs for children from the Greater Brockton area
Sports Museum of New England	Boston	\$ 25,000	Museum dedicated to preserving and promoting New England sports history through exhibits, events and education programs
The Discovery Museum	Acton	\$ 100,000	Renovations, including accessibility, to science museum
USS Constitution Museum	Boston	\$ 25,000	Education and access programs for children, teachers, and families
USS Massachusetts Memorial Committee/Battleship Cove	Fall River	\$ 25,000	Exhibits and educational programming at historical naval museum
Zoo New England	Boston	\$ 25,000	Education and access programs for disadvantaged youth
Family Museums		\$ 3,075,000	
Children's Art Programs		 	
Boston Landmarks Orchestra	Boston	\$ 25,000	Neighborhood concerts and music education programs throughout Boston
Boston Symphony Orchestra	Boston	\$ 25,000	Neighborhood concerts and music education programs throughout Boston

Inquilinos Boricuas en Acción	Boston	\$	25,000	Multicultural arts programming for young people in the South End's Villa Victoria neighborhood
Raw Art Works	Lynn	\$	25,000	Arts education and leadership development program for underserved young people
Trinity Repertory Company	Providence, RI	\$	25,000	Theater education program for disadvantaged children
Children's Art Programs		\$	125,000	
ARTS & CULTURE TOTAL			3,200,000)

YAWKEY FOUNDATION II: CONSERVATION & WILDLIFE

Boston Harbor Now	Boston	\$ 25,000	Free ferry access to Boston Harbor Islands for disadvantaged children and families			
Boston Parks and Recreation Department	Boston	\$ 1,500	Arts education and programs in parks throughout the city			
National Park Foundation	Washington, DC	\$ 100,000	Conservation education and learning programs for urban youth			
The Trustees of Reservations	Beverly	\$ 25,000	Environmental education and summer employment program for youth from the New Bedford and Fall River communities			
CONSERVATION & WILDLIFE TOTAL		\$ 151,500				
YAWKEY FOUNDATION II GRAND TOTAL		\$ \$20,168,097				



CONSERVATION & WILDLIFE

In 2017, the Yawkey Foundations:

- Celebrated the 40th anniversary of Tom Yawkey's gift of more than 20,000 acres of shorefront land, now known as the Tom Yawkey Wildlife Center, to the South Carolina Department of Natural Resources.
- Reported 579 adult alligators and 400 hatchlings that have been captured and tagged at the Tom Yawkey Wildlife Center in Georgetown County, South Carolina.
- Announced that 17 research articles and proceedings related to the Tom Yawkey Wildlife Center Alligator Project have been published.

GRANT GUIDELINES

Funding objectives are determined by a continual assessment of needs and opportunities related to programs for the following priorities:

- Education
- Health Care
- Human Services
- Youth & Amateur Athletics
- Arts & Culture
- Conservation & Wildlife

APPLICATION PROCESS

Please visit www.yawkeyfoundations.org for information about the Foundations' priorities, annual grants reports, eligibility requirements, deadlines, and application process.

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