



## Valley Community Foundation 2011 Small Grants

Organization	Description	Amount
Annual Thanksgiving	To support the cost of food baskets for needy families in the community.	\$ 1,500
<a href="#">Ansonia Blockwatch</a>	To support the cost of watching the neighborhood through the participation of neighbors/citizens.	\$ 1,350
<a href="#">Ansonia Community Action</a>	To support the cost of various art projects and techniques that will enable the youth to learn different multi-cultural themes and develop creative process.	\$ 1,300
<a href="#">Ansonia Cultural Commission</a>	To support the cost of the entertainment of the festival for the community.	\$ 1,000
<a href="#">Ansonia High School Human Relations Club</a>	To support the cost of the three intergenerational project events, 'Senior Prom' sock Hop, Annual Ice Cream Social, and Themed Conversational Dinner, of the high school students with the members of the senior center.	\$ 1,500
<a href="#">Ansonia High School Life Skills Center</a>	To support the cost of the Life Skills Awards Breakfast and field trips	\$ 2,000
<a href="#">Ansonia High School National Honor Society</a>	To support the cost of expanding the number of students and engaging them, especially minorities that take Advanced Placement courses.	\$ 500
<a href="#">Ansonia High School PTO</a>	To support the cost of post prom event.	\$ 750
Ansonia Housing Authority Tenants' Assoc.	To support the cost of gardening as a community for the 3 Senior Independent Living Developments which will provide an outlet for social communication and interaction and physical and mental exercise to the residents.	\$ 1,500
<a href="#">Ansonia Nature and Recreation Center</a>	To support the cost of the optics for the telescopes that will be constructed from recycled materials.	\$ 1,200
<a href="#">Ansonia Rescue Medical Services</a>	To support the cost of the life saving skills training of CPR (cardiopulmonary resuscitation), First Aid, and AED (Automated External Defibrillator), for the valley residents.	\$ 750
<a href="#">Ansonia Soccer Club</a>	To support the cost of the portable soccer goals and nest to be used at Prendergast School and Abe Stone Park.	\$ 500
Ansonia Summer Youth Theater Club	To support the cost of attending educational and cultural trips to local theaters and museums, as well as other places the children will enjoy while they learn.	\$ 875
City of Derby, Bureau of Youth Services	To support the cost of the training and certification in the Mental Health First Aid Program for teachers, coaches, police and any other youth position or volunteer in order to assist the youth better.	\$ 1,500
<a href="#">Diabetes Education &amp; Support Group</a>	To support the cost of the end of the year dinner program where all the nutritional experiences will be put together for diabetics and their families.	\$ 375
<a href="#">Elizabeth Shelton School PTO</a>	To support the cost of providing school supplies to students that have been identified by the school's administration as having financial needs.	\$ 1,500
<a href="#">Friends of the Derby Neck Library</a>	To support the cost of the activities & entertainment connected to Holiday readings for children.	\$ 700



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Hearts and Tails of Ansonia	To support the cost of the accommodations for the rescued cats in the temporary shelter and then in the new section at the Ansonia Animal Shelter when it gets built.	\$ 600
<a href="#">North Star</a>	To support the cost of several training sessions, special events, and discussions groups.	\$ 2,700
<a href="#">Oxford High School Booster Club</a>	To support the cost of the third annual post prom event for Oxford High School junior and senior students at OHS.	\$ 750
<a href="#">Oxford Historical Society</a>	To support the cost of complete coverage from their local newspaper, VOICES.	\$ 1,575
Parish Nurse Program	To support the cost of health screenings and health information, and any other health-related support to community members.	\$ 410
Prendergast School Community Explorers	To support the cost of outings in the community and develop strategies that will help children with disabilities, as well as their parents to be successful in different environments.	\$ 1,320
<a href="#">Restoring Hope Ministries - HOPE House</a>	To support the cost of providing a summer grammar school, sports/fitness events, arts/crafts projects, and educational learning activities.	\$ 1,000
<a href="#">Salvation Army - Greater Valley Corps</a>	To support the cost of distributing school supplies and clothing to less fortunate children in a fun way, as well as in a friendly setting.	\$ 2,700
<a href="#">Seymour Historical Society</a>	To support the cost of their audio visual needs for a permanent educational program in the community.	\$ 1,000
<a href="#">Seymour Parks Commission</a>	To support the cost of necessary upgrades to pavillion at Chatfield Park.	\$ 500
<a href="#">Seymour Police Department-Community Resource Division</a>	To support the cost of a variety of classroom information, interactive activities, and hands on projects to students so they can increase awareness & develop good relationships w/their PD & their community.	\$ 800
<a href="#">Seymour Public Library</a>	To support the cost of the reception for incoming kindergarten students & their parents and give them an opportunity to meet principals, teachers, & classmates.	\$ 1,000
<a href="#">Seymour Public Schools</a>	To support the cost of presentations and events about creating and promoting the importance of being responsible driver and the consequences of being under the influence of drugs and alcohol or any other distraction while driving.	\$ 750
<a href="#">Shelton Historical Society</a>	To support the cost of upgrading the cataloging system, the museum software, in order to properly store individual artifacts and extensive collections.	\$ 1,120
<a href="#">Shelton Public Schools Mentoring Program</a>	To support the cost of creating a program evaluation plan and be able to determine how successful the program has been and which areas will need to improve.	\$ 2,000



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<a href="#">Shelton School Readiness Council</a>	To support the cost of a 6 week parent education program that will build the reading skills and language for parents, so they can play an active role in their children's literacy development.	\$ 750
St. Joseph Catholic	To support the cost of health screenings and CPR AED training.	\$ 1,000
St. Joseph Youth Group	To support the cost of Leadership Training Weekend.	\$ 1,000
<a href="#">Tinney Community Center</a>	To support the cost of swimming & drama classes.	\$ 1,475
<a href="#">Valley Arts Council</a>	To support the cost of rendering life size portraits of historical people that performed at the famous theater, Sterling Opera House.	\$ 1,000
<a href="#">Valley Even Start</a>	To support the cost of educational trips including children's books for parents and their children that will improve instruction in adult and parenting education as well as in early childhood education.	\$ 1,500
<a href="#">Valley NAACP</a>	To support the cost of health screenings, educational and safety information and various services as needed.	\$ 2,300
<a href="#">Valley Parish Nurse</a>	To support the cost of multiple educational programs about the dangers of drugs.	\$ 2,000
<a href="#">Valley Parish Nurse</a>	To support the cost of the presentations about raising awareness to dangers of drinking and texting while driving.	\$ 750
<a href="#">Volunteer Action Center at Valley United Way</a>	To support the cost of creating a Volunteer Hall of Fame and induct extraordinary volunteers.	\$ 1,200