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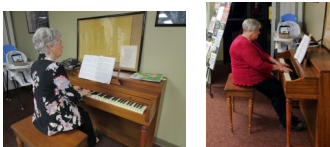
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#GIVINGTUESDAY & YEAR-END GIVING



Kermit Nikkel leaving a donation.



Pianists, JoAnn Nickel and Mary Rosfeld, provided Christmas music.

Goessel Community Foundation, Bethesda Home, and MH&A Museum participated in national "Giving Tuesday" with an event on December 3 at the Goessel Civic Center.

Foundation donations on that day plus other end-of-year giving totaled \$5,484.38 to the Impact Fund. An additional check for \$500 went to GCF Senior Endowed Fund.

All donations, large and small, are appreciated. Donations to the Impact Fund in 2019 totaled \$12,784. Through the generosity of many donors, the Foundation continues to distribute grants from the proceeds of endowed investments to community non-profits.

FOOTBALL RAFFLE WINNER



Raffle Winner, Carol Abrahams

Local Goessel resident and GHS alumnus, Carol Abrahams, was the winner of the autographed Patrick Mahomes football. A total of \$1,056 was raised for the Impact Fund from raffle tickets sold. The football was gifted to the Foundation by Kansas City resident, Lynn Schmidt. Thank you to all who participated.

MEMORIAL FUND

The family of Larry Jay recently designated the Goessel Community Foundation Impact Fund as the recipient of memorial gifts in his memory.

Larry was well-known for his dedication to the Goessel Volunteer Fire Department. He served the fire department for a total of 43 years, 26 of those Fire Chief.

Our condolences and appreciation go to Peggy, Michael, Brian, Karry and their families.

MUSICAL CHAIR CHALLENGE



Musical chair participants and GCF Board members 02-01-2019

The GCF will again sponsor a Musical Chair Challenge on February 13, 2020 during half-time of the GHS/ Canton-Galva home basketball game.

Anyone wanting to participate in this contest will sign up prior to half-time that night. Six participants will be drawn for the "Basketball Musical Chair Challenge" and each will receive a prize. Contestants will dribble, make a basket and reclaim a chair at center court. The contestant claiming the final chair will receive the grand prize.

SAVE THE DATE

February 12 to March 11, 2020—Grant Cycle Open

February 13, 2020—Musical Chair Challenge

April 25, 2020—Grant Recognition & Annual Celebration

June 6, 2020—Golf Tournament Fund Raiser

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