



# Clifton-Fine COMMUNITY FUND

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## Community Philanthropy Inspiring Citizens to Bring Meaningful Change to the Clifton-Fine Region

by Susan Smith

**L**ike many communities in the North Country, the towns of Clifton-Fine have been in an economic and population decline since the 1970's. Around kitchen tables and town board meetings, it seemed there was only bad news – more businesses closing, more people leaving, increasing tax burdens on those remaining, rising poverty, and drug related problems.

Many communities still sit in that environment – still deal primarily with sad and bad news. Clifton-Fine still deals with difficult challenges everyday. There is no denying that fact, *BUT*, we also have found many ways to have hope, to make change, and to revitalize this beautiful place we all love.

### What is our secret?

#### Community Philanthropy.

In ways too numerous to mention, the quality of life has improved dramatically because at those same kitchen tables where doom presided just decades ago, hope resides today. People have come together not just to make lemonade out of lemons, but to grow and nurture the lemon trees themselves.

Philanthropy and volunteerism are the primary keys to the revitalization of the Clifton-Fine communities.

Bob Damoth, a resident of one of the small hamlets in Clifton-Fine created an estate fund that provides \$75,000 a year in philanthropic support to the Clifton-Fine communities. His vision led the community to approach the Northern New York Community Foundation and create our community inspired philanthropic fund.

In 2013, the community raised more than \$50,000 in a few months in direct response to a challenge grant from the Community Foundation. The fund is made up of gifts from \$5 to \$25,000. The letters and phone calls promoting the fund and its potential impact happened from one kitchen table in Cranberry Lake. Many people were doubtful, but you just can't deny the growing philanthropic spirit here.

Access to philanthropic funds awarded via an annual, highly competitive process allows organizations to dream, to think about what their next impact step might be, and to

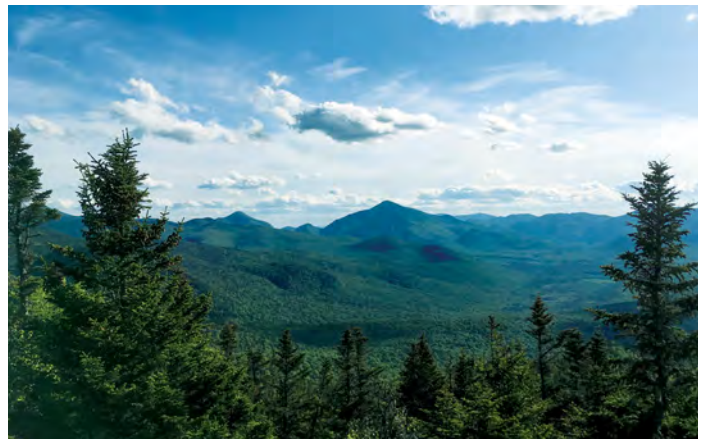


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have financial support to make the next effort. It allows us to invest in and reinvent ourselves.

This community has decided to take care of itself and to invest in those things that matter to us. We can't bring manufacturing back. We *CAN* make sure our hospital is viable. We *CAN* revitalize the original schoolhouse in Star Lake into a community center. We *CAN* rebuild the Wanakena Footbridge after it was destroyed by an ice jam.

As our partner, the Northern New York Community Foundation has provided significant support to major community initiatives at the Clifton-Fine Hospital, the Wanakena Footbridge, the Jones and Laughlin site, scholarships to local students, and more. The investment of the Community Foundation is always a critical step in a project's success. They provide an additional layer of stewardship in perpetuity.

You'll find stories and pictures throughout this newsletter that highlight just some of what philanthropy has brought to life here. The lemon trees are thriving.

Come visit. You'll find committed people in all kinds of settings making change. Philanthropy inspires them. The Community Foundation nurtures that spirit in Clifton-Fine.

# Foundation Supports Hospital with Endowment Match: Permanent resource designed to sustain health care in the region forever.

Last year, the Northern New York Community Foundation and Wilderness Health Care Foundation became partners in promoting and encouraging support for quality health care to residents of the Clifton-Fine region forever.

The two organizations established the **Wilderness Health Care Foundation Endowment Fund** at the Community Foundation to provide a permanent charitable resource that will support the healthcare needs of the Clifton-Fine area of St. Lawrence County. **To build the endowment, the Community Foundation awarded a \$25,000 matching grant challenge for the fund. The Community Foundation will match each gift to the endowment, dollar-for-dollar, up to \$25,000.** The Community Foundation will administer the permanent fund and offer an additional layer of giving and stewardship guidance, regardless of any future change to the hospital.

The Wilderness Health Care Foundation was started 25 years ago and serves as the charitable arm of Clifton-Fine Hospital and Primary Care Clinic. Because of the generosity of others, the health and wellness needs of residents in the Clifton-Fine region are consistently met. The Wilderness Health Care Foundation Endowment Fund will give supporters an opportunity to endow their contributions to this mission and endeavor in perpetuity – leaving a meaningful legacy to the community.

Please consider a gift to support the Wilderness Health Care Foundation Endowment Fund at the Northern New York Community Foundation. Your generous contribution may be mailed to: Northern New York Community Foundation, 131 Washington St., Watertown, New York 13601. Please note the “Wilderness Health Care Foundation Endowment” in the memo line. You may also make a gift online at [www.nnycf.org](http://www.nnycf.org). Your gift will be matched, dollar-for-dollar, up to \$25,000.



The Wilderness Health Care Foundation became the first non-profit organization located within the Clifton-Fine region to partner with the Northern New York Community Foundation. This partnership included an endowment fund which will provide long-term support to the Wilderness Health Care Foundation and the Clifton-Fine Hospital. **Pictured (L-R)** are Vanessa Vaverchak and Annette Craig of the Wilderness Health Care Foundation and Rande Richardson and Max DelSignore of the Community Foundation.



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Becky Van de Water



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# Community Responds to Restore Wanakena Footbridge

**WINTER ICE:** Community Foundation, Clifton-Fine Community Fund, and citizens team up to save historic landmark damaged by hazardous winter conditions.



One of the most meaningful celebrations within the Clifton-Fine community in recent years was the completion of the Wanakena Footbridge restoration project.

In early January 2014, a severe ice jam destroyed the iconic footbridge, which was originally built in 1902. Area residents, local agencies and businesses responded immediately to assist with the deconstruction and redesign of the bridge. Two key contributors to the effort were the Northern New York Community Foundation and the Clifton-Fine Community Fund.

The Community Foundation approved a lead grant of \$10,000 to the Wanakena Historical Association to help begin restoration just two short months after the damage occurred. This support served as a catalyst to build community support for a historic structure. One year later, a \$1,000 grant was awarded from the Clifton-Fine Community Fund to establish a walking tour station highlighting the history of the Wanakena Footbridge. This funding was also provided to the Historical Association.



**SIGNS OF PROGRESS:** Above - An informational kiosk funded in part by the Clifton-Fine Community Fund. Left - Wanakena sign at the restored bridge. Right - The Wanakena Footbridge "ribbon cutting" of lumber recovered from the original bridge.

On July 4, 2017, a dedication and celebration of the Wanakena Footbridge was held to thank donors, supporters, and volunteers devoted to the restoration project. This project is an example of the power of partnership between the Clifton-Fine Community Fund – born through the generosity of many citizens – and the Northern New York Community Foundation as a trusted and respected steward of the community fund.



**DEDICATION TO PRESERVATION:** Large crowd gathered to celebrate the dedication ceremony for the restored Wanakena Footbridge.



**Northern New York Community Foundation** Executive Director Rande Richardson presenting the check for the Wanakena Footbridge restoration project .

# Enriching Communities in the Clifton-Fine Region

## The Grasse River Railroad Trail Initiative / \$3,400



Chuck Yartz, Grasse River Railroad committee member, holding the Clifton-Fine Community Fund grant notification in front of a replica of the original Grasse River Railroad caboose built and preserved on the property of Louise and Roger Johnson on Silver Lake. The replica caboose rests on the original rails of the Grasse River Railroad.

The Grasse River Railroad Trail Initiative is a community project focused on converting the defunct bed of the the Grasse River Railroad into a hiking and biking interpretive trail running from Cranberry Lake to Conifer. The Grasse River Railroad served the Emporium Forestry Company in the first third of the 20th century when logging was the primary business followed closely by tourism.

*“The Grasse River Railroad Trail Initiative is in its infancy and will require years of volunteer work to bring to completion. We are working with private landowners and the D.E.C. to navigate all the land use and wetland issues. The gift provided by the Community Foundation is an essential piece in building community buy-in,” said Susan Smith.*

## Clifton Community Library / \$1,200

The Cranberry Lake Art Show, in partnership with Clifton Community Library, received a grant as seed funding from the Clifton-Fine Community Fund to help with the sustainability of the show.

Seventeen *ART-ironclad Chairs* were auctioned at the art show with a profit close to \$2,000. The proceeds will sustain the art show for next year and will provide support for scholarships to Clifton-Fine Central School students and will support a new digital community events sign at the fire hall. The two-day event features more than 50 artists and attracts local residents and guests from across the Northeast.



Linda Dunning working on her chair for the 3rd Annual Cranberry Lake Art Show. Medium is stained glass and acrylics on a cedar chair.



Gail Gotham, chair of the Cranberry Lake Art Show working on her artistic interpretation of a loon on Cranberry Lake. **Photo by** Harris Smith.

The Cranberry Lake Art Show, with seed funding from the Clifton-Fine Fund, has commissioned chairs by local artists that were auctioned earlier this month.

## Cranberry Lake Fire Department / \$1,600



**LEFT:** Chuck Yartz and Norm Santimaw in the new wilderness gear.



**RIGHT:** Chuck Yartz and Norm Santimaw in front of the Cranberry Lake Volunteer Fire Department sign, with the Community Fund funded sidebar indicating fire danger.

The Clifton-Fine Community Fund awarded a grant to help the department purchase new sets of wild land firefighting gear, which weighs almost 100 pounds less for each firefighter than regular turnout suits. The gear helps firefighters stave off exhaustion, as well as danger posed by wilderness firefighting. It allows firefighters to battle wild land fires across the region safely and efficiently. In addition, the Community Fund also approved a \$730 grant to help the department purchase a fire safety warning sign to alert residents about environmental dangers in certain weather conditions.

# Enriching Communities in the Clifton-Fine Region

## Save Our Schoolhouse Revitalization / \$1,000

In 2014, the Clifton-Fine Community Fund awarded a grant to install a new propane furnace at the Adirondack Exhibit Center, which housed four local agencies. This funding allowed all four organizations to house and operate their agencies year-round.

The community has banded together to save and revitalize this historic structure. The revitalized school house now houses four community based projects - the Western Adirondack Railroad Modelers, the Five Ponds Partners, the Clifton-Fine Economic Development Corporation and Save our Schoolhouse (S.O.S.). The space houses a railroad model depicting the original mills and railroad service in the region. In addition, it provides a home for the Five Ponds Partners, a community group dedicated to creating environmentally sound access to the wildest parts of the region, the Clifton-Fine Economic Development Corporation which focuses its energy on community redevelopment projects and the S.O.S itself which provides community meeting space for a variety of projects and organizations.



**SAVED FOR THE FUTURE:** Revitalized schoolhouse will serve as a vital space for area organizations. **Pictured:** Community Foundation Executive Director Rande Richardson and members of the Clifton-Fine community.

## Community Improvement Project Fund of Cranberry Lake Boat Club / \$4,000



A partnership between the boat club and a community improvement program committee led to the construction of a community pavilion in Cranberry Lake. The multi-year project received initial support from the Clifton-Fine Community Fund in 2014, but also received subsequent support in 2015 and 2016. These organizations collaborated with a goal of creating an outdoor community venue behind the Clifton Community Center for multi-purpose use to benefit area residents. Since its completion, a variety of community events have been held to the enjoyment of many citizens.

**Left:** Community members utilize the community center pavilion.

## Fine Town Hall Playground Renovation / \$850

Sometimes it's the little things that begin true community revitalization. The Fine Town Hall is one of the few remaining historic structures in the hamlet of Fine.

The Fine Town Hall Committee is working hard to raise funds to restore the building as a community center and their first project was replacing playground equipment so the children of the hamlet will have a safe place to play. The Clifton-Fine Community Fund awarded a grant to purchase two new basketball hoops to help revitalize the community playground.



Pictured are the basketball backboards and hoops and swings funded by the Clifton-Fine Community Fund.

This project and improvements are a prime example of how a community fund can advance or help complete a vital community project. It is a prime example of community philanthropy and investment in practice.

# Community Fund / 2018 Grants in Action

Below is a history of impactful grants awarded from the Clifton-Fine Community Fund to support worthwhile programs, projects and initiatives enhancing the quality of life across the region. Since its establishment in 2013, \$26,000 in grant funding has been allocated to 22 projects meeting the charitable purpose of the Community Fund. Grants are awarded annually to eligible 501(c)3 non-profit organizations, or to organizations partnered with an appropriate fiscal sponsor. This year's grant awards will be announced in the fall.

## 2014

**Community Improvement Projects Committee (Cranberry Boat Club) / \$4,000**  
Support for a community pavilion project in Cranberry Lake.

**Wilderness Health Care Foundation / \$2,000**  
Provide veterans with basic healthcare assistance.

**Cranberry Lake Fire & Rescue Department / \$1,600**  
Purchase two wild land firefighting suits.

**Town of Fine & Town of Clifton / \$1,100**  
Assist with streetscape upgrades & pedestrian/vehicle safety enhancements.

**Save Our Schoolhouse (S.O.S.) / \$1,000**  
Support purchase of a propane furnace for winter use of facility.

**Clifton-Fine Lions Club / \$300**  
Funding for pilot program to clean up blighted properties.

## 2015

**Star Lake Fire and Rescue Department / \$1,700**  
Assist with the purchase of certified rescue gear.

**Cranberry Lake Boat Club (Community Improvement Program) / \$1,000**  
Support to help finish Cranberry Lake community pavilion project.

**Wanakena Historical Association / \$1,000**  
Walking tour station (kiosk) presenting history of Wanakena Footbridge.

**Otto's Abode / \$1,000**  
Start-up funding to develop volunteer-based arts community center.

**Cranberry Lake Fire Department / \$730**  
Purchase of "Fire Danger Level" sign to raise community awareness.

**Town of Clifton / \$250**  
Acquisition of additional display cabinets for Town of Clifton Museum.

**Arts Committee – Clifton-Fine Economic Development Corporation / \$250**  
Assist with costs from free concert series performance.

## 2016

**Cranberry Lake Boat Club (Community Improvement Program) / \$2,000**  
Provide funding for final renovations to community center project.

**Hamlet of Fine / \$850**  
Funding for two basketball hoops at community playground.

**Arts Committee – Clifton-Fine Economic Development Corporation / \$700**  
Complete sound stage project with purchase of microphones & equipment.

**Fine Volunteer Fire Department / \$550**  
Purchase gear to outfit entire department to fight brush fires.

**Town of Clifton / \$345**  
Support to purchase a printer/scanner to capture historical photos.

**Clifton-Fine Economic Development Corporation / \$319**  
Printing and publication of local business and service directory.

## 2017

**Grasse River Railroad Trail Initiative / \$3,400**  
Provide funding for a community bike/hiking trail project.

**Clifton Community Library / \$1,200**  
Funding to purchase Adirondack chairs that artists decorated for the art show that were auctioned to create a revenue stream to support future shows and community art related projects.

**Woodland Cemetery, Oswegatchie / \$400**  
Purchase of signage, as part of beautification efforts.



## Gratifying Philanthropy



The Clifton-Fine region is a special place to Wanakena residents Lester Allen and Stephen Moyer. The creation of the Clifton-Fine Community Fund inspired them to focus and expand their generosity to the community they love now and into the future. They established the **Lester Allen and Stephen Moyer Fund** at the **Northern New York Community Foundation** to provide additional support to projects and endeavors impacting the Clifton-Fine region, with an emphasis toward Wanakena. Through their charitable fund, they have supported the Wanakena Footbridge restoration project, as well as the development of Otto's Abode in Wanakena, which has evolved into an arts community center.

*"We are pleased to work with the Northern New York Community Foundation to create a fund for ongoing support of this beautiful place," Lester Allen and Stephen Moyer said. "This area of the Adirondacks has brought so much natural beauty and community spirit into our lives, yet continues to have many unmet needs."*

# Founding Donors

*We are grateful to the many citizens, families, businesses and organizations who have demonstrated a belief in the value of the Clifton-Fine Community Fund and the future of the region. Your thoughtful generosity is creating meaningful change across many communities and inspiring others to give where they live. Thank you for your leadership and devotion to the Clifton-Fine area!*

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