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**community fund**

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# NEGAUNEE AREA COMMUNITY FUND

The Negaunee Area Community Fund was established in 1994 with matching funds from the Kellogg Foundation as an affiliate of the Community Foundation of Marquette County. Grants from the NACF support charitable, scientific, literary and educational purposes for the public welfare of the people of the Negaunee Community.



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## Over \$15,000 Distributed

The Negaunee Area Community Fund Board of Directors met in April to determine the 2019 recipients from the 12 applications received for the 2019 Negaunee Spring Grants Program. The Board chose to help fund ten of the programs, distributing a total of \$15,901.02. Projects included: instruments for the Negaunee City Band, an energy efficiency program with the Marquette County Habitat for Humanity, provide youth hockey referee training from the Iron Range Hockey Association and renovations for the Negaunee Senior Center.



# 2018 Grant: NMS Rockwall

GRANT REVIEW LETTER BY MADISON GENDRON, NMS STUDENT



I was a part of the first semester Environmental Adventures class of 2018-19. We were also one of the first groups to use the rock wall. It was such an amazing experience to go rock climbing and I feel that when we were practicing, the new rock wall helped us perform when we were doing the real thing on a huge rock ledge. Rock climbing is so unpredictable because sometimes you have no place to put your hands and feet.

Our new rock wall helped us prepare for that by learning to grip the rock in a certain way, stretch your legs, and build up needed muscle. Thank you so much Negaunee Community Fund for helping me and my class prepare for rock climbing day. Again, it was an amazing experience and I will never forget it and the memories we made on the rock wall.

## 2019 NHS Scholarship Recipients

**Betty Holman Memorial Scholarship**

**John Basolo NIT Service Scholarship**

**Raymond Pajula Scholarship**

**Saima Kuivila Education Scholarship**

**Bernadette Reider Scholarship**

**Dr. E. William & Dorothy A. Sivula Scholarship**

**Elliot Family Memorial Scholarship**

**Independent Order of Odd Fellows**

**Jeff & Paula Nelson: Dr. Jim Lehto**

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**Negaunee Environmental Scholarship**

**Negaunee Public Schools Citizenship Scholarship**

**Rudy & Darley Kemppainen Scholarship**

**Sydney W. Northey Scholarship**

**Waino & Joanne Liuha Scholarship**

**Negaunee Public Schools Citizenship Scholarship**

**Saima Kuivila Salutatorian Scholarship**

**George & Jonelle Collins Scholarship**

Destiny Stanaway

Jacob Larson

Collin Remilong

Grace Ulvila

Maci Aho

Kyra Gibson

Elizabeth Hewitt

Rebecca Yunk

William Carlson

Natasha Symons

William Carlson

Maci Aho

Trecia Brady

Katherine Popko

Katlyn Varty

Abigail Boehmer

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William Carlson

## WAYS TO GIVE

### OUTRIGHT GIFT

Make a gift of cash, stocks, bonds or other assets. Most charitable gifts qualify for maximum tax advantage under federal and state law. You can also donate to the Negaunee Area Community Fund online at [www.cfofmc.org](http://www.cfofmc.org).

### APPRECIATED

#### STOCK

Make a gift of appreciated stock. No capital gain to report and your gift of stock is reinvested in your community. Plus it qualifies for an immediate tax deduction based on the full market value.

### LIFE INSURANCE

Leave your community as your beneficiary. Life insurance provides an easy way to give a significant gift and tax benefits you can enjoy during your lifetime.

### REAL ESTATE

Making a charitable gift of real estate can help turn your property gains into community good. The value of your real estate may exceed that of any other asset you own. Use this type of gift to fulfill your charitable interests and receive financial tax benefits.

The Negaunee Area Community Fund is currently selling "I Love Negaunee" buttons at Midtown Cafe & Bakery. The proceeds of the buttons go toward the Negaunee Fund, which awards grants to local nonprofits within the Negaunee Area during their annual competitive grant cycle in the spring. For more information about the buttons, grant cycle or previous grants, please check out our Facebook page or website at [www.cfofmc.org](http://www.cfofmc.org).

