



**2016
Annual
Report**



**SINNISSIPPI
FOUNDATION**

Dear friends of the Foundation,

As we look back at another year of providing help and hope to those we serve, we want to thank you for your support. Thanks to you, it's been one of the Foundation's most successful years as we have seen growth in all of our fundraising categories.

It's been heartwarming to see your response as the Foundation has faced ever increasing needs over the past several years. We have been able to meet those needs thanks to your generosity and the generosity of so many individuals and organizations.

We have faced some challenges this past year, and have done some refocusing of our mission, but we look forward to new opportunities that are on the horizon. Perhaps in our annual report next year we can tell you more about those opportunities.

But no matter the challenges, the Foundation continues to focus on its core mission of enhancing the health and wellness of the individuals we serve, positively impacting their communities, continuing to advocate for the very best behavioral healthcare possible, and encouraging a reduction in the barriers to treatment individuals still face. We are excited about the future and the promise it holds. Thank you again for your support in these efforts.

*Frank Nelsen, Chairperson
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*Patrick Phelan, President/CEO
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24th Annual Golf Open

Over 100 golfers enjoyed a day on the links at Timber Creek Golf Club for the 24th Annual Sinnissippi Foundation Golf Open. August 4, 2016, was a bit of a warm day, but everyone



Stacie Olson (left) and Dawn Billings (right) enjoy the day at the Golf Open

had a fantastic time. The Golf Open raised over \$22,000 to continue the mission of the Foundation. The Golf open takes place the first Thursday in August, and this year will be August 3, 2017, at Timber Creek Golf Club, in Dixon.

Redirecting the Foundation

The primary mission of the Sinnissippi Foundation has always been to enhance the mental wellness of the individuals and families served by Sinnissippi Centers. For many years the Foundation also had provided monetary awards to support other organizations' projects and activities. However, when the current, ongoing, state budget crisis began in 2015, the Foundation Board decided to direct efforts solely on the increasing needs of Sinnissippi Centers' clients. This initiative continues to the present. All donations to the Foundation benefit individuals and families served by Sinnissippi Centers.



Spreading Holiday Cheer

Funds of the Sinnissippi Foundation have supported a couple of annual holiday activities to benefit clients for the past many years. These are the Client Holiday Celebration and the Holiday Food Basket Project. Around 70 clients attended this year's Client

Holiday Celebration on December 9th. The following week the Foundation held its annual holiday food basket distribution project. 75 baskets were distributed to Sinnissippi Centers' client families in need. Those families represent over 300 individuals who received a holiday meal thanks to the Foundation.



Sinnissippi Centers' board member Don Lovett volunteered to help with the Holiday Food Basket Project

Record Fundraising

The Sinnissippi Foundation's annual appeal during the holidays brought in a record amount. Donations exceeded \$13,000. It has followed a trend. For Fiscal Year 2016, the Foundation's total fundraising also reached record levels. We want to thank everyone who has supported us over the years. Thanks to your generosity we can continue our mission of providing hope to the individuals and families we serve.



Many adults, adolescents, and children benefit from your donations.

Thank you to all our 2016 donors, sponsors, and supporters!

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Youth Garden Project

The Sinnissippi Youth Garden Project is supported by your donations to the Sinnissippi Foundation and also by the annual Gardenstock Art & Music Festival.

Last years, Gardenstock raised over \$6,000 despite some very challenging weather.

The project spans more than just the summer months. This year, youth and garden staff will start a little earlier making the tie-dyed t-shirts as demand has increased over the years. They also plan to pick out all the seeds they will first plant in the greenhouse. Later as the plants mature, they will be transferred to the garden.



Garden Youth make each t-shirt by hand that is sold at Gardenstock

Expressions Art Sale

The Sinnissippi Foundation's Annual Expressions Art Sale & Reception returns to The Next Picture Show in Dixon in April 2017. The 13th annual event will feature local art and a wide variety of silent auction items. The event starts on April 4th when all the art and auction items go on display. It concludes with the reception April 21st from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. It's one of two major fundraising events for the Sinnissippi Foundation. For more details visit our events section online at www.sinnissippi.org.



"Old Mill Creek" by Bob Logsdon

2017 Calendar of Events

13th Annual Expressions

Art Sale and Reception

The Next Picture Show
113 West 1st Street, Dixon, IL

Art on Display

April 4 - 21, 2017

Gallery hours

Reception

April 21, 2017

5:00 - 9:00 p.m.

25th Annual Sinnissippi Foundation Golf Open

August 3, 2017

Timber Creek Golf Club

729 Timber Creek Road, Dixon, IL

12:30 p.m. tee off, dinner & awards immediately after golfing.

Provide Help & Hope

You can provide help and hope to individuals and families in need with your support of the Sinnissippi Foundation. There are two main ways to donate; by mail and online, and you can find that contact information to the right.

You can also use Facebook to learn more, get in touch with us, or donate. "Like" the Sinnissippi Foundation on Facebook and from our page you can click on donate, see all our posts and photos, and also receive updates about events and other information.



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The Impact of Your Support

Helping individuals and families in need is a great reward that we have the pleasure to enjoy because of your generous support. There are many examples: Like the mother and father both hit with layoffs facing cutoff of their utilities, and the individual unable to work due to health issues who needed housing assistance because they expended all their savings on medical bills.

Sometimes we receive thank you notes from individuals and families we have helped, like this one:

"From the bottom of my heart, my family and I want to thank you for your generous gift this Christmas. We will now be able to enjoy our Christmas a little better knowing that we have dinner for this joyous occasion."

Take the Next Step

If you would like more information about the Sinnissippi Foundation or would like to make a donation by mail or online, here's how:

Mail donations to:

The Sinnissippi Foundation
325 Illinois Route 2
Suite 100
Dixon, IL 61021

Online donations:

www.sinnissippi.org/donate-foundation

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815-284-9380

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