34th ANNUAL
STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT &
RECOGNITION CEREMONY

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24, 2017
5:00 PM
UNDER THE TENTS

Inspire
ACHIEVE
EMPOWER
THANK YOU AND WELCOME TO THE TUNXIS FAMILY!

Tonight we all come together under the tents to celebrate the accomplishments achieved by many and inspired by educators, philanthropists, faculty, staff, board members, businesses, students, alumni, family, friends and the community at large.

Our families, the community and the economy improves every time one of our scholarship recipients earns a college degree. Collectively, we contribute to reducing crime, poverty and health care costs. Children who witness their parents or guardians earn a college degree are more often inspired to earn a degree themselves.

Tonight we celebrate inspiring each other to achieve self-sufficiency as we continue to empower the next generation to use education to change the world.

All of the gifts tonight, awards, certificates, scholarships and Tunxis Foundation T-shirts, acknowledge the hard work of our students who have overcome obstacles, made sacrifices and persevered through it all.

Tonight would not be possible without the hearts and hands of Ruth DeLeo and Monica Russano. Thank you both for your selfless giving to the Foundation and the Tunxis Community.

OUR EVENING TOGETHER

Welcome.................................................................................................................................Kirk Peters, Ph.D, Dean of Student Affairs

Presidential Greetings.............................................................................................................. Cathryn L. Addy, Ph.D

The Vision............................................................ Helen G. Sneed, Executive Director Tunxis Community College Foundation

Scholarships ........................................................ Tunxis Community College Foundation, BOD, Faculty and Philanthropists

Academic Discipline Awards ......................................Tunxis Faculty and Student Government Association (SGA)

Presentation of Class of 2017 Gifts .................................................. Andrew Albert, President of SGA

President Dedication Plaque ............................................................. Christopher LaPorte, Student Activities Director

Appreciation .......................................................................................................................... Helen G. Sneed

Hors d’oeuvres and Networking .......................................................................................... Founders Hall

Performance by ...................................................................................................................... Kevin O'Neil Jazz Band

Photography by ...................................................................................................................... 5 Diamond Photography, Cromwell, CT

Photos from tonight’s event ................................................................................................. http://5diamondphotography.pass.us/tunxis-may24th2017/

Program design, splash banner & printing....................................... Tamara Morrison Graphics, Tunxis Alumna & Thirteenth Floor

Tunxis Foundation Scholarship T-shirts................................................................. Primo Press, Bristol, CT

Flowers in the parking lot .................................................................................................. Plant Doctor, Southington, CT
SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

Accounting Scholarship
Current or graduating accounting major........................................................................................................... Nina Mefford, pursuing Accounting

Andrew Feiner Veteran Scholarship Award
Student combat Veteran ................................................................................................................................................... Suzanne Thomas, pursuing Psychology

Anne Doize International Scholarship (Ousmane C. Diallo)*
International student, preference to paying out of state tuition .......................................................................................... Navneet Kaur, pursuing Engineering

Aria Medical Aesthetics’ Dignity & Confidence Scholarship*
Full or part time student from Southington ................................................................................................................ Alicja Karwowski, pursuing Dental Hygiene

Art Expressive - Bill Kluba Scholarship
Student majoring in the Arts ........................................................................................................................................... Jacqueline Lovejoy, pursuing Fine Arts

Barnes Group Scholarship
Full or part time student who cares about the community ........................................................................................ Luke Harper, pursuing Business & Marketing

Bencivengo Family Scholarship
First year or early second year student in our dental program .......................................................................................... Amy Porto, pursuing Dental Hygiene

Beverly Family Memorial Textbook Scholarship in Memory of John Beverly Sr.
John Beverly Sr. was born in 1896 and resided in Plainville .......................................................................................... Tyler Acey, pursuing Accounting

Brackets for Good 2017 Textbook Scholarship*
Current student focused on professional growth ................................................................................................. Visoud Kong, pursuing Athletic Training

Brackets for Good Hartford Textbook Scholarship*
Current student interested in Business or Marketing ............................................................................................... Jessica Nkonoki, pursuing Public Relations

Brigitte E. Spangberg Memorial Fund Scholarship
Dental Hygiene student displaying good clinical skills ................................................................................................. Nicole Vieira, pursuing Dental Hygiene

Bristol Police Department Textbook Scholarship
Criminal Justice major who graduated from or resides in Bristol .................................................................................. Ruth Danquah, pursuing Human Services

C. Miranda Early Childhood Education Award
Majoring in Early Childhood Education ................................................................................................................ Monica Aldag & Alexandra Sliwka

Christopher Anthony Sirois Memorial Scholarship
Full or part time student seeking a private tutor ........................................................................................................ Heather Saunders, pursuing Early Childhood Education

Clinton S. Roberts Foundation Scholarship
Full or part time student who gives to the community ............................................................................................ Madeline Case, pursuing Early Childhood Education & Ruth Danquah, pursuing Human Services

Congress of CT Community Colleges SEIU 1973*
Current full or part time student ............................................................................................................................... Devon Martin, pursuing Accounting & Finance & Fabiana Rodriguez, pursuing Psychology

D. Jean Lewis Memorial Scholarship
Dental Students .................................................................................................................................................................. Jillian Leaptrott & Stacey Masiulis

D’Amato Construction Company Scholarship
Full or part time student ................................................................................................................................................ Adrianna Rosado, pursuing Nursing

David Sanabria Alumus Scholarship *
Student focused on professional growth ..................................................................................................................... Nicholas Petrucci, pursuing Accounting & Finance

DBL Industries, Inc Textbook Scholarship *
Student focused on Business, Management or Marketing .......................................................................................... Luke Harper, pursuing Business & Marketing

Dr. Cathryn L. Addy Textbook Scholarship
Full or part time student interested in teaching or English ............................................................................................ Sarah Nichols, pursuing Creative Writing

Dr. Sidney L. Roth Auxiliaries Scholarship
Dental student with 20 credits and a 3.50 GPA or higher ............................................................................................. Gabrielle Gambino, pursuing Dental Hygiene

EDAC Scholarship*
Student interested in STEM .................................................................................................................................................. Giselle Koo, pursuing Engineering

Engineering & Technical Scholarship*
Current student pursuing Engineering ..................................................................................................................... Sanjiv Patel, pursuing Civil Engineering
ESL & International Behnaz Perri Scholarship
International or English as a second language learner (ESL) ........................................... Ana Jojo, pursuing Dental Hygiene; Pawel Karwowski, pursuing Business & Finance & Kamila Sadowski, pursuing Healthcare

Farmington Bank Scholarship
Full or part time student ........................................................................................................ Dawn Weber, pursuing Human Services

First Generation Scholarship *
First generation college student with min 2.80 GPA .......................................................... Jacquelyn Corriveau, pursuing Business Administration

Foley Services of Hartford Scholarship*
Full or part time student with an entrepreneur spirit ................................................................ Jessica Nkonoki, pursuing Public Relations

Follett Higher Education Group Scholarship
Full or part time student ........................................................................................................ Paulina Malchar, pursuing Criminal Justice & Crystal Perez, pursuing Art Therapy

Future Passport
Full or part time student ........................................................................................................ Vivienne Sanait, pursuing Dental Hygiene & Gena Scaraffa, pursuing Business Administration

GB Saxplayer - Fans, Friends and Followers Scholarship
Appreciates the Arts ...................................................................................................................... Jacqueline Lovejoy, pursuing Art & Human Services, Maritza Ramirez, pursuing Early Childhood Education

Gregory and Helen G. Sneed Scholarship
Female or minority Criminal Justice major ............................................................................... Nina Yaghmor, pursuing Criminal Justice

Hartford Foundation for Public Giving
Resides in one of the 29 towns served by the Hartford Foundation for Public Giving (HFFPG) .......................................................... Steven Doan, pursuing Mechanical Engineering, Michael Gutierrez, pursuing Healthcare; Sheri Hemmavanh, pursuing Dental Hygiene; Christina Keay, pursuing Dental Hygiene Kathleen Moody, pursuing Dental Hygiene; Rebecca Morey, pursuing Dental Hygiene; Dhrumil Shah, pursuing Engineering & Computer Science; Farukh Tashmuhamedow, pursuing Dental Hygiene; Lindsey Vo, pursuing Dental Hygiene; & Allison Volpe, pursuing Dental Hygiene

Housing Authority of the City of Bristol Scholarship
Resides in Bristol, volunteers in the community and good academic standing.......................... Chrissa Blye, pursuing Allied Health; Sierra Cruz, pursuing Nursing; Stephanie Miranda, pursuing Nursing, & Sarah Nichols, pursuing Writing; Angela Stranieri, pursuing Paraprofessional in Education

John W. "Jack" Kiernmaier Memorial Scholarship *
Majoring in Early Childhood Education focused on obtaining a Bachelor's degree ............................................................................................ Maritza Ramirez

Kendall C. Scott Criminal Justice Scholarship
Criminal Justice major in good academic standing ................................................................. Antonia Bremmer, pursuing Forensic Psychology

Kyla Ann Armento Ryng Memorial Scholarship
In memory of Kyla Ann who lost her life too soon .................................................................. Samantha Nunes, pursuing Human Services

Liberty Bank Foundation
Incoming first year students who reside in one of the 8 towns served locally .......................... Nick Nigro, pursuing Business; Erich Nitchke, pursuing Environmental Science & Ciera Thurston, pursuing General Studies

Matthew Marc Melanson Memorial Scholarship
Full or part time student Veteran .............................................................................................. Ken Timmons, pursuing Criminal Justice

Michalene “Mikki” Rosado Memorial Scholarship*
Special consideration given to those who exhibit philanthropic behavior or involvement in a Boys & Girls Club or Big Brother/Big Sister program, min 2.80 GPA ........................................................................ Natalie Wasyl, pursuing Business

Motivated and Moving Ahead Award *
Professional certification fees associated with a degree or certificate earned from Tunxis. ........................................................................................................... Stephanie Karavolis, pursuing Dental Hygiene

OTTO Scholarship Award *
Full or part time student involved in creative writing, the Arts or publishing ................................. Crystal Perez, pursuing Art Therapy

Patricia Johnson Textbook Scholarship *
Full or part time student ........................................................................................................... Ronald Escalante, pursuing Dental Hygiene

Peggy and Dick Ficks Scholarship
In memory of Peggy and Dick Ficks who both supported a lifetime of learning ........................ Stephanie Wright, pursuing Financial Management

Peters-Zhakov International Textbook Scholarship
International or English as a second language learner (ESL) .................................................. Giselle Koo, pursuing Engineering & Nina Yaghmor, pursuing Criminal Justice

Precision Metaforming Association Educational Foundation (PMA Award) *
Full or part time student focused on Engineering or Manufacturing ........................................ Dhrumil Shah, pursuing Engineering

President’s Scholarship *
A leader interested in helping others ........................................................................................ Afkar Mubarak, pursuing Healthcare
Professor Ronald Miecznikowski Scholarship
The first professor on campus in 1970 when Tunxis opened its doors: Ron & Helen Miecznikowski
Michael Ritchotte, pursuing Liberal Arts

Record-Journal Media Group*
Student in Business, Media, Public Relations or Meriden resident
Rosa Grillasca, pursuing Public Relations

Ruth Carlin Memorial Art Scholarship
Visual fine arts or photography student with a 2.00 GPA
Isabella Allen, Sarah Disabella, Brandon Hernandez, Arielle Pease, Chelsea Saunders, Abby Sears,
Thomas Shannon & Cheyenne Wheeler

Rosalie & William Logvin Memorial Scholarship*
Dental or Nursing student 3.50 GPA or higher
Adrianna Rosado, pursuing Nursing

Schaller Auto World Fund of the Community Foundation of Greater New Britain
Recent high school graduates who reside in Berlin, New Britain, Plainville, or Southington
Caitlin Erb, pursuing Nursing; Paulina Malchar, pursuing Nursing;
Jayadevi Singh, pursuing General Studies & Alexys Thomas, pursuing Computer Science

SJJ Accounting Textbook Scholarship*
Current or incoming student overcoming adversity
Chrissa Byle, pursuing Allied Health

Smith Family Scholarship William Anderson Phalp Scholarship (2017)
In honor of a grandfather and uncle who both served in the military,
special consideration is given to an active member of the military or veteran. 3.5 GPA or higher
Brad Charron, pursuing Engineering

Stanley Black & Decker Scholarship
Full time or part time student
Jessica Horvath, pursuing Business

Student American Dental Hygienists’ Association (SADHA) Foundation Awards
Recognizing academic excellence
Amy Parente, pursuing Dental Hygiene & Katarzyna Szumska pursuing Dental Hygiene

Student Government Association (SGA) Scholarship
Full or part time student in good academic standing who cares about others
Justin Barrington, pursuing Criminal Justice

Sydelle B. Seltzer Dental Hygiene Scholarship
Dental student
Christina Keay, pursuing Dental Hygiene

TRUMPF Inc, Scholarship
Full or part time student in good academic standing
Giselle Koo, pursuing Engineering

Tunxis Community College Veterans’ OASIS Textbook-Techbook Scholarship
Student Veteran in good standing
Visouk Kong, pursuing Athletic Training

Tunxis Foundation Academic Excellence Scholarships
in honor of Betty Boukus
Sarah Russolillo, pursuing Early Childhood Education

in honor of Dr. Cathryn L. Addy
Kamila Sadowski, pursuing Dental Hygiene

in honor of Dr. Del Higham
Dominic Cwalinski, pursuing Engineering

in honor of F. Peter Siros
Elena Bolotova, pursuing Engineering

in honor of Terry Cassidy, Ed.D.
Tram Nguyen, pursuing Dental Hygiene

Vitrano Family Scholarship
Current student focused on pursuing a Bachelor’s or Master’s degree
Kayla Cruz, pursuing Human Services

Voight Family Scholarship
Current or returning student in good academic standing
Seth Welch, pursuing Computer Sciences

SPECIAL AWARDS

My Brother's Keeper Award
MBK Event on 4/12/2017 presented by Kerry Beckford
Essence Mack, President of SOCA

IRS Community Service Leadership Award
Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) presented by Juan Berrios of Human Resources Agency of New Britain (HRA)
Maureen Frazier, Business Administration
ACADEMIC DISCIPLINE AWARDS

**Business Administration**, presented by Amy Feest
Hanae will receive her AS in Business Administration, along with her Accounting & Finance certificates, with a 4.0 GPA ................................................................. Hanae Bouazza

**Business Administration**, presented by Amy Feest
Jon has completed 38 credits and earned a 3.79 GPA ................................................................. Jon Klein

**Business Office Technology**, presented by Candace Carbone
Wanda works at CT Children’s Specialty Group as a Practice Manager .............................................. Wanda Henriquez

**Computer Information Systems**, presented by Mahendra Shah
Jennette earned a 3.80 GPA while working full time ................................................................. Jennette Gonzalez

**Criminal Justice**, presented by Jessica Waterhouse
Genesis completed her internship with the Hartford Police Department ........................................... Genesis Rivera

**Dental Assisting**, presented by Erin Annecharico
Sharri maintained a GPA above 3.50 in the dental assisting program with an 8-year career in the United States Navy ................................................................. Sharri Mendez

**Dental Hygiene**, presented by Rebecca Sullivan
Lindsey is an outstanding student and an officer for the SADHA club ...................................................... Lindsey Vo

**Early Childhood Education**, presented by Joyce Voisine
Patti earned a 3.64 GPA and will graduate on 5/25/2017 ................................................................. Patti Goldberg

**Engineering Science**, presented by Greg Szepanski
Elena earned a 4.0 GPA, participates in the MET2 program and working on a prototype manufacturing CNC machine ................................................................. Elena Bolotova

**English**, presented by Sally Terrell
Jessica excelled in all of her English courses at Tunxis with great promise as a future scholar and teacher ................................................................. Jessica Maloney

**English as a Second Language**, presented by Barbara Sloak
Aysegul earned a 4.0 GPA in the 13 credit hours she took last fall ................................................................. Aysegul Turkmenoglu

**General Studies**, presented by Rafaile Pierro
Malgorzata earned a 3.97 GPA and has been accepted into the nursing program at Naugatuck Valley Community College ................................................................. Malgorzata Kostecki

**Graphic Design**, presented by Stephen Klema
Alex is a talented artist and designer taking his future education to the Hartford Art School ................................................................. Alex Rodriguez

**History**, presented by Francis Coan
Daniela is an exemplary student in both Western Civilization and U.S. History II ................................................................. Daniela Magalhaes

**Honors Computer Science/Math**, presented by Mahendra Shah
Stephen earned a 4.0 GPA with 29 credits ................................................................. Stephen Hall

**Human Services**, presented by Colleen Richard
Brianna earned a 3.95 GPA and is a member of Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society & the Tunxis Human Services club ................................................................. Brianna James

**Liberal Arts & Sciences**, presented by George Sebastian—Coleman
Michael earned a 3.93 GPA with courses across all the Liberal Arts & Sciences disciplines ................................................................. Michael Candelaria

**Mathematics**, presented by Nick Stugard
Navneet excelled in PreCalculus, Calculus I, and Calculus II with a 4.0 GPA ................................................................. Navneet Kaur

**Pathway to Teaching Careers**, presented by Susan Gentry
Christina is a dedicated and energetic student sure to succeed as a history teacher ................................................................. Christina Volpe

**Psychology**, presented by Francis Coan
Jennette earned a 3.80 GPA while working full time ................................................................. Jennette Gonzalez

**Sociology**, presented by Francis Coan
Richard has completed 9 credits in sociology and earned a 4.0 GPA ................................................................. Richard Boncek

**Technology Studies**, presented by Greg Szepanski
Behar has always been passionate about mechanics, building, repairing hence his decision to major in Engineering ................................................................. Behar Bimaj

**Visual Fine Arts**, presented by Carriane Garside
Jason has earned a 3.95 GPA with more than 57 credits at Tunxis ................................................................. Jason Glass
The Tunxis Community College graduating class of 2017 is proudly gifting to the Arts and International interests of the future at Tunxis
Dr. Addy has gracefully served the Tunxis Community since 1993 and prepares to quietly retire from Academia and her leadership role as President of Tunxis Community College on June 30.

She earned her doctorate in higher education leadership from the University of Texas. Early on, she had a vision for Tunxis to expand its 13-acre campus. By 1998 a master plan was in place with a new library that opened in 2008. It has free computer access and is open to the public, along with two new technology classroom buildings which were completed by 2013.

In 2000, Tunxis opened a satellite campus on North Main Street in Bristol. Today the college has its sights on an additional satellite campus, this one in New Britain.

Thanks to Dr. Addy, Tunxis is better prepared today for a campaign to build an on-campus auditorium and performance venue for its students and the community at large.
In Honor Of

Betty Boukus

Elizabeth A. “Betty” Boukus, was a long term member and supporter of the Tunxis Community College Foundation. In her role as Connecticut State Representative she represented the 22nd District for several years. She passed away on December 2, 2016.

Betty was born in New Britain, grew up in Plainville and earned her master’s degree from the University of Hartford. Most people knew Betty as a legislator, but above all, Betty was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother.

Terry Cassidy, Ed. D.

Dr. Terry Cassidy, has been an Associate Professor of English for the past 10 years and has decided to gracefully retire at the conclusion of this semester.

He was the 2014 recipient of the Board of Regents Teachers Award, and served as the Coordinator for the Center for Teaching.

He has been a member of the Tunxis Community College Foundation for more than five years. His literary work can be seen in the Art and Literary magazine of the Tunxis Community, OTTO.

Dr. Del P. Higham

Dr. Higham was instrumental in the early development of Tunxis Community College as Dean of Students, and Director of Institutional Development for nearly 20 years from 1979 to 1998.

Dr. Higham passed away on July 2, 2016 in Arizona. His wish was always to return to Connecticut. Dr. Higham’s final resting place is less 11 miles from the college, a place where he dedicated much of his life providing opportunities to those seeking to advance themselves through higher education.

F. Peter Sirois

Peter Sirois was the husband of Mary Ann (Mescone) Sirois for the past 46 years, and the father of the late Christopher A. Sirois. Peter was also a proud U.S. Navy veteran having served during the Vietnam war, and a retiree from the City of Bristol. He passed away on December 5, 2016.

Peter and his wife Mary Ann along with his sister Jean have honored his son Christopher Anthony Sirois with a Memorial Scholarship through the Tunxis Foundation.
Tunxis Community College Foundation and Advisory Board is a 501(c)(3) non-profit tax-exempt organization led by an Executive Director and a talented volunteer Board of Directors comprised of business and community leaders, students, faculty, and alumni. The Foundation exists solely for charitable and educational purposes.

Helen G. Sneed, Executive Director
Salvatore V. Vitrano, President
Gene F. Prentiss, Secretary/Treasurer
Chuck Pagano, Immediate Past President

James R. Albert................................................................. Retired, Central CT Chambers of Commerce
Mary Bencivengo.............................................................. Tunxis Community College Division Director of Allied Health Emerita
Keith J. Bernier.............................................................................................................. Webster Bank
Robert O. Ciraco........................................................................................................... Farmington Bank
S. Douglas DeNew....................................................................................................... Retired, TRUMPF, Inc.
Tom Fahey ...................................................................................................................... Independent Consultant
Timothy M. Fitch............................................................................................................ Retired, The Hartford
Arthur (Bud) Funk ....................................................................................................... Fourslide Spring and Stamping, Inc.
John W. Gallant........................................................................................................... The Hartford
Nancy B. Grassilli.......................................................................................................... Tunxis Community College Professor of Marketing Emerita
Aaron Jainchill ............................................................................................................... Jainchill & Beckert, LLC
Peter Kelley................................................................................................................. First Bristol Federal Credit Union
Dhiraj Khosla .................................................................................................................. Analytix BizMgmt LLC
Orlando Marquez ......................................................................................................... KeyBank
James (Jay) Murdick .................................................................................................... Thomaston Savings Bank
Michael S. Rivers ......................................................................................................... Tracy-Driscoll Insurance & Financial Services
I. Todd Russell ............................................................................................................. Maier True Communication
James T. Scott ................................................................................................................ Connecticut State Police
Ahmed Shaher ............................................................................................................... Symetra Life Insurance Company
Tim T. Stewart .............................................................................................................. Greater New Britain Chamber of Commerce
Robert J. Voight ........................................................................................................... Retired, Security – CT Life Insurance Company
Ty White ......................................................................................................................... Stanley Access Technologies at Stanley Black & Decker, Inc

Tunxis Community College Representatives

Cathryn L. Addy, Ph.D. (ex-officio) ................................................................................... President
Terry Cassidy, Ed.D. ........................................................................................................... Professor of English
Dr. Kimberly Hall James ................................................................................................. Director of Student Access, Success, and Engagement
Lynn L. Laskowski .......................................................................................................... Professor of Biology
Robert Smith, Ph.D. ....................................................................................................... Associate Professor of Life & Physical Sciences
David A. Sanabria .......................................................................................................... Tunxis Student Representative

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TUNXIS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION!

Special discount tickets available for $38 (box office regular price is $46), $33 (box office regular price is $41), $28 (box office regular price is $36) - and $22 (box office regular price is $29) per person and includes:

- $6 from every ticket sold will go back to benefit the Tunxis Community College Foundation!
- Convenient on-line ordering and at home ticket printing!
- Free Parking
- Intense Basketball Action

To purchase tickets, click on the link: http://bit.ly/Tunxis2017

Special Offer Code: Tunxis2017

Step-by-Step Ordering Process
Page 1 – Click on ‘Find Tickets’
Page 2 – Fill the Special Offer Code (Tunxis2017), leave email address blank, and click ‘Verify’
Page 3 – Look to far right side ‘Create an Account’ box and enter your email and click ‘Sign Up Now’
Page 4 – Fill out personal info, pick password then click ‘Continue’
Page 5 – Select number of tickets and click ‘Continue’
Page 6 – Confirm seat location and click ‘Continue’
Page 7 – Enter billing and payment info, click ‘Submit Order’

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YOU CAN BE A PHILANTHROPIST TODAY!

You can help a student today!

$13.00 - buys a meal for a student in the café
$63.00  - provides a student with a bus pass to get to class
$250.00 - textbook for class
$1,100.00  - 2 classes for one semester

The Tunxis Community College Foundation’s objective is to help shape the future and enhance the continuous development of the college, its students and alumni, and its faculty and staff through philanthropic activities that have a positive and beneficial impact upon both the college and the community it serves.

PLEDGE FOR YOUR CHARITY TODAY!

TRAVELERS CHAMPIONSHIP – BEYOND GOLF

The Travelers Championship is Connecticut’s largest annual professional sporting event and one of only two New England stops on the PGA TOUR. Held each year at TPC River Highlands in Cromwell, Conn., the tournament is an economic winner for the state and region, creating millions of dollars in local impact and generating money for charitable organizations. Each year the tournament donates 100 percent of net proceeds to charity and also provides a platform for our charitable partners to raise awareness for their missions. In 2016, the tournament generated a record $2.8 million for 160 charities. This brings the total to more than $36 million for regional charities since 1952.

HOW IT WORKS

SIMPLY MAKE A ONE-TIME FLAT-RATE DONATION OR
PLEDGE TWO CENTS OR MORE PER BIRDIE MADE AT THE 2017 TRAVELERS CHAMPIONSHIP

After the tournament, you’ll be mailed an invoice for your pledge amount.

In 2016, there were 1,841 birdies made at the Travelers Championship by the PGA TOUR professionals. 100% of your donation will benefit your designated charity. Also, your employer may be able to support your charity through a matching gift!

YOU GIVE, WE GIVE MORE

With the support of CohnReznick and Ford, your designated charity can receive a bonus! Each organization that raises money through the Birdies for Charity program will receive at least a 15% bonus on top of the pledges collected, up to a maximum bonus of $11,250 (equivalent to 15% of $75,000 in donations collected).

KEEP FOR YOUR RECORDS

Your pledge is based on the actual number of birdies scored.

I pledge $______ flat-rate donation OR $______ per birdie.

For example, if 1,800 birdies are made during the Travelers Championship, your total pledge would be:

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Since 2012, the Travelers Championship’s Birdies for Charity program has opened the door for Journey Home in three very important ways:

• It has given our board and staff a “fun” way to solicit donations without having to take on a heavy workload. It has also sensitized each of us to our fundraising obligations.

• It has helped us build awareness of Journey Home and its mission to a growing base of donors and prospects for future campaigns.

• From a modest beginning in year one, our Birdies for Charity fundraising doubled in year two and more than doubled again in year three, offsetting funding cuts from other sources during these critical growth years.

Mark F. Fox,
Journey Home, Inc.

TWO EASY WAYS TO DONATE

1. Online - For convenient online pledging, visit www.TravelersChampionship.com/Birdies-for-Charity

2. Fill out the attached pledge form. Please return all pledge forms and checks to:

CohnReznick
Attn: Birdies for Charity
350 Church Street, 12th Floor
Hartford, CT 06103

Please make checks payable to “Birdies for Charity”

Please see reverse side of form for more details.

PLEDGE FORM

I pledge and promise to donate the following amount for every birdie made during the 2017 Travelers Championship. I understand that the total number of birdies and my pledge will be calculated at the conclusion of the tournament and that I will be charged at that time.

• I would like to make a one-time donation in the amount of ____________

Other: ____________

*Minimum: $0.02

Charity of Choice: Tunxis CC Foundation

Name: ________________________________________________

Address: _____________________________________________

City: ____________________________ State: ______ Zip Code: _____

Telephone: (________)_______________________________

Email: _____________________________________________

FORM OF PAYMENT

Check Enclosed ☐ Invoice Me ☐ Credit Card ☐

MASTERCARD ☐ VISA ☐ AMEX ☐

Credit Card Number ________________________________

Expiration Date: ________

Security Code/CVV# (on back of card) ________

Please provide accurate payment information. If you have selected a flat-rate donation and a credit card payment, your card will be charged immediately. If you have selected a per birdie pledge, your balance due will be applied to your invoice or card at the conclusion of the tournament. You will receive confirmation of payment.