YOUR COMMUNITY FUND
THIS YEAR. EVERY YEAR.

Thanks to the collective power of our donors, The Falmouth Fund has made significant investments in non-profit organizations that serve our community and our residents. We are fortunate to be part of a vibrant town, full of committed and caring people who have a tradition of coming together to work for the common good.

Through this collaborative effort during its first decade, The Falmouth Fund has invested nearly $600,000 in 79 organizations that are doing important work in key areas: health and human services; education and youth programs; arts and culture; and the environment. Most important: these programs have had a meaningful impact on thousands of children, adults, and seniors across our community.

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$100,000 MATCHING GIFT CHALLENGE

The Willett Foundation Fund has generously provided a $100,000 matching gift to support our goal of building The Falmouth Fund’s endowment. The Willett Foundation Fund Challenge will provide a dollar-for-dollar match for new gifts and pledge commitments.

Join Us! Invest in Falmouth’s Future and Leverage the $100,000 Matching Gift

Our work is ongoing. We are committed to building a sustainable, permanent endowment that makes a difference in people’s lives. Your investment in The Falmouth Fund is an investment in the people and organizations that are helping to make Falmouth an even better place to live.

• Become a Falmouth Fund Community Philanthropist with a gift or pledge of $5,000 or more. Your pledge can be paid over a period of up to five years.
• Make a gift at any level. To maximize the impact of the Challenge, please consider a multi-year pledge.
• Make a planned gift (e.g. charitable gift annuity) or include The Falmouth Fund in your will. We would be happy to provide information.

Thank you so much for your generosity.
NEARLY $600,000 IN GRANTS AWARDED TO 79 ORGANIZATIONS

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RECIPIENTS 2010-2019

AIDS Support Group of Cape Cod
Alzheimer’s Family Support Center of Cape Cod
Arts Falmouth
Association to Preserve Cape Cod
Audible Local Ledger
Belonging to Each Other
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Cape Cod & the Islands
Boys & Girls Club of Cape Cod
Buzzards Bay Coalition
Calmer Choice
Cape Abilities
Cape Symphony & Conservatory
Cape Cod Child Development
Cape Cod Pride
Cape Cod Theatre Project
Child & Family Services
College Light Opera Company
Community Connections
Community Health Center of Cape Cod
Coonamessett Farm Foundation
Duffy Health Center
East Falmouth School Parent-Teacher Organization
Falmouth Academy
Falmouth Aquatics
Falmouth Art Center
Falmouth Band Parents
Falmouth Chamber Players Orchestra
Falmouth Chorale
Falmouth Community Television
Falmouth Council on Aging
Falmouth Garden Club
Falmouth High School
Falmouth Historical Society, Museums on the Green
Falmouth Hospital Auxiliary
Falmouth Housing Trust
Falmouth Public Library Foundation
Falmouth Public Schools
Falmouth Service Center
Falmouth Skatepark Association
Falmouth Soccer Club
Falmouth STEM Boosters
Falmouth Theatre Guild
Falmouth Together We Can
Falmouth Volunteers In Public Schools
Falmouth Water Stewards
Falmouth Youth Hockey League
FHS Clippers Sailing Team Boosters
Friends of Children’s Cove
Friends of Fairwinds
Friends of Falmouth Bikeways
Gosnold on Cape Cod
Habitat for Humanity of Cape Cod
Highfield Hall & Gardens
Hospice & Palliative Care of Cape Cod
Housing Assistance Corporation
Massachusetts Audubon: Long Pasture Wildlife Sanctuary
National Organization of Concerned Black Men – Cape Cod and the Islands Chapter
Neighborhood Falmouth
North Falmouth Elementary School
Police Athletic League of Cape Cod
Plan It Network
Recovery Without Walls
Salt Pond Areas Bird Sanctuaries
Samaritans on Cape Cod & the Islands
Sea Education Association
Sight Loss Services
The 300 Committee Land Trust
The GroundTruth Project
WCAI Cape & Island NPR Station
WE CAN Corporation
WellStrong
West Falmouth Library
Woods Hole Child Center
Woods Hole Film Festival
Woods Hole Historical Collection & Museum
Woods Hole Library
Woods Hole Research Center
YMCA Cape Cod
Zephyr Education Foundation

THE FALMOUTH FUND of The Cape Cod Foundation
Your Community Fund. This Year. Every Year.
2019 GRANT RECIPIENTS

In 2019, The Falmouth Fund of the Cape Cod Foundation Awarded $100,000 in Grants to 31 Nonprofit Organizations Plus a Special $10,000 Grant to the Falmouth Service Center

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STRATEGIC FOCUS GRANT RECIPIENTS

Three nonprofit organizations serving the Falmouth community received Strategic Focus Grants to address strategic initiatives or to build long-range organizational capacity.

**Falmouth Art Center, $5,000**
Supports the implementation of an extensive outreach program which reinforces the Center’s strategic goals to increase its presence in the community and expand its programs.

**WellStrong, $10,000**
Supports the creation of an Outreach Specialist position to forge relationships in the community to enable more people to become members and benefit from WellStrong’s substance use disorder recovery programs.

**Woods Hole Research Center (WHRC), $5,000**
Supports the Coonamessett River Adopt-A-Herring program, a collaboration between WHRC and The Coonamessett River Trust (CRT), that engages Falmouth students in a hands-on learning experience about the environment and river restoration.

GENERAL GRANT RECIPIENTS

Twenty-nine nonprofit organizations serving the Falmouth community received General Grants to address emerging opportunities, launch creative initiatives, or to cover the cost of small, one-time projects.

**Big Brothers Big Sisters of Cape Cod & the Islands, $5,000**
Supports technology upgrades that will enhance communication with families and volunteers, ultimately allowing staff to serve more children.

**Boys & Girls Club of Cape Cod, $5,000**
Supports the nearly 200 Falmouth children who participate in their after-school program or field-trip-based summer day camp.

**Buzzards Bay Coalition, $2,500**
Supports Discover Buzzards Bay: Falmouth, a hands-on program that educates and inspires students to be environmental stewards and Bay Adventures, programs that connect adults and families to the Bay and watershed.

**Cape Abilities, $4,500**
Supports the creation of a social networking group for individuals on the autism spectrum who are currently working or seeking work.

**Cape Arts and Entertainment, $1,000**
Supports Musical Menagerie, the Cape Conservatory’s annual collaboration with the Falmouth Chamber Orchestra, which introduces orchestral music to children and their families through an engaging, interactive concert experience.

**Cape Cod Pride, $2,000**
Supports Cape Cod Pride 2019, a day of celebration, learning, and inspiration that encourages participants to understand, support, and advocate for equality.

**Cape Cod Theatre Project, $500**
Supports the purchase of hearing aid devices to improve accessibility to theater programs.

**Coonamessett Farm Foundation (CFF), $4,900**
Supports The Turtle Tagging Project, a year-long pilot project that teams the CFF’s sea turtle biologist and Falmouth High School students to study the endangered loggerhead sea turtle.

**Falmouth Art Center, $1,000**
Supports the services of a systems engineer to develop a Systems Replacement Plan.

**Falmouth Band Parents, $2,500**
Supports the purchase of instruments and equipment for the percussion section of the FHS Marching Band.
Falmouth Historical Society, $2,000
Supports an oral history project with Falmouth students who are interviewing people about events during the second half of the 20th century—Civil Rights, First Moon Landing, Vietnam War, Woodstock, and more.

Falmouth Hospital Auxiliary, $3,000
Supports a scholarship for a Falmouth Hospital employee who is pursuing additional education in his/her field of expertise.

Falmouth Housing Trust, $5,000
Supports the Deer Road project that will provide affordable workforce housing in perpetuity.

Falmouth Public Schools, $5,000
Supports the final year of the three-year pilot of Calmer Choice, a program that teaches children self-regulation strategies to increase coping skills, decrease stress, and support positive decision-making.

Falmouth Service Center, $4,500
To purchase a new, industrial kitchen refrigerator to accommodate the growing need of the Center’s programs.

Falmouth STEM Boosters, $2,000
Supports bus transportation for STEM-related field trips—from Waquoit Bay to WHOI’s DunkWorks, from NOAA Fisheries to MBL’s squid tanks.

Falmouth Theatre Guild, $2,050
Supports the purchase of hearing enhancement systems to improve the theater experience for those who are hearing disabled.

Falmouth Together We Can, $2,000
Supports Celebrations, the 25-year tradition of providing an After-Prom event that keeps students safe with an evening of non-stop music, food, challenge events, crafts, and prizes.

Falmouth Volunteers In Public Schools, $1,900
Supports the CAST (Cross-Age Science Teaching) program that pairs 8th grade “science buddies” with small groups of third-graders in engaging, hands-on lessons and learning.

Highfield Hall & Gardens, $2,500
Supports phase two of the Gardens Initiative to further address the ADA accessibility along the existing Beech Tree Path down to the Harmony Path and surrounding nature trails.

Housing Assistance Corporation, $2,500
Supports the expansion of services in childcare, education, and transportation for Falmouth clients.

Mass Audubon—Long Pasture Wildlife Sanctuary, $2,500
Supports the Ecosystem Exploration Program that teaches Falmouth students about the Cape’s ecosystem by offering hands-on learning experiences.

Recovery Without Walls, $1,500
Supports The Gathering Point, a program that incorporates holistic treatments into conventional recovery programs by incorporating the services of a certified yoga and meditation instructor.

Sea Education Association, $1,000
Supports Trash Shouldn’t Splash, a community engagement program that promotes a reduction in use of single-use items, particularly plastic, to decrease waste on land and in the oceans.

The 300 Committee Land Trust, $4,700
Supports the handicapped-accessible trail expansion project at Two Ponds Conservation Area, a permanently protected nature preserve at the edge of Jones Pond and the rare Atlantic white cedar swamp.

The GroundTruth Project, $1,000
Supports GroundTruth’s bureau operations in Woods Hole and its in-depth environmental and climate change reporting by fellows who are training as the next generation of journalists.

West Falmouth Library, $1,000
Supports the continuation of the library’s oral history project to document the history of West Falmouth by recording the memories and stories of community members.

Woods Hole Film Festival, $2,000
Supports the expansion of Film Falmouth, a community film series and Bringing Science to the Screen, a unique pairing of films with talks by local scientists.

YMCA Cape Cod, $5,000
Supports scholarships for Falmouth children to participate in YMCA programs: memberships, before- and after-school programs, school-vacation camp, and summer camp at Camp Lyndon.

SPECIAL GRANT RECIPIENT

Falmouth Service Center

In February 2019, The Falmouth Fund made a special grant of $10,000 to the Falmouth Service Center to help counter the increased demand for its pantry and mobile food markets, as well as its financial assistance programs, caused by the partial government shutdown.
FAQs

THE $100,000 MATCHING GIFT CHALLENGE

Why is the Willett Foundation Fund providing the Challenge?
The Falmouth Fund is most grateful for the long-standing support of the Willett Foundation Fund and its shared commitment to address pressing needs and create opportunities within our community. The Matching Gift Challenge is intended to encourage community members to invest in this important work. As we come together to build The Falmouth Fund’s endowment, we will improve and enrich our community for today’s residents and for future generations.

Is there a minimum required contribution?
While gifts and pledges of all levels will be matched, we encourage donors to become Falmouth Fund Community Philanthropists with a commitment of $5,000 or more that can be paid out over a period of up to five years.

May I make a pledge commitment to be paid over time?
Donors may make outright gifts or enter into a pledge commitment to be fulfilled over a period of up to five years. Multi-year pledges are encouraged to maximize the impact of the matching gift. A signed pledge form is required to reserve matching funds.

How will matching funds be reserved and secured?
Matching funds will be reserved on a first-come, first-served basis until the matching fund is exhausted. Matching funds will be secured through an outright gift or reserved with a completed and signed pledge form.

Will my current pledge be matched?
We are most grateful for your generous support. The $100,000 Matching Gift Challenge is designed to engage new donors in our work so only new gifts and pledge commitments received on or after October 1, 2019 will be matched.

Will I receive updates on The Falmouth Fund?
Yes, each year you will receive notification of the grant recipients and the meaningful work they are doing in our community. We also encourage you to sign up for our enewsletter at capecodfoundation.org.
FAQs

THE FALMOUTH FUND

What is a Town Fund?
A Town Fund, like The Falmouth Fund, is a permanent endowment of The Cape Cod Foundation.

What does a Town Fund support?
It supports designated 501(c)3 charitable organizations in the community. Each grant cycle, local nonprofits submit proposals for projects and programs. The Town Fund Advisory and Grantmaking Committees decide which proposals to support. Town Funds typically fund a broad range of initiatives, including those that provide health and human services, offer educational and cultural enrichment, and address environmental concerns.

Who creates a Town Fund?
People who care about their community. People like you. Each of our Town Funds started as a grassroots movement. Some residents provided vision and leadership; others donated generously to create a charitable legacy for the community.

Who governs a Town Fund?
Each Town Fund forms an Advisory Committee and a Grants Review Committee comprised of town residents. The Foundation is an advisor and resource for each committee.

Why is being part of The Cape Cod Foundation important?
The Foundation, also a nonprofit, is the hub of the Cape’s philanthropic community. Through its civic leadership work, the team is extremely knowledgeable about the region’s nonprofit organizations and the work they are doing. It can provide Town Fund committees valuable insight and objective guidance during the grantmaking process.

Why a permanent endowment?
It has a greater impact in the community. As a permanent fund, the endowment will support Falmouth’s priorities today and in perpetuity. And, as the endowment grows over time, The Falmouth Fund can increase the grants they make to nonprofit organizations.

Why would someone donate to a Town Fund instead of making a gift directly to a local nonprofit organization?
A gift to a Town Fund has two key benefits: it helps many local organizations every grant cycle, and it helps build the endowment so that the Fund can continue to award grants in the future. Also, when a single gift is combined with other gifts, its impact multiplies.
THE FALMOUTH FUND OF THE CAPE COD FOUNDATION
$100,000 MATCHING GIFT CHALLENGE

[ ] Yes! I would like to participate in the $100,000 Matching Gift Challenge to benefit The Falmouth Fund of The Cape Cod Foundation.

I understand that matching funds are limited and will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

Please complete the information below.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name(s)_______________________________________________________________________________________________

Spouse/Partner (Optional) __________________________________________________________________________________

Address_______________________________________________________________________________________________

City_____________________________________________ State___________________ Zip_______________________

Phone ______________________________________________ Email _______________________________________________

Signature (required for all pledges) _____________________________________________________________________________

[ ] Yes, I/we would like to be included in the list of The Falmouth Fund Community Philanthropists and Donors.

[ ] No, please do not list me. I would like my gift to be anonymous.

[ ] Please send The Falmouth Fund enewsletter to the email address listed above

PLEDGE COMMITMENTS (Pledges can be paid over a period of up to five years.)

PLEDGE AMOUNT

[ ] I/We pledge $5,000 or more to be Falmouth Fund Community Philanthropists. Amount: $___________________

[ ] I/We pledge a total of: [ ] $2,500 [ ] $1,000 [ ] $500 [ ] Other/Amount $___________________

PLEDGE SCHEDULE: (We will send pledge reminders to the address above.)

[ ] Annually [ ] Semi-annually [ ] Quarterly [ ] Monthly

Duration (# years): __________ Start Date (month/year) __________ Amount per payment: $____________

[ ] I/We would like to make our first pledge payment of $__________ today.

[ ] Enclosed is my/our check, made payable to The Falmouth Fund.

[ ] I/We prefer to pay by credit card.

You may make your first payment online at FalmouthFund.org or contact The Cape Cod Foundation at 508.790.3040.

The Foundation will charge subsequent payments to your credit card according to the Pledge Schedule you indicated above.

OUTRIGHT GIFTS

[ ] I/We are making an Outright Gift of $5,000 or more to be Falmouth Fund Community Philanthropists. Amount $___________________

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FALMOUTH FUND ENEWSLETTER
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BUSINESS FOR A GREATER FALMOUTH

The Falmouth business community has a long tradition of collaboration and teamwork. Business owners lead by example—serving on boards, coaching teams, mentoring youth programs, and volunteering with nonprofit and civic organizations. We believe the goal of these efforts is to ensure a strong and vibrant community for all of our residents.

For the past decade, The Falmouth Fund has worked toward this shared goal by making significant investments in nonprofit organizations that serve our community. As we enter our second decade, we are eager to leverage the experience of the business community and expand our collaboration for the benefit: A Greater Falmouth.

INTRODUCING THE BUSINESS COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP OF THE FALMOUTH FUND

THE FUTURE OF FALMOUTH
Partnering with The Falmouth Fund is a dynamic way to maximize your philanthropic impact across the Falmouth community. Each year, we make grants to approximately 30 nonprofit organizations that are undertaking important work in health and human services; education and youth programs; arts and culture; and the environment. Members of the Advisory and Grant Committees meet regularly with key civic and business leaders for input on pressing issues we face and areas of greatest priority and need.

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## Business Partnership Levels

### THE BUSINESS COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP
OF THE FALMOUTH FUND

#### RECOGNITION LEVELS
Payable Over 5 Years with Signed Pledge Form.

- **Platinum Business Community Partner** $50,000+
- **Gold Business Community Partner** $25,000-$49,999
- **Silver Business Community Partner** $10,000-$24,999
- **Bronze Business Community Partner** $5,000-$9,999
- **Business Community Partner** Up to $4,999

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