Jack Madison lived a full and prosperous life and believed in giving back to his community with his time and treasure. For us at GAF, he was particularly special because he was the first to establish a Charitable Remainder Unitrust with us. His confidence and support in our young foundation helped pave the way for many more CRUTs to be established by other community members.

Jack enjoyed working in his gardens along with attending Alliance High and Mount Union sporting events. You would find him volunteering at Carnation Days, his church, the Shade Tree Committee and the hospital. Not too many people can say they logged over 18,000 volunteer hours at the hospital, but Jack did because he loved serving others. GAF is proud to be associated with such an outstanding community servant and we want to say thank you for being a pace setter in supporting our work by establishing our first charitable trust.

Thank you, Jack!
**Surprise Announcement**

Saturday, August 11th, was a big day for the Robert T. White School of Practical Nursing as community members, school staff, students and former graduates came together to celebrate the school’s 15th anniversary.

The foundation used the celebration to make a surprise announcement to commemorate the occasion. **The GAF, which is entering its 20th year, awarded a check for over $52,000 to purchase additional pieces of medical equipment including a female patient simulator to continue the high quality instruction the students receive at the school.**

“This is a tremendous gift from the Foundation and with so many obstetrical units in the area closing, it has been difficult to find clinical sites for the students. This simulator will greatly enhance the students’ obstetrical learning experience,” said Bonnie Newton, Director of the Robert T. White School.

The Foundation also announced that **$250,000 will be used to establish the Robert T. White Scholarship Fund.**

Andy White, son of the late Dr. Robert T. White traveled from California to attend this event. He enjoyed his time at the celebration and spoke to the current and past LPNs about his father’s legacy and vision for the school.

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**Giving Back!**

Summer Explorers held a car wash in July to learn more about community service and decided to give the money they earned back to the program that they enjoy so much.

**GAF accepted a check for $193.00 into the Summer Explorers Fund from the campers in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Peters.** Over the last four years, Summer Explorers significantly kept at risk children engaged to reduce their summer learning loss.

**Special thanks to our donors for their valuable support to this program:**
- Dr. Juli Burnell • Mr. and Mrs. Richard Campbell • Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Carlinle • Hon. and Mrs. R. R. Denny Clunk • Dr. Thomas Dietrich • Mr. and Mrs. Brad Goris • Mrs. Carol Grove • Dr. and Mrs. Steve Kramer • Hon. Robert Lavery • Mrs. Sue Neil • Mr. and Mrs. John Peters • Mr. and Mrs. David Puterbaugh • Dr. and Mrs. Mel Rittner • Mr. and Mrs. Scott Robertson • and Mrs. Gayle Sutherin on behalf of the Ruth Walter Charitable Fund.

**This year, the Summer Explorers were able to collaborate with Mount Union’s Theatre Department to study and perform excerpts from Shakespearean plays for an entire week through the generous support of the Alison Draves Performing Arts Fund.**
Celebrating our 2018 Community Scholarship Recipients

**ATHENA SCHOLARSHIP**
$1,000 nonrenewable scholarship
**Olivia Woods** graduated from Sebring and attends The University of Akron.

**CARNATION CITY PLAYERS SCHOLARSHIP**
$600 nonrenewable scholarship
**Amy Tolston** graduated from Marlington and attends Cleveland State University.

**CUSTOM POLY BAG SCHOLARSHIP**
$2,000 renewable scholarship
**Ashley Baldwin** graduated from Marlington and attends The University of Akron.

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$2,000 renewable scholarship
**Elizabeth McClung** graduated from Marlington and attends The University of Mount Union.

**CUSTOM POLY BAG SCHOLARSHIP**
$2,000 renewable scholarship
**Jacob Stewart** graduated from Minerva and attends Youngstown State University.

**CINDY SHETLER SACCO WELLNESS WARRIOR SCHOLARSHIP**
$500 nonrenewable scholarship
**Abby Moore** graduated from Alliance and attends Walsh University.

**NANCY TEEPLE PENNY NURSING SCHOLARSHIP**
$2,000 nonrenewable scholarship
**Abbie Greer** graduated from Minerva and attends The Ohio State University Agricultural Technical Institute.

**SARAH GRACE STANLEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
$1,000 nonrenewable scholarship
**Holly Salyers** attends the R.T. White School.

**NANCY TEEPLE PENNY NURSING SCHOLARSHIP**
$2,232 nonrenewable scholarship
**Joshua Toot**, LPN graduated from the R.T. White School.

**CINDY SHETLER SACCO WELLNESS WARRIOR SCHOLARSHIP**
$500 nonrenewable scholarship
**Shawnna Vizzuso**, LPN graduated from the R.T. White School.
Recent Grants

$5k
Alliance Area Senior Center
Provided support for an outside digital sign.

$2k
Rodman Public Library
Funded the Fogle Author Series which brought authors to Alliance to augment the library's outreach to the community.

$52k
Robert T. White School of Practical Nursing
Provided an array of nursing equipment to the school including a female patient simulator.

$1.5k
Regina Coeli Preschool and First Baptist Preschool & Child Care Center
To cover the cost of enrollment fees for families in need through the Drs. Robert and Sally Reed Early Education Fund.

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