



## **Southington Education Foundation**

### **Annual Report**

**April 2015-April 2016**

#### **April 2015**

SEF's Fifth Annual Community Spelling Bee earned approximately \$9,000

#### **May 2015**

Southington Education Foundation awarded two inaugural scholarships:

STEM Scholarship for \$1,000 to Erik Bergland

Joseph V. Erardi, Jr. Scholarship for \$1,000 to Madison Chapman

#### **June 2015**

SEF members' work at the Southington Drive-in earned a \$1,200 profit share

Southington Board of Education recognized the SEF for funding the 2014-2015

Third Grade Art Program in partnership with the New Britain Museum of American Art, the Southington Public Schools and the Community Foundation of Greater New Britain

#### **July 2015**

Executive Board voted to continue the Third Grade Art program through 2015-2016. Board supported the 2016-2017 program dependent on outside funding sources.

#### **August 2015**

SEF representative at the Southington Public Schools Convocation at SHS

**September 2015**

Attendance at the CT Consortium of Educational Foundations (CTCEF)

Fan of the Foundation Gala garnered nearly \$20,000

**October 2015**

Fourth Grade Science-at-Sloper program began its fifth year

**November 2015**

SEF approved a \$3,000 donation to the CyberKnights Robotics Team

**December 2015**

Plan to increase Grant applications

Open meeting at The Orchards for potential SEF members

**January 2016**

Google Docs workshop held for all SEF members

**February 2016**

Executive Board Retreat: Stages of a Non-profit

**March 2016**

SEF co-sponsored the Record Journal Town-wide Spelling Bee

**April 2016**

SEF approved funding the SPS and the CCSU Technology and Engineering Department Partnership. The CCSU Partnership will benefit students in the middle schools as well as the high school.

Respectfully submitted,

Jan Galati, Chairperson

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