Letter from the Executive Director

It's easy to find yourself in awe of North Allegheny students. Our musicians, scientists, athletes, authors, and student leaders accomplish incredible things before they graduate. I'm equally amazed by our teachers, administrators, and staff who mentor and guide these students.

Over the past few years, North Allegheny Foundation has become an increasingly important part of the support network that provides excellence in education to over 8,500 students. Through grants to classrooms and schools, building partnerships with community leaders and scholarships to graduating seniors, NA Foundation continues to provide resources for every NA student.

For the first time, we have engaged NA Alumni in both recognizing alumni achievements and supporting student success. The Distinguished Alumni Gala and subsequent mentoring program at NASH provided a beautiful opportunity for us to gather as a community and celebrate.

All of this was only possible because of your ongoing support of NA Foundation. Today we celebrate the importance and impact of your gifts of generosity. On behalf of every student, teacher staff and administrator, I thank you.

Warmly,

Abigayle Tobia, MNM, CFRE, GPC
Executive Director
Who We Are and What We Do

North Allegheny Foundation (NAF) is a broad-based community organization founded in 1989. The Foundation is governed by a 23-member Board of Trustees representing a diverse group of community and business leaders who are dedicated to supporting excellence in education. In 29 years, NAF has distributed over $400,000 in grants to NA Schools and thousands more in scholarships to outstanding graduating seniors.

North Allegheny Foundation pursues its mission and strategic goals through three primary activities:

- **Grant Making**: Distributes funds to North Allegheny teachers, schools, and the District in support of the District’s six strategic goals.
- **Connecting**: Builds relationships with community members, parents, alumni, and business leaders in support of the Foundation’s mission.
- **Scholarships**: Provides scholarships to exceptional students graduating from North Allegheny High School. The Foundation also facilitates scholarships through donor restricted scholarships and community partnerships.

Impact of the Foundation in 2017-2018

- **$89,000 in grants to NA Schools and Teachers**
- **$14,500 in scholarships for NA Seniors**
- **$3,800 of donations through Fund a Project**
- **$1,035 of Angel Funds for students in need**

$108,335 for North Allegheny students
Grants

NA Foundation supports all 12 schools through grants to teachers and innovative programs. During the 2017-2018 school year, $89,000 was given directly to schools for a variety of innovative programming, building improvements, and overall student support.

Bradford Woods Elementary School
- $500 - Welcome to Bradford Woods sign
- $500 - GOAL classroom enhancement

Franklin Elementary School
- $2,000 - Osmos docking stations
- $1,750 - Physical Education equipment
- $1,500 - Bee-Bots

Hosack Elementary School
- $3,240 - Flip Forms
- $1,110 - Hosack Makerspace
- $500 - Sensory classroom needs

Ingomar Elementary School
- $4,000 - Early literacy support
- $2,000 - Student standing desks

McKnight Elementary School
- $2,500 - Emotional support programming
- $880 - News Studio STEM

Marshall Elementary School
- $7,500 - Hummingbird Robotics Kit
- $5,500 - Bikes for Health & Physical Education

Peebles Elementary School
- $1,500 - Blue-Bots

Carson Middle School
- $3,600 - After-School Achievement bus
- $1,500 - Green screen room
- $500 - Water bottle filling station

Ingomar Middle School
- $17,000 - CNCs in the Classroom
- $1,500 - Green screen room
- $511.21 Making Sense of Sensory Needs
- $500 - Water bottle filling station

Marshall Middle School
- $2,000 - Innovation
- $1,500 - Community-Based Instruction
- $1,240 - Ukuleles for All
- $700 - Hallway broadcasting

All Middle Schools
- $6,000 - Middle School Tech competitions

North Allegheny Intermediate High School
- $2,455 - Vinyl Printer/Cutter, Heat Transfer Press
- $1,500 - Sensory Room
- $750 - Community-Based Instruction

North Allegheny Senior High School
- $6,500 - Band Instruments
- $3,500 - Live-Streaming Update
- $3,000 - JROTC Flags
Scholarship Recipients

McCandless Industrial Development Authority Scholarships
Justin Locke, Alexandra Schneider

NA Foundation Extra Effort Scholarship
Carll Owens

NA Foundation Scholarship for Excellence in Service
Samidha Sane

NA Foundation Scholarship for Excellence in Arts
Matthew Rees

NA Foundation Scholarship for Excellence in Leadership
Sebastian Immonen

Kyle Chase Johnson Memorial Scholarship
Brennen White

James R. Wall Humanitarian Scholarship
Marshall Henry

NA Foundation Scholarship for Excellence in Academics
Janet Wang

Frank J. Farina Award for Musical Excellence
Christopher Fedor

Joseph Wissinger Memorial Biology/Science Scholarship
Heya Lee

Peter Wei Cai Academic Memorial Scholarship
Anna Barton

Peter Wei Cai Swimming and Diving Memorial Scholarship
Andrew Zhang

Christine Loverti Memorial Scholarship
Yosen Wang

Coach Charles Sabatos Scholarship
Carmeron Phillips, Tess Wright

Robert & Margaret Miller Scholarship
Ryan Beck

Dr. Thomas Carson Scholarship
Serena Yan

Sally Duffett Memorial Scholarship
Anna Barton, Julia Puntil
Sources of Support

**Ways to Support**

**Educational Improvement Tax Credit**
The Pennsylvania Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC) offers businesses the chance to support North Allegheny Foundation and receive a tax credit up to 90% of its contribution. These funds are essential in providing opportunities for students to explore science, technology, engineering, and mathematics through hands-on learning. For more information on the EITC program, contact the Department of Community and Economic Development (DCED); the Educational Improvement Tax Credit Program Center for Business Financing: Tax Credit Division at (717) 787-7120 or ra-eitc@pa.gov.

**United Way**
If your employer participates in a workplace giving campaign through the United Way, you can use the Contributor’s Choice option to direct your gift to North Allegheny Foundation using Contributor’s Choice code 3567.

*A complete annual financial review is pending*
Annual Fund Contributors

Over $5,000
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Chris Seabolt '93
John Sieminski
Amy Soergel '03
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North Allegheny Executive Council, in memory of Linda Shoop Briggs, mother of Libby Blackburn

NA Health Services Department, in memory of Jane Maximo, mother of Gwynn Maximo

Scott Russell in honor of Gwynn Maximo

Jane Potter in honor of Allegheny North Swim Club

The Mehta Family in honor of Franklin Elementary Staff

The Mehta Family in honor of Jeff Andrchak

Mr. & Mrs. Kermit E. Houser in honor of the Greg Otto Family

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Alumni Gala Supporters
Prime State Theater
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A Taste of NA
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A Taste of NA Supporting Vendors
Arsenal Hard Cider
Bistro 9101
Brusters Ice Cream
Crazy Prettels
D&O Wine Cellars
 Ditkas
Divine Dips
Emporio
Franklin Inn
Gigi’s Cupcakes
Good L’Oven
Shannopin Country Club
Soergel Orchards Catering
T-Bones
The Brew House
Turo Chiropractic
Zuppas

North Allegheny Foundation Golf Classic
Matello Bruno & Macielo (Title)
PNC Bank (Title)
UPMC Health Plan
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Richard Walter Holm

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McCandless Industrial Development Authority

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