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Grants Awarded to Autauga Area Organizations

The Autauga Area Community Foundation will award **\$26,501** in grants on **Thursday, May 12 at 5:00 p.m.** at the **Alabama Wildlife Federation, 3050 Lanark Road in Millbrook**. Since AACF began in 1998, the Foundation has awarded nearly \$400,000 in grants to organizations throughout Autauga county. The Elmore County Community Foundation's grants also were awarded at the same reception. For more information about the grants awarded or the Autauga Area Community Foundation, please visit www.aacfinfo.org or call Caroline Montgomery Clark (334) 264-6223.

The 2011 Grant Recipients are:

- **Autauga Academy East Campus Daycare and Learning Center** will receive **\$2,295** to replace flooring in its child care facility.
- **Autauga County Family Support Center** will receive **\$2,000** to offer a summer reading/math camp to K-8 students at Autaugaville School.
- **Autauga Interfaith Care Center** will receive **\$1,560** to purchase a roll-on weight scale to weigh food and personal care items that are donated to AICC and distributed to clients.
- **Autauga-Prattville Public Library** will receive **\$1,500** to provide a portion of the match needed for a federal library grant to purchase additional computers, upgrade software, and replace computers.
- **Child Protect, CAC** will receive **\$1,600** to provide 8 forensic interviews and 6 hours of counseling.
- **Easter Seals Central Alabama** will receive **\$500** to to open an Autism Family Resource Center that will feature a computer resource lab and a library of information, host parent-to-parent support groups, and offer educational workshops to provide the knowledge/skills to support children and adults with autism.
- **Habitat for Humanity of Autauga and Chilton Counties, Inc.** will receive **\$2,500** to provide a handicapped client a home that is handicap-accessible, well sealed from weather and insects, and utilizes sustainable building methods to increase energy efficiency.

- **Montgomery Area Family Violence Program Inc. d.b.a. Family Sunshine Center** will receive **\$2,500** to provide shelter and related services to Autauga County domestic violence and sexual assault victims.
- **Montgomery Area Nontraditional Equestrians** will receive **\$900** to provide scholarship assistance for 3 riders to participate in this 10-week therapeutic riding program for those with disabilities at a cost of \$300/rider.
- **Office of the District Attorney** will receive **\$1,560** to support the Helping Families Initiative's efforts to target truant students and those with behavioral problems and to change behavioral problems before students become part of the juvenile justice system.
- **Prattville Intermediate School** will receive **\$1,800** to provide a smart board in the special education classroom.
- **Prattville/Autauga Humane Society** will receive **\$1,000** to purchase digital platform scales, a microscope and supplies, and grooming supplies.
- **Seat of Mercy Community Development, Inc.** will receive **\$2,500** to provide an afterschool care program in Autaugaville.

FIELD OF INTEREST AND OTHER GRANTS

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- **Prattville Lions Club** will receive **\$4,286** to assist eye care recipients with eye glasses and eye examinations when patients are financially unable to bear the costs of eye glasses and examinations.