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FRIENDS OF WOODSTOCK SCHOOL

# 2020-2021 ANNUAL REPORT

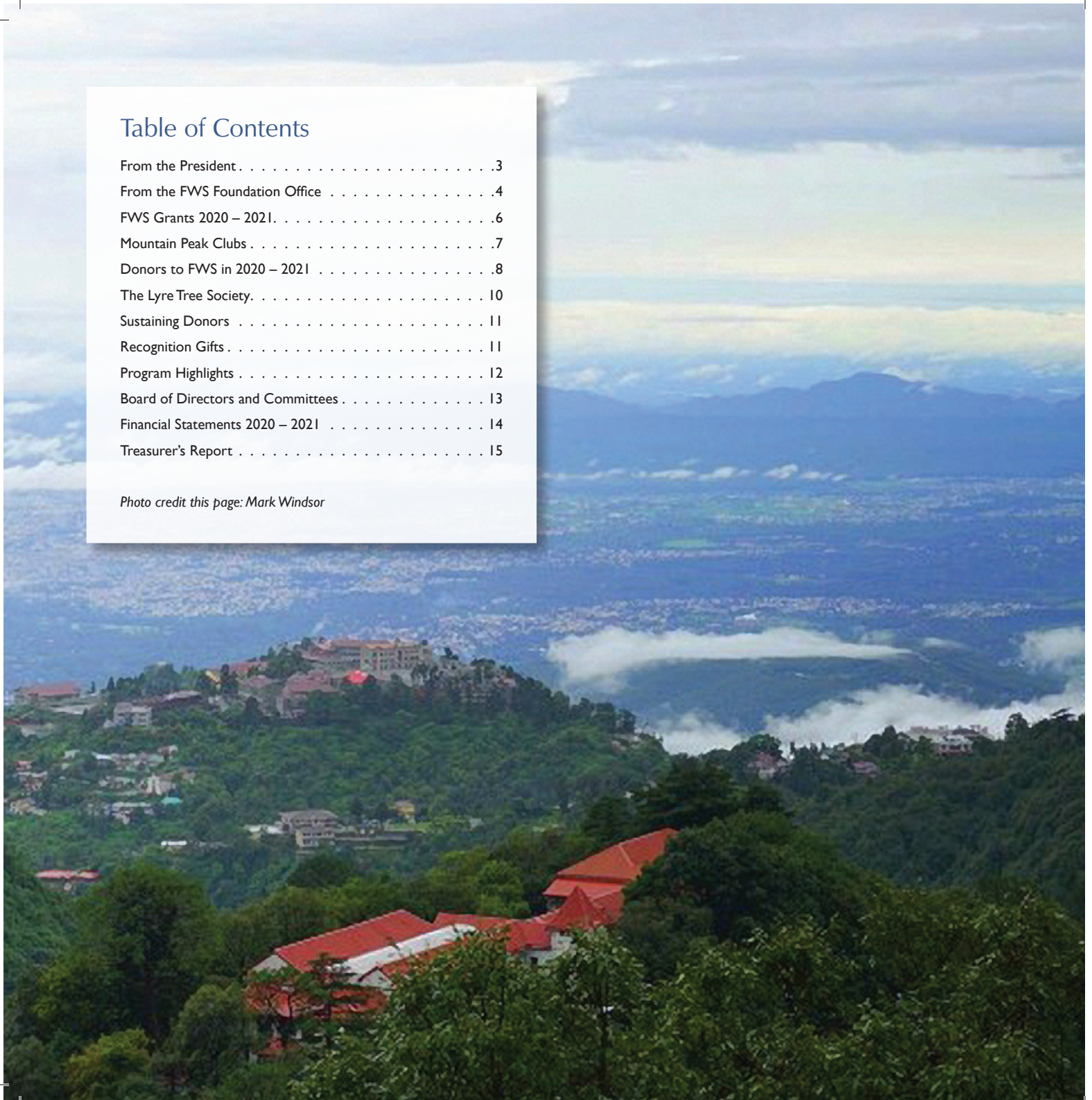
*"Friends of Woodstock School is superbly positioned to support the work Woodstock School continues to do."*



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## President's Message

Dear Alumni Community,

We are an approximately 3,000-strong community of Woodstock alumni, staff, parents and friends bound together by our experience of being nurtured on the Landour hillside. Thanks to the support and commitment of this community, FWS has been able to provide significant financial, administrative and alumni engagement support to Woodstock for over a generation.

Over the past decade we have watched Woodstock thrive and be recognized as one of the leading international schools in Asia. Over the past two years this momentum was stalled by the COVID pandemic, but as I write this message in the spring of 2022 I am happy to report that Woodstock survived the COVID disruptions and students are back in full force on campus. Craig Cook, Woodstock's Principal, has done a good job managing the pandemic challenges, and I believe Woodstock has a strong academic and administrative leadership team in place to lead the school forward.

In my message this year I would like to call your attention to how Woodstock was able to make lemonade out of lemons during the peak of the pandemic. During the months when the school was closed and students were involved in distance learning, Woodstock pushed forward renovating classrooms and building a completely renovated and state-of-the-art science wing in the High School. Because of COVID, the school had that rare opportunity to do a quality renovation of science labs and classrooms without massive disruption to teachers and students. As many of you know, this was TZ's dream come true: to have first-rate science facilities and a good science faculty located within the heart of the High School. Woodstock could never have done this with all students packed in on campus.

The alumni community and FWS came to Woodstock's support in a big way over the past two years. We made grants of over \$1.8 million during this period. The biggest chunk of this support was to renovate the science labs, with a pledge of funding of \$500,000 from Rick Downs, Class of '79 toward this project and FWS matching Rick's gift. The Woodstock staff and students are very grateful to Rick for his support, as is the alumni community here in North America.

We anticipate an active period of grant support over the next couple of years in five key areas: renovation of Quad music facilities, scholarships, advanced certification and professional development for teachers, community engagement, including support for the Kaplani School, and

a major renovation of Parker Hall in the High School. None of these grants would be possible without your interest, commitment and generous support. If you would like to know more about any of these key areas of support, please contact David or Connie Wheeler at our Freeland, WA office or reach out to any of the FWS Board members. We would be glad to speak with you about any of these programs and projects.

David and Connie Wheeler and those of us on the FWS Board look forward to catching up with many of you on Zoom calls over the next few months and at our next FWS / WOSA Reunion, which we are planning to hold virtually over a 3-day weekend from July 29th -31st, 2022. We had hoped the 2022 reunion would be an in-person gathering, but COVID uncertainties last fall made this unrealistic. But stay tuned. We are currently planning an in-person reunion for 2023 to be held in the Phoenix area.

As always, the FWS Board thanks you for your past and continuing support, and would like to hear your ideas and suggestions of ways in which you would like to help us grow as an organization. FWS is committed to serving its members and supporting the school's strategic goals, particularly in challenging times like these.



*Bruce Davis*

President, Friends of Woodstock School

## Message from the Friends of Woodstock School Foundation Office

As COVID and its variants remain a part of our lives, we feel fortunate that our office stayed open and we could continue our work. Woodstock faced challenges with grace and strength, and, as we said last year and must say again... so did all of you. You will always be our inspiration and we can never thank you enough for your collaboration with FWS.

We reached out to you by phone, emails, large MailChimp email blasts, Facebook posts, and ever-present Zoom meetings. The annual meeting and reunion went virtual in 2021 and we had our first online auction. Thank you letters, holiday cards, and all the ways that connect you to us and to Woodstock remained unchanged.

David continues to manage the accounting, grants to Woodstock, secured online donations, contracts, agreements, and remains solidly alongside FWS' Board and Officers, Alumni Committee, Finance Committee, and Scholarship Committee. Connie manages FWS communications, the website's content updates, database management, email blasts, FWS Facebook, Board meeting materials, annual reports, reunions and gatherings assistance and associated materials, and any sort of outreach to help stay in touch with you.

Once again, we want to share what we've been doing from July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021 - the scope of this Annual Report.

### **12 MailChimp Email Blasts**

### **57 Facebook Posts**

### **Website**

- The close out of 2021's Virtual Annual Meeting and Reunion, the Reunion's Online Auction, and updates for our next Annual Meeting and Reunion which will again be virtual in 2022.
- Updates for pages and data throughout the FWS website.

### **Spring and Fall Appeals**

- Hardcopy letters and inserts designed and mailed to North America alumni and friends with digital follow-up.

### **430 Holiday Greeting Cards**

- Hardcopy cards designed and mailed to donors with personalized notes.

### **Annual Meeting and Reunions**

- Planning Committee support for 2021's virtual reunion, media announcements for the virtual reunion, the online auction, and the virtual annual meeting held separately in 2021.





- Management of the Trellis online auction platform including design, individual auction items input, messaging to item donors and successful bidders, banking information for Trellis, and follow up with auction donors and bidders when the auction closed.

**Grants to Woodstock, Li Chu Scholarship Grants, and Endowed Scholarship Grants, which totaled \$797,354; preparation and follow-up**

- \$680,775 in Designated Grants (see the grants report)
- \$ 68,500 in Scholarship Grants (see the grants report)
- \$ 48,079 in Endowed Scholarship Grants (see the grants report)
- Review and follow-up of grant utilization reports.

**Endowment Reports**

- Prepared and mailed to all establishing endowment donors.

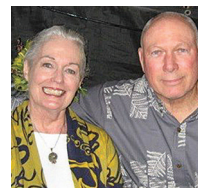
**Annual Review Report**

- Preparation for audit firm and completion for prior fiscal year. We have moved from an audit to a review by our audit firm.

**Database Management**

- Database updates are entered as received from alumni, donations are entered, and queries based on custom filters, reports, and sorts are done by FWS for staff and alumni.
- Updates and corrected information continue to be cross-referenced against the MailChimp list(s) used for email blasts.

With grateful and heartfelt thanks to YOU ALL! Stay safe, stay healthy, stay in touch,



*Connie and David Wheeler*

## FRIENDS OF WOODSTOCK SCHOOL | GRANTS TO WOODSTOCK

The FWS Board of Directors reviews and approves all grants made from its designated and undesignated funds.

Grants made in FY 2020-2021 total \$797,354 consisting of:

### Designated Grants

#### **Woodstock School Centre for Imagination | \$270,000**

To fund the renovation of the Centre for Imagination (Tafton).

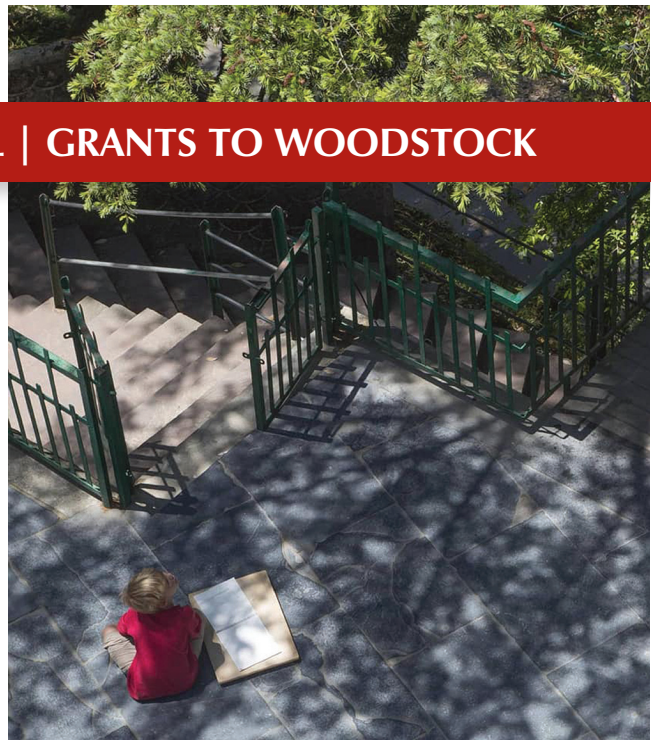
#### **Woodstock School Classroom Renovations | \$206,762**

To fund the renovation of High School and Quad classrooms to ensure they are comfortable, insulated, ergonomic and multi-functional. In other words “from wall to wall and from ceiling to floor and everything in between.” With the support of so many and matching funds from Friends of Woodstock School, the following classrooms were renovated:

- HS 20 in honor of Bill and Dorothy Whitcomb
- HS 22 in honor of Saroj Kapadia
- HS 23 in honor of Sybil Geisinger.
- HS 24 in honor of Janette Cowan Blair
- HS 25 in honor of Bob Morris
- QS 34 in honor of Woodstock's Unsung Heroes: custodians, janitors, cooks and many others.
- QS 35 in celebration of the donors who have for nearly 50 years made it possible for Friends of Woodstock School to fund grants in support of Woodstock.
- QS 37 in honor of Savitaben Amin
- QS 39 in honor of Diversity

#### **Covid 19 Emergency Relief Grant | \$131,133**

To supplement Woodstock School's effort in supporting its staff, employees and their families and the local community during the Covid 19 pandemic.



#### **Hanifl Centre Grant | \$30,352**

To fund (1) the 2020 Virtual Online Mussoorie Mountain Festival (2) to translate and publish the Hanifl Centre Teaching Manual and (3) to support Hanifl Centre staff and operations.

#### **Woodstock School Portable Sound System | \$24,850**

To purchase a new portable sound system to better support experiential outdoor learning programs and entertainment in outdoor spaces.

#### **Class of '70 Woodstock Employees Children's Education Fund | \$12,350**

The 50th anniversary gift from the Class of '70 in support of the Woodstock Employees Children's Education Fund.

#### **Timberline Foundation | \$4,753**

In support of Timberline's engagement with Kaplani School.

#### **Jai Ho Indian Restaurant | \$575**

To support the repair of the restaurant damaged in the Tampa street riots.

### Scholarship Grants

#### **The Li-chiang Chu Scholarship Fund | \$68,500**

This fund provides supplemental financial support to non-U.S. or non-Canadian students who are graduates of Woodstock School and have

successfully completed at least one semester or one quarter of studies at an accredited educational institution.

Awarded to:

- Abdul Ansari | \$5,000
- Abhishek Bhandari | \$10,000
- Meghna Das | \$5,000
- Avany Joab | \$5,000
- Ayaan John | \$5,000
- Hyechan Jun | \$13,500
- Hyeji Jun | \$25,000

#### **Endowed Scholarship Grants | \$48,079**

**Loehlin Family Scholarship** awarded to Karis Noori in the amount of \$7,818.

**Bishop J. Waskom Pickett Scholarship** awarded to Eliya Batapa in the amount of \$10,312.

**Joseph Schoonmaker Scholarship** awarded to Mesalenuo Tsurho in the amount of \$17,875.

**Elizabeth Webster Shillington Scholarship** awarded to Luke D'Souza in the amount of \$5,429.

**K.G. Singh Scholarship** awarded to Kungdiangbou Wijunamai in the amount of \$6,645.



## MOUNTAIN PEAK CLUBS

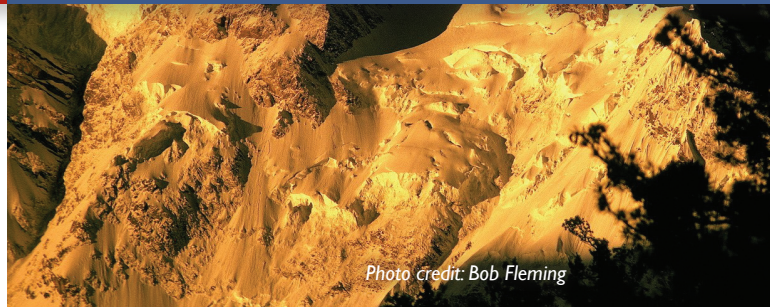


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### **The Nanda Devi Mountain Club**

We recognize and celebrate the following alumni and friends who have a lifetime giving of between \$500,000 and \$2,000,000 to Friends of Woodstock School:

Li-chiang Chu '59 †

T.Z. Chu '52 †

Frederick Downs '79

Downs Foundation

Suzanne Turner Hanifl '63

Robin Parker '48 †

David Schoonmaker '62

### **The Kedar Dome Mountain Club**

We recognize and celebrate the following alumni and friends who have a lifetime giving of between \$100,000 and \$499,000 to Friends of Woodstock School:

Jane de Rochemont Alley F †  
& Ralph Alley '32 †

Judith Dillingham '57

Ernest Hezlep Fund

Arline Picken Lincoln '40 †

James Loehlin '51

Lois Lyon Neumann '44

Willem Parson '49 †  
& Norma Parson

Margaret Pickett Sagan '42 †

Betty Bauman Shelly '48

Timberline Foundation

### **The Bandarpunch Mountain Club**

We recognize and celebrate the following alumni and friends who have a lifetime giving of between \$50,000 and \$99,000 to Friends of Woodstock School:

Anonymous Donor

Joseph Chacko '49

Marian Griffiths Demcisak '57

Lela Folders S

Robert Griffiths '52

Marjorie Hill '42 †

Dorothy Koenig Powers '44 †

Marlin Schoonmaker '67

Edith Theis-Nielsen '60

## 2020 – 2021 DONORS TO FRIENDS OF WOODSTOCK SCHOOL

Friends of Woodstock School expresses deep appreciation to the following alumni, staff, parents, and friends who contributed to the designated and undesignated funds of Friends of Woodstock School between July 1, 2020 and June 30, 2021. Their generosity enabled Friends of Woodstock School to provide crucial funding to support programs and grants to Woodstock School.

**Key:** S – Staff | P – Parent | SGP – SAGE Parent | F – Friend | † – Deceased

### \$10,000 and Up

David Schoonmaker '62  
Suzanne Turner Haniff '63 & Paul Haniff

### \$5,000 - \$9,999

Martha Alter Chen '60  
Rick Downs '79  
Sheryl Burkhalter Gupta '75  
Ernest Hezlep Fund '37 †  
James Loehlin '51  
Byron Shafer F

### \$1,000 - \$4,999

Pritam Advani '76  
Anonymous  
Gaurav Arora '93  
Jacquelyn Horton Benjamin '58  
Sue Warner Birkinshaw '62  
David Bonham '63  
Jonake Bose '81  
Judith Carpenter '57  
Neerja Jandial Chaudhry '81  
Clara Weiss Fund  
Glenn Conrad '68 S & Peggy Conrad S  
Margo Warner Curl '67  
Bruce Davis '73 & Sue Enright Davis  
John Davis '71  
Lucy Wilson Dorenfeld '67  
Jean Downie '52  
Peter Downs '62  
Khaled Ehsan '81  
Lela Folkers S  
Erik Geissal '94 & Katie Playfair  
Robert Griffiths '52

Susan Hills '70  
Willie Knierim '59  
Anne Lind S and Dan Lind S  
Joan Merrill Machata '44  
Walter Mahler '45  
Max Marble '67  
Connie Mason '83  
David McCulloch '70 & Julie McCulloch  
Virgil Miedema F  
Shashwat Mody '01  
Lois Lyon Neumann '44  
Norma Parson (Willem Parson '49 †)  
Dorothy Koenig Powers '44 †  
& Erl Dordal  
Lee Rice '60 & Anita Hoke Rice '60  
Bill Roelofs S & Dixie Roelofs S  
James Rugh '60  
Marlin Schoonmaker '67  
Robert Scott '62  
Machut Shishak '93  
Jeet Singh '81  
Deirdre Straughan '81  
Harvella Bauman Stutzman '49  
Edith Theis-Nielsen '60  
Aung Thet Tu '83  
Jolene Unruh '61  
Steve Van Rooy '68  
Dora Warren '70  
Catherine Whitcomb '66 & Jack Hinz  
John Whitcomb '69  
Donald Woolever & Cindy Dechenes SGP

### \$500 - \$999

Donald Alter & Peggy Alter S  
Steve Alter '74 & Ameeta Law Alter '73  
Helen Dobson Arnott '60  
Ruth Harper Axelrod '70  
& David Canfield  
Verda Hostetler Bialac '55  
Akshay Birla '05  
Pamela Bradburn '64  
Kim Brennenman '79  
Larry Carpenter '70  
John Chaffee '66  
Jon Closson '54  
Roberta Foster Crowell '54  
Anna Davydova '01  
Philip DeVol '66  
Sarah Doebler '94  
Joy Rice Gray Grover '63  
James Hackney '79  
Stephen Holm '56  
Nancy Aldrich Inman '49  
Jon Iverson S  
Mary Eliot Jackson S  
David Kawata '70  
Samuel Manickam '83  
William Manton '63  
Gaylord Nichols P  
June Rodin Michaelsen '68  
Polly Petersen '70 & Jim Geddes S  
Mary Ruth Powell '72  
Carol Arloff Russell '70  
Jaina Chinai Sanga '79  
Christopher Scott '81  
David Scott '52 † & Corinne Scott P

Kevin Scott '79  
Sharon Seto '79  
Betty Bauman Shelly '49  
Marian Rice Sigmon '56  
Jayashree Sil '83  
Pankaj Singh '79  
Larry Smith '63  
Alice Haagen Snyder '70  
Clelia Solis '81  
Julia Niehaus Soper '80  
Abby Salzer Stadtlander '48  
George Taylor '58  
& Beth Ann Burkhalter Taylor '67  
Nathan Taylor '79  
Ellen Webster P  
Marilyn Webster '81  
Wendell Wiens & Norma Wiens P

### \$100 - \$499

Kathy Warner Adams '60  
Maria Affourtit '70  
Tom Alrich '70  
Amazon Smile  
David Anderson S  
Karl Anderson '58  
Michael Baccash F  
Stephen Barnhouse '74  
Nicholas Barton '83  
Camilla Eady Bates '83  
Albert Bauman '48  
Donald Beane S  
Benevity, Inc.  
Margaret Snyder Bensenhaver '58  
Janice Dobson Blankenship '65

June Roadarmel Blickenstaff '70  
Kenneth Blickenstaff '68  
Reid Blickenstaff '70  
Richard Bollinger '45  
William Bourne F  
Barbara Judy Bowes '59  
Ian Bradshaw '48  
Roya Abhari Bromell '81  
Faye & Larry Brower F  
Bruce Browne '70  
Sunita Byg '81  
Betsy Rose Carr '58 †  
Peony Chaudhury '83  
Simone Puech Cherian '83  
Ted Chitambar '63 & Jackie Chitambar  
Manish Chopra '83  
Jane Collins Choulett '56  
Wallace Christy '58  
Eldon Claassen '70  
Lloyd Claassen '67  
Sue Benham Clack '64  
Robert Conrad '71  
Lauri Wilson Coulter '81  
Kiran Cunningham '79  
Lee Brookshier Davis '59  
Dorothy Davis P  
Margaret Dillener '81  
Elizabeth Dodds S  
Theresa McCarthy Douglas '83  
Irene Dunn '46  
David Earle '81  
Frank Emerson '55  
Nancy Johns Erickson '70  
David Evans '54

Joseph Fancher '72  
 First Presbyterian Church  
 Joyce Burkhalter Flueckiger '70  
 Catherine Forman '65  
 Heidi Furcha '81  
 John Gault '48  
 Carol Geisler '81  
 Frederick Goeth '66  
 Bibek Gurung '03  
 Gail Harp S  
 Patricia Martin-Jenkins Hartwell '55  
 Zafrullah Hasan '79  
 James Havens '57  
 Josie Thoburn Herndon '52  
 Kathleen Hess '68  
 Ron Hess '70  
 Thuzar Tin Pe Heugas '81  
 Lindsay Fiske Hofman '59  
 Carlton Hoke '66  
 Kenneth Hoke '68  
 Joanne Yoder Holtzinger '55  
 Mary Ina Flisher Hooley '73  
 Elaine Hostetler '83  
 Gordon Hostetler '51  
 Margaret Brooks Huston '48  
 Ellen Williams Jackson '64  
 Zarin Greenough Jacobson '85  
 Jonathan Jantzen '69  
 Bonita Janzen '79  
 James Janzen '68  
 Daisy Chi Jen '56  
 Peter Jenks S  
 Bruce Johnson '54  
 Philip Jones '63  
 Kathryn Judd '68  
 Kazuyoshi Kaz Kawata P  
 Lucy Whitcomb Kerman '79  
 Zomawii Kiangte '01  
 Grace Eun Hae Kim '06

Carol Dodgson Klooster '79  
 James Kniss '75  
 Lois Kniss '72  
 Susan Pross Kramer '77  
 Willis Wellman Kreitz '61  
 Jessie Lacy '65  
 Judie Schiller Landry '51  
 Jill Koop Liechty & Dan Liechty '83  
 Mary Conrad Lo '72  
 Anne Riddle Loan '68  
 Ruth Lacy Long '60  
 Janet Parsons Mackey F  
 Anshuman Magazine '83  
 Madhu Malhan '83  
 Sayeeda Mamoon '81  
 Tim Manickam '78  
 Durjoy Mazumdar '81  
 Marianna Presler McJimsey '54  
 Jan McRoberts & David McRoberts SGP  
 Arthur Merrill '46  
 Lois Miller '82  
 Kairas Mistry '83  
 Paul Mitchell '52  
 Ginger Morgan '82  
 Phillip Moyer & Betsy Moyer SGP  
 Michael Nichols '68  
 Kate Johnson Niemisto S  
 John Nyce & Dorothy Nyce S  
 Anita Ogden, Spouse  
 of Charles Ogden '48 †  
 Judith Hermanson Ogilvie '67  
 Bradley Olson '81  
 Gilbert Osgood '59  
 Vinta Shumway Oviatt '70  
 Donald Parker '64  
 Kimberly Heffron Perkins '81  
 Ryan Pesek F  
 Jean Peters P  
 Mary Pollock '63

Lyle Powell S  
 Franklin Presler '61  
 David Prewitt '70  
 Mark Reckard '78  
 Sarah Rice '67  
 Patricia Riddle '65  
 William Riddle '64  
 Beth Roadarmel '71  
 Jay Roadarmel '85  
 Norman Roadarmel '45  
 Kenneth Saum & Regina Saum S  
 Myron & Rickey Schrag S  
 Marguerite Scherling Schweitzer '52  
 Molly Seiders '87  
 Bob Service '54  
 Kim Shafi '74  
 Arun Shastry '83  
 Elizabeth Thoburn Sheather '52  
 R. Grant Smith '55  
 Abraham Sofaer '56  
 Lauri Stark '81  
 Julie Stengele F  
 Patricia Stewart S  
 Hugh Stoddard '79  
 Anne Sturbaum & Eduardo Abud SGP  
 Helen Hill Sturbaum '48  
 Tin Tin Su '81  
 Madhavi Kapadia Subrahmanian '79  
 Anita Sundaram '79  
 Susan Scott Swanson '67 & Ron Swanson  
 Bill Tammeus '63  
 Lyle Thoburn '55  
 Denise Cacho Troutman '81  
 Haruko Ueda-Carroz '01  
 Meenakshi Varadani '83  
 Kieve Verghese '81  
 Douglas Virgin '68  
 Cathleen & Frank von Hippel P  
 Sueann VonGunten S

Robert Waltner '60 S  
 & Barbara Waltner S  
 Wayne Wardwell '46  
 David Weidman '75  
 Wendy Werner P  
 Ruth Baur Willimann '54  
 Amy Wilson '83  
 Penny Wilson '74  
 David Wheeler S & Connie Wheeler S  
 U Kyaw Win '51  
 Elizabeth Burrows Wood '83  
 Betsy Woodman '63  
 Gregory Zide '83  
 William Zide '83

### Up to \$100

Kenneth Allen '73  
 Mary Hopkins-Husson Allen '38  
 Patricia Welles Appel '64  
 Jennifer Rollins Archer '81  
 William & Rosemary Bauer S  
 Raj Bery '45  
 Marjorie Davis Brines '52 †  
 Cynthia Brush '68  
 Victoria Brush '74  
 Janet Thomson Burk '56  
 Jean Cheely S  
 Shobhana Chelliah '79  
 Susanna Seaward Coffin '81  
 Ken Copp & Marilyn Copp S  
 Elizabeth Cummings Deitz '44  
 Beth Harvey Downie F P  
 Robert Dunn '81  
 Julie Bunce Elfving '61  
 Bruce Feierabend '70  
 Stephen Fiol '63  
 Ruth McLeod Fleury '81  
 Charles Friedricks '70  
 Sarah Galloway '81  
 Ellen Goodell S  
 Carol Rugh Green '60  
 Karen Greenler & Penny Majors SGP  
 Constance Cave Grube '75  
 Esther Balph Holgate '55  
 Mary Folsom Keller '57  
 Tom Kidder & Cathy Kidder S  
 Xina Kingshill '73  
 Hank Lacy '63  
 David LeShana '48  
 Devinder Mahal '83  
 Philip McEldowney '59  
 Nita Mehta '77  
 Teeran Mistry '81  
 Norman Mundhenk '59  
 Ruth Thoburn Osborn '55  
 Warren Rees '66  
 Marilee Keislar Rhody '63  
 Abu Rizvi '77  
 Margaret Robinson '73  
 Ruth Kesselring Royal '57  
 Jean Ann Slaughter F  
 Elizabeth Hagen Smith '54  
 Jeannette Asling Solimine '82  
 Nonie Lindell States '67  
 Ida Alter Strickland '54  
 Ann Higgins Strumpen-Darrie '58  
 Gerald Summers '46  
 Theodore Thoburn '49  
 Margaret Clark Ward '51  
 Karen Widergren Watase '84  
 Judy Benham Weinstein '58  
 Ursula Gruber Wiese '68  
 Alene Wilson Wyatt '55  
 Daphne Wysham '79  
 Addie Yoder S

# Members of the Lyre Tree Society

The Lyre Tree Society recognizes individuals who have made charitable provisions for Friends of Woodstock School in its support of Woodstock School, through a bequest in their will, establishing a gift annuity, or designating Friends of Woodstock School as the beneficiary of a life insurance policy. Their legacies are the source of endowments that will support future generations of students and faculty at Woodstock School.

**Key:** S — Staff | F — Friend | † — Deceased

Marian Adams S	Bruce Davis '73	Mira Leslie '73 †	Betty Bauman Shelly '49
Elizabeth Templin Alley '42 †	Elizabeth Cummings Deitz '44	Arlene Picken Lincoln '40 †	Gordon Shull '41
Jane de Rochemont Alley F †	Marian Griffiths Demcisak '57	Anne Lind S & Dan Lind S	Lois Mow Snavely '41
Donald & Peggy Alter S	Judith Dillingham '57	James Loehlin '51	Robert Stoddard † & Sally Stoddard S †
Ellen Alter S †	Alice Dodds '41	Joan Merrill Machata '44	Harvella Bauman Stutzman '49
Robert Alter '43 †	Lucy Wilson Dorenfeld '67	John Manry '39 †	Stanley Subhan '47 †
Ruth Harper Axelrod '70 & David Canfield	Jean Downie '52	Virgil Miedema F	Helen Banker Syswerda '49
Donald Beane S	Bruce Ferguson '71 †	Margery Miller Mills '35 †	Woodrow Turner '61
Jacquelyn Horton Benjamin '58	Eileen Ferguson S †	Ruth Sanwalia Nave S †	Myra Downie VanUxem '54
Arvid Berg '48 †	Lela Folkers S	Lois Lyon Neumann '44	Jane Downs Wallbrown '52
Akshay Birla '05	Bruce Foster '42 †	Eleanor Nicholson S	Catherine Whitcomb '66 & Jack Hinz S
Richard Bollinger '45 & Anna Mae Bollinger S †	Weldon Friesen '59	Barbara Bond Nutt '47	Dorothy Vaugh Whitcomb '42 †
Mary-Louise Wagman Boyer '47	Mark Garrison '64 & Nancy Lindell Garrison '64	John Nyce S & Dorothy Nyce S	William Whitcomb '42 †
Robert Boyles '35 †	Robert Griffiths '52	Willem Parson '49 †	James White '47 †
Dale Brown '65	Stephen Harper '74	Ann Leeder Pickett '47 & Doug Pickett '45 †	Barbara Williams F
J. Gabriel Campbell '65	Robert Harwood '43 †	Dorothy Koenig Powers '44 † & Erl Dordal F	H. Thomas Wilson '44
Wallace Christy '58	Josie Thoburn Herndon '52	Kittu Parker Riddle '35 †	Betsy Woodman '63
Li-chiang Chu '59 †	Ernest Hezlep '42 †	Keith Riffin '74	Evans Wyatt '37 †
T.Z. Chu '52 †	Marjorie Hill '42 †	Norman Roadarmel '45	
Alice Wright Conkey '36 †	Jack Hinz S	Harold Rockey '43 †	
Charlene Chitambar Connell '51 & Terry Connell '58	John Holmes S † & Paula Holmes S †	David Rugh '66	
Glenn Conrad '68 & Peggy Conrad S	Jerry Howard '57	Arthur Saum '30 †	
Jane Cummings S	Millie Dye Howard '42 †	Frances Brush Schillinger '44	
Margo Warner Curl '67	Janis Palmer Hunt '49 †	David Schoonmaker '62	
David Davenport '56	Iris Hunter '71	Marlin Schoonmaker '67	
Marian Loehlin Davies '43 †	Richard Jonsson '42 †	David Scott '52 † & Corinne Scott P	
Ruth Colvin Davies '36 †	Virginia Judd S †	Mary Segall F	
	Karen Krenz S	Margaret Loehlin Shafer '56 †	



## Sustaining Donors

Many thanks to our ever-growing family of Sustaining Donors who have pre-authorized a monthly donation to Friends of Woodstock School. Each gift, for the fund of their choice, is automatically and securely charged to their credit card every month. We deeply appreciate your continuing support.

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## PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS 2020 – 2021

You have kept FWS and Woodstock School moving forward with your kindness, gifts, support, and concern for each other in spite of a pandemic that continues to re-invent itself.

### The 2021 Virtual Annual Meeting and Virtual Reunion

2021 kept us physically apart, but we had a quorum and lively discussion during our June 2021 Annual Members Meeting which, this year, was held via a Zoom conference call and separated from the three-day Reunion. The July 2021 Reunion had 400-plus people officially register and a final total of 900-plus people joining us from all parts of the globe. The theme? Together Again in Parker Hall. Beautiful pre-recorded sessions, spirited inter-active panels, chat lobbies, a virtual silent auction... everyone had a wonderful time and we will do it again virtually in 2022. NONE of this would have been possible without the hard work of the Planning Committee. Sharon Seto '79 led the way, David Shastry '09 built the reunion's website, Aditya Manral, Woodstock Alumni Coordinator brought his technical skills, Stephen Alter '74 and his team created the pre-recorded sessions also including Aditya's skills and musical talents, Suzanne Hanifi '63 found the auction platform and reached out to many for donated auction



products and experiences. The auction raised \$3,555 which was sent to Woodstock for COVID-related preparations. Priyanka Das '13, David Shastry '09, and Aditya Manral created beautiful graphics for the reunion platforms and media use.

Our immense thanks to the whole Planning Committee who met every other Saturday morning for months (thank you Kim Brenneman for taking notes) to bring this reunion to life.

### Cheers to this terrific committee!

Sharon Seto '79, Chair  
 Stephen Alter '74  
 Helen Dobson Arnott '60  
 Kim Brenneman '79  
 Priyanka Das '13  
 Bruce Davis '73  
 Suzanne Turner Hanifi '63  
 Sue Crain Lewis '82  
 Aditya Manral, Woodstock Alumni Coordinator  
 Max Marble '67  
 David Shastry '09  
 David Wheeler and Connie Wheeler, FWS Staff

## Grants

Please look at our Grants page for all the details about FWS' grant awards.

### Designated Grants included:

Centre for Imagination  
Classroom Renovations for five named High School Classrooms, four named Quad Classrooms  
COVID-19 Emergency Relief Grant  
Hanifl Centre Grant  
Woodstock School Portable Sound System  
Class of '70 Woodstock Employees Children's Education Fund  
Timberline Foundation  
Jai Ho Indian Restaurant

## Scholarships

The Li-chiang Chu Scholarship Fund provided financial support for seven Woodstock graduates now attending universities in North America.

Our **Endowed Scholarship Funds** provided scholarship grants to five students through your continuous support.

## Communication

We will always stay in touch with you through emails – both personal and large email blasts, Facebook, our FWS website, Zoom, newsletters, annual appeals and hard copy mailings.

We welcome your feedback and suggestions to [dwheeler@fwsfoundation.org](mailto:dwheeler@fwsfoundation.org) or [connie@fwsfoundation.org](mailto:connie@fwsfoundation.org) and enjoy hearing from you!

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# FINANCIALS 2020 – 2021 FRIENDS OF WOODSTOCK SCHOOL, INC.

## Statement of Financial Position

	June 30, 2021	June 30, 2020
<b>ASSETS</b>		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$85,386	\$106,757
Investments	\$6,482,301	\$5,820,674
<b>Prepays</b>	<b>\$7,409</b>	<b>\$4,395</b>
Promises to Give (net)	\$18,000	\$18,000
Assets Held in Trust	\$328,640	\$281,567
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$6,921,736</b>	<b>\$6,231,393</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
Grants Payable	\$46,000	\$46,000
Other Payable	\$73	\$67
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$46,073</b>	<b>\$46,067</b>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>		
Without Donor Restrictions	\$2,793,406	\$2,526,115
With Donor Restrictions		
Purpose Restrictions	\$1,510,351	\$1,168,466
Perpetual in Nature	\$2,571,906	\$2,490,745
<b>Total Net Assets</b>	<b>\$6,875,663</b>	<b>\$6,185,326</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Net Assets</b>	<b>\$6,921,736</b>	<b>\$6,231,393</b>

## Statement of Activity

	Without Donor Restrictions	Purpose Restricted	Perpetual in Nature	Total
<b>INCOME</b>				
Contributions	\$77,244	\$123,819	\$22,752	\$223,815
Conference Revenue				
Other Revenue	\$470			\$470
Interest and Dividends	\$65,888	\$42,076		\$107,964
Return on Investments	\$625,594	\$623,722		\$1,249,316
Change in Assets Held in Trust	\$47,073			\$47,073
Transfer for Mandatory Accumulations	\$(340)	\$(58,069)	\$58,409	
Net Assets Released from Restriction	\$389,663	\$(389,663)		
<b>Total Income:</b>	<b>\$1,205,592</b>	<b>\$341,885</b>	<b>\$81,161</b>	<b>\$1,628,638</b>
<b>EXPENSES</b>				
Program	\$824,804			\$824,804
Management and General	\$75,666			\$75,666
Fundraising	\$37,831			\$37,831
<b>Total Expenses:</b>	<b>\$938,301</b>			<b>\$938,301</b>
<b>Change in Net Assets</b>	<b>\$267,291</b>	<b>\$341,885</b>	<b>\$81,161</b>	<b>\$690,337</b>
<b>Net Assets — beginning of year</b>	<b>\$2,526,115</b>	<b>\$1,168,466</b>	<b>\$2,490,745</b>	<b>\$6,185,326</b>
<b>Net Assets — end of year</b>	<b>\$2,793,406</b>	<b>\$1,510,351</b>	<b>\$2,571,906</b>	<b>\$6,875,663</b>



## TREASURER'S REPORT



Friends of Woodstock School is a foundation. We raise money from our exceptional Woodstock donor base, invest it, and grant funds to Woodstock School for various projects and purposes. That is what we do. This may sound simple enough, but it does get a bit more complex than it might seem.

As you might guess when you are dealing with money coming in and money going out, there is a significant amount of accounting that happens. Most of this is done by David Wheeler in the FWS office on Whidbey Island, Washington. Once a year we have a CPA firm do a review to make sure all is in order (a review is not the same as an "audit" but it is about 80% of an audit).

And then there is fiduciary oversight of what we have in the market. We take this task seriously. There are five people on our Finance Committee: David Wheeler, David Shastry, Amit Lavani, Jonlyn Freeman and me. Several of these, Amit and Jonlyn in particular, are highly qualified in the field of finance. Further, Alliance Bernstein, with whom we have worked now for 12 years, has been a good partner to give advice and expertise (and they are well known for their work with foundations).

So our income as a foundation comes from donations from alumni, parents, staff and friends from what we earn on what we have in the market. Our "return" in the market over the past 12 years has been over 7%, net of fees. And since foundations are typically rather conservative this has been a very good return. So besides accounting and besides income (from donors and what we gain in the market), the third thing FWS does is vet and fund grant proposals from Woodstock. All of these proposals come through the Finance Committee. We look at each one and then pass these along with a recommendation (for or against) to the Board of FWS.

So how did we do in the fiscal year 2020 - 2021?

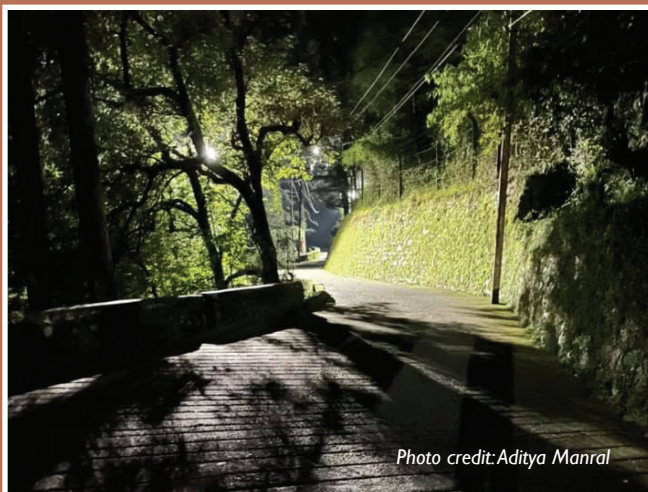
By way of income, we had a \$1,249,316 return on investments (a very good year indeed with a total of \$6,482,301 of assets in the market). We also had \$223,815 in donations. So our total net income for the fiscal year was \$1,473,131.

By way of outflow we granted Woodstock a total of \$680,775. \$116,579 was awarded for Li-chiang Chu Scholarships and Endowed Scholarships. See the annual report's Grants page for individual details.

One last word. NONE of this is possible without YOU. You, as a Woodstock wallah, help make Woodstock one of the shining lights in the world of international schools. FWS loves and supports this school which impacted us and helped make us who we are today.



*Steve Van Rooy ('68)*  
*Treasurer, Friends of Woodstock School*



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