

The Parklands of Floyds Fork

2020 YEAR IN REVIEW





"A goal achieved! As of today The Beamers have hiked the last hiking trail left on our list! We have hiked the entire Parklands of Floyds Fork! Such a beautiful place!"



"Our family is growing by four paws!"



A NOTE FROM OUR FOUNDER & CHAIRMAN



Dear Friends,

Throughout Louisville's history, proactive park planning has made our city a great place to live and work. Our community's passion and investment in parks has benefited Louisville residents for more than a century, but we could not have foreseen how those investments would pay off in 2020.

When schools, theaters, restaurants and stores closed in the spring—when concerts, ball games, tournaments and parades were canceled—and yes, when our beloved Derby was postponed, The Parklands remained open and ready to serve. From the city's initial shutdown in March, throughout the various phases of the pandemic, park staff made adjustments to comply with changing guidelines, keeping visitors safe and engaged. Even with popular amenities like the playgrounds and spraygrounds closed, and dozens of park gatherings postponed or cancelled, The Parklands of Floyds Fork experienced record-breaking visitation in 2020 as visitors from throughout the region sought a safe place for recreation, relaxation and recharging. The first Saturday in May 2020 saw the park's highest visitation since opening our first amenity in 2011.

Staff recorded 3,825,891 visits to our nearly 4,000-acre park system from January 1 – December 31, 2020; our former record was 3.1 million visits in 2019. Whether it was to exercise, escape or connect, albeit from a distance, the sharp jump in visitation is a testament to the critical role parks have played during the pandemic.

Messages providing guidance to visitors dotted The Parklands landscape, but so did messages of hope. Our team members innovated to assist families in need of support during remote learning, pivoted to help couples reschedule and reimagine weddings, collaborated with partners to host compliant, community-wide events, and as always, focused on providing a safe, clean, fun and beautiful experience for all.

Because of your donations, The Parklands was able to be there when our community needed us the most, and with your ongoing support, these preserved public spaces will remain open and free to people of all ages, abilities and backgrounds, in perpetuity. ***Thank you!***

Daniel H. Jones

Daniel H. Jones
Founder & Chairman
The Parklands of Floyds Fork



Accessible Adventures

"My family and I love going to The Parklands! We are there at least 3-4 times a week to enjoy the accessible running path, hiking trails, creeks, or playground. We always find something interesting and new to look at and love finding our own hidden corners!"

- Page Packer, Parklands' Visitor



BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Annette Cox
Owner
Joe K Corporation

Charles P. Denny
Regional President
PNC Bank

Sandra Frazier
CEO / Managing Member
Tandem Public Relations

Stephen L. Henry, M.D.
Future Fund

Ellen Hesen
Deputy Mayor
Louisville Metro

Henry V. Heuser, Jr.
Chairman
UniStar Purchasing Solutions

Daniel H. Jones
Founder and Chairman
The Parklands of Floyds Fork

William E. Juckett
Chairman Emeritus
Louisville Olmsted Parks Conservancy

Dana Kasler
Director
Louisville Metro Parks and Recreation

Charles Marsh
Vice President, Stephen C. Gault Co.
Manager, Gault-Marsh Development

John A. Moore
Chairman & CEO
Atria Senior Living, Inc.

Mary Nixon
Retired Finance Executive
Yum! Brands

Kenneth L. Payne
Retired President and CEO
Main Street Realty, Inc.

Luke B. Schmidt
President
L.B. Schmidt & Associates, LLC

David Y. Wood, SIOR
Vice President, Brokerage
JLL

Recreation & Health ON THE MOVE



RECREATION

The Parklands of Floyds Fork is an important community resource. Now, more than ever, people need outdoor recreation opportunities to keep our community healthy, both physically and mentally. Amidst the uncertainties of the COVID-19 pandemic, individuals and families are turning to parks as a place of solace and connection with the outdoors. While practicing physical distancing, people are enjoying the trails, green space and natural areas throughout our expansive 4,000-acre park system, reinforcing its importance to the community. Despite our early decision to close densely used facilities as a safety measure, The Parklands had a record-breaking year, with 3.8 million visits in 2020, proving just how important this public treasure is to the community.



• **3.8 MILLION** visits in 2020

• **80+** miles of trails for hiking, biking, and paddling



• **3,683** paddling rentals in 2020 by Blue Moon Canoe & Kayak of Kentucky

• **485** bike rentals in 2020 by Blue Moon Canoe & Kayak of Kentucky

“Thank you very much! I love this park! It has provided me and my family with over 80 hours of recreation time this year with the majority of the time during COVID-19! That’s according to my Strava app. We enjoy road and mountain biking, hiking and kayaking. The park has provided the ability to do these activities so close to home in a beautiful, clean setting, which has really made a very challenging time a lot more enjoyable!”

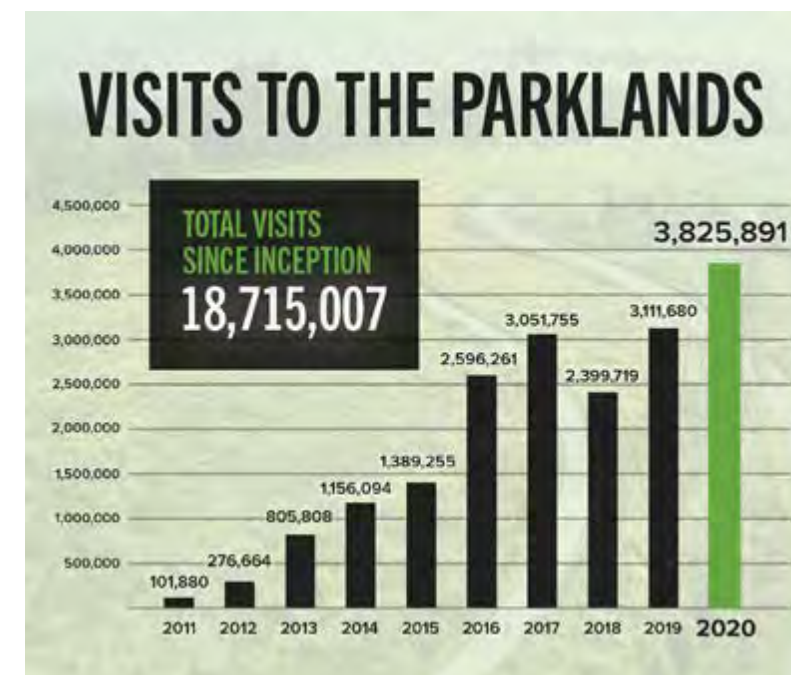
- Ray Baker, Parklands’ Visitor

VISITATION GROWTH

The Parklands of Floyds Fork has seen a total of 18,715,007 visits to all four parks since opening our first amenity—the Marshall Playground & Sprayground—in 2011. Even with the popular playground and sprayground closed in 2020, a new visitation record was set. Parks play a critical role in everyday life, and will continue to do so long after the pandemic has passed.

“The Parklands has provided us a beautiful and stress free area that is rejuvenating. The community of nature-loving folks, children and pets are friendly and refreshing to see. We show The Parklands to all of our friends and out of town guests. What a wonderful area to feed our soul and enjoy natural beauty.”

- Patty Burks, Parklands’ Member



VIRTUAL HIKES

The increased time spent outdoors meant that many visitors were looking for new ways to mix up their park routine. The Parklands has built more than 60 miles of trails for hiking, and each trail offers a chance to view a diversity of plants, trees and Kentucky wildlife. To help guide visitors to some of our scenic trails, The Parklands education team created a video series aptly named *Trailers*. Each episode includes a preview of what to expect, noting location, mileage and level of difficulty. Park staff also converted our Membership series, *Park Roots*, to a virtual format, allowing everyone access to view these informative videos.





HEALTH OF THE PARK

Supporters like you, who believe that parks are essential infrastructure, made it possible to realize our dream of a unique, donor and visitor-supported park system. To honor the support of our donors, The Parklands works hard to stick to our commitment of no deferred maintenance. This includes ongoing tasks, such as repairs to trails, facilities and equipment, as well as larger projects. In early 2020, several wooden bridges throughout The Parklands were replaced to help keep our trails and natural areas accessible and safe. Many of the bridges were located along the Louisville Loop trail, frequently traversed by walkers, runners and cyclists from all over the region. The Boardwalk in Beckley Creek Park was also replaced as part of the project. This location overlooks the Humana Grand Allee wetlands and is a popular site for walkers and families, some of whom bring seed to feed the resident fowl. With the increase in visitation, it is more important than ever to continue delivering a world-class experience, serving the community in these challenging times.



HEALTH

Health benefits provided by parks go beyond those experienced due to increased physical activity. Evidence from a study published in the International Journal of Environmental Health Research in 2019 showed that as little as 20 minutes spent in nature improved participants' subjective well-being (the appraisal of one's own level of happiness and life satisfaction). If each of those 3.8 million visits equates to 20 minutes or more spent in The Parklands, that's 3.8 million improved outlooks, which, for many, were a little more difficult to produce during the past year. Throughout the pandemic, an adequate amount of space—6 feet to be exact—became paramount to keeping us healthy and safe from contracting an unfamiliar virus. The nearly 4,000 acres that make up our park system provided ample room for visitors to hike, run, rollerblade, skateboard, explore, learn, escape and recharge while maintaining a safe distance from others. Some even set up regular, socially-distanced picnics, hikes and play dates to maintain a connection with loved ones.



THE PARKLANDS OF FLOYDS FORK *by the numbers*

The Parklands experienced a record-breaking year as visitors sought outdoor space to exercise, explore and escape. Based on last year's record-breaking visitation, we can speculate the amount of calories burned, miles walked and hours spent outdoors.

If each visitor . . .

- travels 3 miles, that's **11.4 MILLION** miles traversed
- burns 150 calories, that's **573 MILLION** calories burned
- spends 2 hours in the park, that's **7.6 MILLION** hours spent outdoors

TRULY A BLESSING

"Since I retired in 2013, I have ridden my bike over 30,000 miles in 29 states and have ridden some truly spectacular trails, but I can honestly say that there is no place more enjoyable and beautiful as The Parklands!

The beauty, serenity, diversity and soul-soothing experiences are second to none. I also have had life changing experiences with my granddaughter at all of the parks. I was thrilled to be able to purchase a bench dedicated to our fun there! It's at the entrance to the splash park at Broad Run. Thank you Parklands. Truly a blessing!"

- Dave Marshall, Parklands' Member



Education & Environment

NATURE PRESERVED

EDUCATION

Educators across the Commonwealth and country pivoted to online curriculum in the spring to safely serve students. The Parklands' education team didn't miss a beat, offering a virtual version of *Wednesday Wonders* during the first week of shutdown. What began as a temporary fix, became a popular digital program, with many past participants tuning in each week for a new topic and related activity. By April 1, 2020, our education team launched *The Parklands Virtual Classroom*, providing free educational resources to students, teachers and families during remote learning. Virtual field trips and online worksheets encouraged students to get outside to learn and explore in The Parklands, a nearby park, or even in their own backyard. Throughout the year, our educators churned out content to engage visitors of all ages, both inside and outside the park, including scavenger hunts, contests and fun facts along the Louisville Loop.



• **2,807+** in-person educational experiences in 2020

• **17,295** total *Virtual Classroom* participants

• **1,353** underserved students from Title I partner schools directly reached through *Virtual & Outdoor Classroom* lessons

• **1,200+** hours of educational content watched on digital platforms

115,000+ educational experiences delivered since 2013



FOREST LEARNING LAB

As state officials and schools evaluated when to return to in-person learning, the *Forest Learning Lab* was launched as an option for parents in need of external support. The lab provides non-traditional instruction, homework help and outdoor exploration time for participants in K-6 grade.

"My son has loved the Forest Learning Lab and even asked to be signed up for additional days. Curtis and the rest of the staff are all so super nice and helpful. My son loves them!"

- Forest Learning Lab Parent



VIRTUAL WEDNESDAY WONDERS

Wednesday Wonders, sponsored by PNC Grow Up Great, is a weekly program for pre-k children. Each week, participants explore a science wonder with a story, craft, hike or related experiment. The digital format engaged new audiences and past participants like Kriston Glasnović and her son.

"We had a blast exploring a nearby wooded area and lake and discovered many hidden treasures in the snags (new word for us!). We are long-time attendees and are so relieved that [Erin] has been doing them virtually."

- Kriston Glasnović, Wednesday Wonders Parent



VIRTUAL FIELD TRIPS

The Parklands hosts more than 120 field trips every year. This includes excursions for more than 8,000 participants from Title I schools and underserved areas, which qualify for participation in the *S.E.E.D.* program (Stewardship Exploration Environment Discovery). While in-person field trips were suspended, *The Parklands Virtual Classroom* allowed teachers to continue engaging and educating students using the great outdoors. At Smyrna Elementary, Reading Resource Teacher Josephine Rosa said teachers incorporated the Virtual Classroom into lesson planning to help cover science standards and provide additional enrichment assignments for students, just as they would have with a field trip to The Parklands.

A VALUABLE RESOURCE

"The Parklands has been a valuable resource to our teachers in this time of uncertainty and constant change. The staff quickly provided us with materials to be used to enhance NTI instruction, making the content we push to students more relevant and engaging."

- Christina Baumer,
Environmental Magnet Coordinator at
Portland Elementary



MOSS GIBBS WOODLAND GARDEN

The rooms within the Moss Gibbs Woodland Garden in Broad Run Park will evolve and mature with each season and year. From the blooming Eastern Redbuds and Twinleaf in the spring, to the gold-leaved shrubs and Christmas ferns in the fall, visitors can expect a beautiful show any time of year. In addition to the natural variations one encounters in the Woodland Garden, man-made improvements were also made in 2020.

Glen Garden

Stone work along a small creek bed in the Glen Garden was completed in the spring, offering visitors an alternate route through the lower half of the garden. Follow the stepping stones to explore this area that offers shade and lush, green scenery in the spring and summer.

Stay a While

Several benches were added throughout the garden since it first opened in 2019, including a swing overlooking the Glade Garden. Visitors can use these to rest, or—like a visit to an art gallery—they can sit and take in the magnificent, natural works surrounding them.



- **78,255** trees planted since opening
- **2,000** acres of forest managed in 2020
- **460** acres of meadows managed in 2020
- **60** acres treated for invasive species in 2020
- **450** species of native plants
- **242** total species of mammals, fish, amphibians and birds

Seaton Valley 2016



Seaton Valley 2020



MEADOW MANAGEMENT

Those who frequent the trails in the Seaton Valley area of Turkey Run Park are familiar with what has become an almost constant presence of wildflowers that take turns blooming from early spring through fall. Only a few short years ago, the Seaton Valley meadow—once a farm, then a golf course, then a horse ranch—was overrun by invasive plants. The transformation of the meadow did not happen overnight. It's the result of four years of planting native grasses and wildflowers, weeding, and editing so the area isn't overtaken by deciduous forest. Each year the meadow is maintained, more species will come to settle or return to the area knowing they can count on a consistent habitat nurtured by our dedicated staff and partners. The meadow in Seaton Valley was made possible thanks to the Leona M. and Harry B. Helmsley Charitable Trust. Roundstone Native Seed has helped plant and manage the meadow since 2016. They describe it as the best native meadow restoration in all of Kentucky.





Community

STAYING CONNECTED

COMMUNITY

Many 2020 events in the park were canceled, but others reimagined and reworked their vision to move forward. Couples opted to downsize to a “micro-wedding” versus rescheduling, and businesses worked with The Parklands’ events team to create a safe, outdoor workspace for their associates. Larger events, like the *Creature Feature Movie Nights* and *Winter Illuminations Trail Walk*, implemented rules and protocols to provide fun and safe activities for the community. With nearly 4,000 acres of parkland to utilize, event hosts found ways to engage participants and visitors found ways to meaningfully connect.



- 47 weddings & receptions hosted in 2020
- 86 public programs delivered by Parklands staff in 2020
- 35 venue and pavilion rentals in 2020
- 19,490 attended *Winter Illuminations Trail Walk*

Micro-Weddings

I thought that I wanted the big wedding, and while I did miss some of my out-of-town family and friends, our smaller and more intimate celebration was perfect. Gheens is perfect for a large group, but don’t count it out for a smaller event. There are so many cool things you can do with their space.”

- Jazmin Smith Swan, Bride



WORKING OUTSIDE THE BOX

After months of work-from-home, some companies started looking for alternatives to allow their employees to safely work in a shared space. What better place than a park?

This open air office brought a literal breath of fresh air to my work at home routine! We teamed up with The Parklands of Floyds Fork to create this outdoor workspace for associates to connect safely, in person, while savoring the final days of summer and early fall.”

- Camryn Wethington, Humana Associate



VOLUNTEERS

Our dedicated Parklands’ volunteers helped kick off the year with a fun, family-friendly event for Groundhog Day, but activities were suspended before our camp and gardening seasons began. Even so, volunteers served when called upon, with Ambassadors giving 417 hours, helping visitors navigate the park, as well as helping to educate visitors on park rules, significant changes in programming, and the ever-changing pandemic guidelines. Thanks to all of our volunteers for their ongoing commitment! We are looking forward to resuming more of our volunteer programs!



The Parklands 5K

The 2nd Annual *Parklands 5K Walk & Run* was held virtually the week of Sunday, September 13, 2020. With plenty of space to spread out, plus the added perk of completing the race on their own time, 500 participants registered to complete the course in support of The Parklands annual maintenance and operations.

Special thanks to our 5K sponsors, our event co-chairs, Annette Cox and Julie Beam, and all who supported the event!

Parklands Membership

The Parklands is a privately-operated public park system, and does not receive tax dollars to support annual operations. As a visitor and donor-supported public park, The Parklands relies on donations from individuals, businesses and foundations to continue operating. These donations allow us to continue providing a safe, clean, fun and beautiful park that benefits the health, recreation, education, environment and community of our city’s residents.

- 2,453 Member Households in 2020

Thanks to all who support The Parklands through Membership!



2020 PARKLANDS FUND SUMMARY

The Parklands Fund is the annual campaign that funds daily maintenance and operations of The Parklands.

\$2.5 Million

in total cash gifts raised for 2020 Fund:

2,386 unique donors gave **3,522** gifts

2,246 individuals gave **\$1,654,183**

111 businesses gave **\$527,867**

29 foundations gave **\$278,511**

This park system is maintained thanks to your contributions.
THANK YOU!

SUSTAINING A LEGACY

Construction of The Parklands was made possible through community contributions that totaled nearly \$130 million. Now that construction is complete, *your support helps protect and maintain that investment on an annual basis through The Parklands Fund, our annual campaign.* We thank you for committing to supporting and maintaining this beautiful community asset, and hope you are as proud as we are of what we have accomplished together. Because we receive no tax revenue for annual operations, our funding model relies on three main sources: your donations, earned income from facility rentals and programming fees, and support from the 21st Century Parks Endowment. Together, these sources ensure a sustainable future for The Parklands.

2020 INVESTMENT REPORT

REVENUE*

2020 Parklands Fund Donations <i>See 2020 Parklands Fund Summary</i>	\$2,460,561	55%
Endowment Support	\$700,000	16%
Multi-Year Pledges	\$453,255	10%
Paycheck Protection Program <i>Federal Grant</i>	\$411,900	9%
Earned Revenue	\$401,517	9%
In-Kind Donations	\$65,547	1%
Total Revenue	\$4,492,780	

EXPENSES*

Programming	\$6,008,764	88%
Management & General	\$355,944	5%
Fundraising	\$461,889	7%
Total Expenses	\$6,826,597	

*Source is 2020 Form 990. Expenses include \$3,345,099 of depreciation expense.

Your contribution is truly an investment in our community. Not only does it make free admission to the park possible for all, but it provides significant benefits for our environment, economy, health, and education. With an annual operating budget of approximately \$4 million, we rely on you to support this community asset.

SUMMARY OF ASSETS

Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$794,887
Pledges Receivable	\$1,347,477
Other Current Assets	\$203,887
Land, Buildings, and Equipment, Net	\$96,711,505
Total Assets	\$99,057,756

SUMMARY OF LIABILITIES

Current Liabilities	\$273,840
Long-Term Debt	\$775,000
Total Liabilities	\$1,048,840

NET ASSET BREAKDOWN

Net Assets without Donor Restrictions	\$96,614,946
Net Assets with Donor Restrictions	\$1,393,970
Total Net Assets	\$98,008,916



THE PARKLANDS LUNCHEON Benefiting The Outdoor Classroom

The Parklands Education Luncheon, presented by PNC Bank and co-presented by Fiddlehead Fund, may not have carried on in person, but it carried on in spirit. In May of 2020, we surpassed our luncheon fundraising goal, raising \$180,000 for outdoor education! Although we could not gather together, the continued support of *The Parklands Outdoor Classroom* truly makes an impact in our community.

Thanks to our sponsors and all who supported the event, including our volunteer *Parklands Luncheon* Committee:

Jackson Andrews
Meghan Jones
Chuck & Donna Denny (Chairs)
Greg Greenwood
Todd Lanham
Rich Lechleiter
David Wood

THANK YOU TO OUR DONORS

Thanks to the generosity of individuals, organizations, corporations and foundations throughout the community, The Parklands is able to provide world-class amenities and programs. Those listed here contributed \$250 or more to the 2020 Parklands Annual Fund and agreed to be recognized. To view a list of our capital donors and Parklands’ supporters over the years, please visit www.theparklands.org/partners.



\$100,000+

21st Century Parks Endowment, Inc.
Anonymous
Drs. Lisa and Daniel Jones

\$50,000-\$99,999

Blue Sky Foundation
Annette Cox
Jenny and Charles Marsh
Mightily
John Schnatter

\$20,000-\$49,999

Beth Andrews and Bruce D. Perkins
Julie and William C. Ballard
Cary Brown and Dr. Steven Epstein
El Toro
Sandra Frazier
Charlotte and Randy Hockensmith
ID&A, Inc.
Rhonda and Bryan Johnson
The Richard A. Lechleiter Family
Abby and Fairleigh Lussy Family Fund
John Moore and Patti Pugh-Moore
Family Fund
The Murray Family Foundation
Nicklies Foundation, Inc.
Mary and Ted Nixon
PNC Bank
The C F Pollard Foundation
Premier Packaging, LLC
Lindy Street

\$10,000-\$19,999

Diane and Jim Bloem
Bowling’s Nursery, Inc.
Boyd Company
Carla and Bryan Brown
The Bufford Family Foundation
Caldwell Tanks
The Cralle Foundation, Inc.
Linda Dabney
Endowment Fund For Education at
21st Century Parks, Inc
Fiddlehead Fund
Bernie Fineman
Mary Lee and George E. Fischer
Flynn Brothers Contracting, Inc.
George and Betty Gibbs
Hardscuffle, Inc.
JLL
JPMorgan Chase
Samuel H. Klein Family Foundation -
June & Stanley Atlas
Mary Jude and Dr. Scott Kuiper
Kasey and Jonathan Mand
The Heidi Margulis Charitable Fund
Metzger Family
R. Charles and Sally Moyer
Charitable Fund
Elaine G. Musselman
Norton Healthcare Inc.
Kathy and Bud Orr
Paul Ogle Foundation, Inc.
Lynda and Kenneth L. Payne

Kathleen Pellegrino Fund
The Robert W. Rounsavall Jr.
Family Foundation
Sam Swope Family Foundation
The Sociable Weaver Foundation
Jessica and Mac Thompson
Trilogy Health Services LLC
The Voice-Tribune
Marianne and Jim Welch
Keith L. Williams
Barbara and Bill Young

\$5,000-\$9,999

Appriss Inc.
Catherine and Irving Bailey
William E. Barth Foundation
Patty and Dr. Laurence Benz
Brown-Forman Corporation
Patty Ann Burks
Business First of Louisville
V. V. Cooke Foundation
Debbi Coombs
Patrick and Rita Debes Family
Foundation
Delta Dental Foundation
Donna and Charles P. Denny
Kathy and Larry Fisher
Jill Force and Patrick Mattingly
Jean W. Frazier
The Glenview Trust Company
Carol and Charles W. Hebel, Jr.
Michael Hendricks
The Humana Foundation
Humana Go365
Kelley Construction
Kroger Company
Charlene and Jim Leason
Amy Luckhardt
Mackin Family Foundation
Main Street Realty, Inc.
Michter’s Distillery
Bridget Mogle
Elizabeth and James Moore
Papa John’s International, Inc.
Sue and Ned Pfau
The Ramsey Family
Bridgett and Earl Reed
Republic Bank

Dr. W. Ann Reynolds
Sharon and Luke Schmidt
Richard Stephan
Melissa and Paul Varga
Weishar Family Foundation
Jane Feltus Welch
Doug Whyte
Susan and David Wood

\$1,000-\$4,999

Beth and Jeff Ackerman
Dr. Edwin M. Ahrens
Mary Kay Jones Alberg
Debbie and Russell Alexander
Algood Food Company
Philip D. Anderton
Elizabeth and Jackson Andrews
Arrow Electric
Julie Beam and Richard Hornung
Linda and Fred Benz
The Ken Berry Giving Fund
Kyle and Giampaolo Bianconcini
Jessica and Neville Blakemore III
Biscuit Belly
Katie and Andy Blieden
Christen and Michael Boone
BRAMCO/Brandeis Machinery &
Supply Co.
Brewer & Brewer Properties, LLC
Jessica and Matt Briggs
Christina Brown
Dr. Lois Burns and Cmdr. Roscoe Burns
Megan and Stewart Byrne
C.E. and S. Foundation, Inc.
Susan and Dr. Jeffrey Callen
Capstone Realty, Inc.
Carol and Robert Carnighan
Pam Carter
Celia and Scott Catlett
CBRE
Luisa and Joseph Charbonneau
Carole and Robert Christian
Elizabeth and Richard Clay
Ann Cobb
Gena and Doug Cobb
Anne Codey
Commonwealth Bank & Trust Co.
Community Foundation of Louisville

Dr. Tania Condurache and
Dr. George Rodgers
Janet and John Conti
Chenault Conway
Rose Cooper and Allen Bush
Sheila and William Crawford
Crossroads Contracting LLC
Rebecca Cummings
D. D. Williamson & Co., Inc.
Dahlem Realty Co.
Kathy and Joe Daley
Ross Davison
Deloitte LLP
Dinsmore and Shohl, LLP
Jean Donoho
Clanton Dowds Family Trust
Dunbar Foundation
EdjSports
Ernst & Young
Fifth Third Bank
Stephen Gault
GE Foundation
The GeoRosa Fund
Elizabeth and Ray Glass
The Graff Family Giving Fund
Lynn and James Greathouse
Greenscapes Lawn & Landscaping
Kim and Greg Greenwood
Sandy Gulick
Brenda and H. David Hale
Cathy and David Hance
Debi and Scott Hatton
Hebel and Hornung, PSC
Helen Heddens and Antonia Mudd
Hoagland Family Generosity Fund
Daryl and Fritz Hollenbach
Paul Knopf Jr., InterLinc Mortgage
Services, LLC
David & Janice Jackson Family
Foundation
Elizabeth Jenkins and Jack Ball
Kathy and Fred Jones
Richard and Anne Jones Charitable Fund
Diane and Dr. David C. Jones
Denise and Clarence Jones
Mandy and Brad Jones
Paul Jordan
Barbara and Bill Juckett

Tricia and Dr. James Julian
Donna and Steve Kamber
Maggie and Benton Keith
Sarah and Paul Keith
Sara and Michael Kelley
Kentucky Country Day School
Kertis Creative
Tammy and Charles King
Maureen and Gary Kingry
Andrea and Samuel Kirtley
Kosair Charities
Judith and Karl Kuiper
Lenihan Sotheby’s International Realty
LG&E and KU Energy LLC
Long Run Creek Properties LLC
Bruce Lunsford
Lynn and Dr. Rob Macrae
Eleanor and Robert Maddox
Emily Maier and Dr. Todd Schmiedeler
Dr. Janine and Joseph Malone
Maplewood Foundation
Elizabeth Marsh
Hana and Skipper Martin
Lori and Michael Martin
Mason Construction & Dev, LLC
Chris Mattingly
Bruce A. Maza
McCarthy Strategic Solutions, LLC
Stephann and Gregory McDearmon
Linden McLellan
Leslie McQueen and Dr. Robert Shaw
Kathryn Mershon and Dr. Todd Gardner
The Bill and Becky Meyer Giving Fund
The Jerry T. and Laura J. Miller
Charitable Fund
John Miller
Rosanne Miller
Mindel, Scott & Associates
Modern Woodmen of America
Jane and David Morgan
Morgan Pottinger McGarvey
Rebecca and David Najewicz
Nanz & Kraft Florists
Walter E and Janice C Neely
Charitable Fund
Phillip B. Newman III
Dennis Neyman
ORR Corporation

Palmer Roofing & Sheet Metal
Mary and Daniel Parker
Dorothy and James Patterson
PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP
QK4, Inc.
Quadrant Photography
Edward and Helen Rhawn Fund
Karen and Hank Robinson
Linda and David Russell
Wanda and Mike Ryan
Karen and Dr. Henry Sadlo
Sam Shine Foundation Inc.
Terri and Russell Saunders
William A. Searce Jr.
Ann and John Schaap
Ann and Ivan Schell
Dr. Manfred Schmidt
Carla Schmiedeler
The Schroering Co
G. Raymond Schuhmann
The Schweinhart Living Trust
Ellen Sears
Robin and Jim Seiler
Semonin Realtors
Shaver Foundation, Inc.
Kellie and John Sheryak
Winona and Joseph E. Shiprek
Ruth Simons
Shirley Simons
Lisa and Denis Smith
Charles Smith
Cara and Tom Solley
Karin and Dr. George Sonnier
Amy and Lew Spears
Michelle and Mark Spina
Linda and Todd Stephan
Sterling G Thompson Company LLC
Shawn and Jim Stevison
Carrie and Winthrop Stites
Stock Yards Bank & Trust Co.
Lee and John Stough
Sue and Terry Strange
Strategic Communications LLC
Strothman and Company
Nancy and Charles Teeple
Elizabeth C. Thomas Fund - Maryann
C. Davis Fund
Mo and Jeff Underhill

USI Insurance Services, LLC
Carolyn and Julian Van Winkle
Joyce and James Walters
Dolores and James Ward
Weber Group
Margaret and Charles Weiter
Michelle Wells and Scott Neff
Barbara West and Vertner Smith
Charitable Fund
Whip Mix Corp.
Andrew Williams
Jessica Yi
Yum! Brands, Inc.
Daniel Zinner

\$500-\$999

Dawn and Larry Adams
Larie and Dr. Barry Allen
Amazon Smile
Maria and Paul Andriot
Sharon and Tom Ash
Laurie and Mark Atwell
Baird Foundation, Inc.
Andrea and David Bates
Nathan T. Bellingier
James Bills
Ellen and David Bland
Nell and Craig Bradley
Louise and Scott Brian
Meredith Brown
Sue and Hewett Brown
Kathie and Dr. John Buchino
Robin and David Burch
Betty and Kenneth Burhans
Robert Burt
Ann Coffey and Julie LaValle Jones
Sandra and Timothy Collins
Hope and Todd Cooke
Joe Cross
Sally and Ed Daetwyler
Jenni and Phillip Deamer
Susan and Dr. Craig DeWeese
Lucy D. Duffy Family Trust
Kristina and Austin Dukes
Michael Fine
Dianna and David French
Debbie and Ed Galloway
Dana and David Garner

Joseph Gelyon
Grace and James Giesel
The Greco Family Giving Fund
Deborah Gunn
Patricia and Chris Haragan
Jane Hardy and David Schmidt
Bonita and Dr. George Haycraft
Catherine and Jack Hayes
Steve Hettinger
Kyran and Phillip Hoff
T. J. and Adam Hofmann
Elizabeth and Joseph Humphrey
Virginia and Arne Judd
Sharon and Gerald Karem
Lori and John Key
Garvis Kidd Jr.
Brenda and Dr. Kerry Knochenmus
Joy and Roger Kobel
Edward Kruger and Jeffrey Rodgers
Barb Lasky
Gary Lohoff
M Bryant Construction Co.
Claudine and John Mann
Dorothy Marsh
Mona and Mark Masaid
Barbara and Bernie Mattingly
Marty and Darrell Metcalfe
Eileen and Fred Miller
Janeen Mounts
Debra & Ronald Murphy Family
Charitable Foundation
Dr. Keith Myrick
Regina and Mark Nethery
Regina and Michael Nielsen
Kay and Archie Parsley
Michelle and Mike Pfeffer
Pickett / Passafiume / Architects
Purity Chapter #116, O.E.S.
Adrienne Raible and Anthony Chiu
Renda Family Foundation
Laura and James Roberts
Donna and Clarence Rode
Elizabeth Barlow Rogers and
Theodore Rogers
Lynda and Charles Romeo
Joyce and Don Rosa
Elizabeth and Mark Roup
Kathleen and Stephan Rungwerth



FIELD & FORK

While we were unable to gather in person for our 8th annual *Field & Fork*, presented by JPMorgan Chase & Co., we were able to raise more than \$400,000 to support the daily maintenance and operations of The Parklands thanks to support from our sponsors and donations from generous individuals! Your continued support of this nearly 4,000-acre park system truly makes an impact in our community, keeping The Parklands safe, clean, fun and beautiful for visitors of all ages, abilities and backgrounds.

Thanks to our event sponsors, as well as everyone who supported the event, including our volunteer *Field & Fork* Committee:

Sharon and Luke Schmidt (Chairs)
Julie Beam
Barbara and Bill Juckett
Skipper Martin
Jessica and Mac Thompson
Larry Williams
David Wood

Michael Schmitt
Camilla and John Schroeder
Ann Scott and Stephen Yonce
Shell Oil Company Foundation
Cindy and Joe Shutts
Julia and Anthony Sirohman
Allison and Taylor Smith
Mike Staten
Stewart Family Koinonia Endowment
Alice and Walker Stites
Dr. Charlotte and John Clay Stites
Summit Construction
Anne and Donald Temple
Ellen B. and Carl M. Thomas
Deborah and George Vranich
Judith L. Waterman
Patricia and Henry Watson
Patricia and William West
Mark Wheeler
Kristen Wilson
Beverly and David Winsch
Stephi and Jonathan Wolff
Dr. Janice Yusk and Dr. Theodore Hodge

\$250-\$499

Anne Adair
C. Edward Allgeier
James Armstrong
Joseph Arnold
Kathryn Augur
Karen and Anthony Austin
Abby and Allen Bahe
Mary and John Bahe
Karen and Dr. Andrew Bailey
Constance and Allen Barker
Joan and Thom Barnell
Julie Bartlett
Beverly Bartlett and Jim Turner
Susan and Michael Bauer
Phylis and Fred Baule
Peggy and David Beard
Jane and Kevin Beck
Dr. Mary Bell and Anthony Little
Elizabeth Bernstrom and Gregory Henes
Lee Purcell Best
Susan and Dale Black
Marie and Roland Blahnik
Tina and Bud Blevens

Susan and Mark Blieden
Libba and William Blodgett
LeighAnn and Brandon Blois
Ceci and Dale Boden
Alanson and Charles H. Boden
Donna and Paul Borden
Galena and Melvin Boss
Cynthia and Roger Boston



“Our Friday routine has been family hikes. Thankful our boys love being outside. Shout out to @theparklandsoffloydsfork for great trails.”

Peggy and Walter Braden, Jr.
Marcia and Gregory Brey
Sarah and Chris Brice
Alice and Barry Bridges
David C. Browder
Portia and Jerry Brown
Jennifer and David Buckingham
Jutta Burr and Dr. Thomas Shurling
Vicki Buster
Susan Byrne and Steve Straub
Judy and Stephen Byron
Coletta and Donald Campbell
Richard M. Campbell
Dr. Lauren Carcara and Dr. Nicholas Smith
Cathy and Dale Carlson
Caroline Christian Foundation, Inc.
Karen and Robert Carter
Dorothy and Dr. Jerry Chambers
Mary Jane and Stephen Cherry
Lisa D. Civello and Carl P. Armijo, Jr.

Melanie and Rowan Claypool
Stuart Coats
Drs. Christine and Larry Cook
Kathy and Steven Cottner
Brent Cotton
Lauren, Chad, and Grayson Coulter
Agnes Karleene Cox
Elizabeth Cox and Laurence Zielke
Robert Crady
Joya and Forrest Cummings
Lori and Gordon Dabney
Jillian and Dr. Thomas Davis
Ann Price and John Davis
Kim and Mark Davis
Angela and Jeffrey Decker
Helen and Clarence DeCuir
Derby's Pet Fence
Chamie and Ward Deters
Ute and Douglas Dickinson
Jean and Dr. John Distler
Dr. Stephen Dobson
Rita and Dan Dobson
Deborah and Dr. David Doering
Cheryl and Troy Drury
Gentry Easley and Doug Lotz
The Eble Family
Sara and Michael Eckhardt
Missy and John Eckman
Dianne and Robert Egan
Courtney Emerson
Linda and John L. English
Connie and Steve Farmer
Mindy and Charles Farnsley
Bonnie and Richard Fellows
Teresa Ferguson
Joe E. Ford
Patricia and Patrick Forde
Janelle and Kevin Foster
Martha and Mark Fouraker
Cheryl and Martyn Gallus
Louise Nash Farnsley Gardner
Kevin Gast
Cheryl and Mark Grant
Scott Grant
Julie Grantz
Elizabeth and Rick Greathouse
Anne and Jerry Greenwell
Gresham Smith

Melissa and Bill Gunter
Denise Hagan
Dr. John R. Hale
Kathleen Haley
Sheri and Bard Hamilton
Jackie and John Hamm
Maria and John Hampton
Lee and Jack Hancock
Sarah and David Hardy
Tonda and Glenn Haygood
Sandy and Bob Hensley
Tory and Howard Herron
Joan and Pete Hester
Janice and Doug Hill
John D. Hill
Robin and John Hodgson
Peggy and Gene Hoffman
Cyndi and Evan Hoffmann
Cullen and Charles Hornaday
Alan Hoskins
Patrice and Thomas Huckaby
Carolyn and Jeffrey Hughes
Jennifer and Robert Hughes
Dr. Lounette Humphrey
Theresa and John Hundley
Cyndi and William James
Karen James and Doug Barnhart
Kathleen Johnson
Keith Johnson
Donna and Robert Karr
Patricia Kaster
Barbara and Donald Kennett
Linda and Philip Kimmel
Maryann King
Ben King
Samuel H. Klein Family Foundation - Lee Garlove & Dr. Amy Garlove
Susan and Tracy Knapp
Beth and David Kozal
Margaret and Steven Kraus
Lynn and Walter Kunau
Dalene and Kent Lanum
Martha Lechleiter
Marilyn and Rick Lewis



“Callie, Max & I did 6 miles of sunrise social distancing on Louisville Loop in The Parklands. Miles 71-78 are a favorite stretch. Love the tree-lined switchback, creek-straddling descent at 69.5 and the Pope Lick Trestle (in background) at 69. Bluebirds and high water!”

Cathleen and Alan Nakamura
Celeste and Jeffrey Nall
Karen Newman and William G. Johnstone
Emily and Graham Newton
Eric Newton
Elizabeth Nicklies
Randall Noblitt
Ashley and Andrew Noland
Dr. Deborah and Bernie Novgorodoff
Ted Ogle
Rebecca and Mark Okruhlica
Jamie and Al Paradis
Patagonia
Sandy Payne and John Rakutt
Juliet and Frank Peabody III
Sonya and Arthur Penn
Heather and Aaron Pennell
Stu Pollard
Kendra and Greg Purvis
Martha Rankin
Jennifer and Alex Ratterman
Tracy Redmon
John F. Reesor
Kathleen and Andrew Renda
Tina and Doug Rose
Stephanie D. Ross
Shirley and Robert Ryan
Mary Jo and John Schneider
Amy and Ray Scholtz
Rebecca Scully and Keith Hanlon
Karen and James Shaughnessy
Penelope Shaw and Leonidas Deters
Gayle and John Shuff
Laura and Doug Simcox
Melanie G. Simpson
Joseph P. Slane
Amy and Christopher Smalley
Stephen Smith
Daryl W. Snyder
David M. Snyder
Andrew Sorgel
Sherri and Ryan Sprau
Jared Stark
Suze Staugas
Barbara and Roland Stayton
Connie and David Steffey
Kelli and Craig Stein
Rick Stewart

Katherine Stinchcomb-Smit and Vernon Smit
Don L. Sullivan
Ann and Daniel Swintosky
Nicole and Chris Teeley
Kelly Thomas
Jennifer Toll
Kathryn and Dwayne Towles
Jeryl and Robert Trail
James L. Tretter
MaryAnn and Larry Tyler
Unified Technologies, LLC
Valentine Family Charitable Fund - Linda and Chris Valentine
Cynthia and Mark Vernon
Michael Vinciguerra
James B. Voight
Mark VonderHaar
Terri and Chris Ward
Amanda and Matt Watson
Monica and Stephen Weakley
Lisa and William Webb
Victoria and Richard Weber
Margaret and Thomas Welter
Catherine and James Werner
Jennifer and Gregg Wheeler
Harvey L. Wheeler
Mary Gwen Wheeler and David A. Jones, Jr.
Bruce Widener
Jill Wilcox
Larry Williams
Laura and Mark Wilson
Chelsea and Drew Windhorst
Melissa Wines and Joseph Vap
Karen Wunderlin
Melissa Yates and Peter Brondum
Annie and David Yoho
Linda and Michael Young
Stephen A. Young
Cindy and Joel Zipperle

Every effort was made to ensure the accuracy of our donor list. If your name contains an error, please call (502) 584-0350 to let us know.



2020 SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Gifts in Memory

Lisa Benson
Robert M. and Elizabeth B. Bickett
Rosemary Boone
Brian
Michael Brockman DVM
Mildred L. Brown
Robert W. Byrd
Jim Carmen
Joseph A. Clark
Lillian Proctor Copeland
Stephen Lance Craig
Daniel Curry
Gretchen W. Davis
David DeCuir
Debbie Edmondson
Patricia Krauser and Bobby Farris
Evelyn and Jerry Fenwick
Austin Fitzpatrick
Shannon K. Ford
Amelia Forsting
Dwight Haberman
Charles W. Hebel, Jr.
Martha Hellige
Gloria Horrall
John Hurtado

Betty and David Jones
Michael Kraft
Luke and Bailey
Jim Lykins
John Todd Melton
Faith Miller
Brooke Nicklies
Jennifer Combs Olson
Douglas W. Prather
Carl David Prohaska
John Grigsby Riehm, MD
Margaret Saive
Margot Spaeder Schmidt
Kara Joyce Sedoris
Susan E. Sheckler
William Floyd Simons
Christopher Michael Simpson
George Edward Smith
Ryan Spader
Phyllis Stoltz
Rebecca Trevino
Stephen “Steve” Vessels
Dr. Norton Waterman
Mary Lou and Morty Webb
Polly Rogers Brown
Williams
Joy Zanone

Gifts in Honor

Chris Albert
Daniel Amlung
Ashbury Christmas
William Bernstrom
Stephanie Blair
Mark Blieden
Henry “Hank” Bormann
Christopher Alain Bosley
Dorothy Armstrong Brandau
Peter Brondum
Jeanne Carr
James E. Cissell
Christy DeWeese
Jerry and Carol Ebel
Sue Etscorn
Gary Faltin
Connie and Steve Farmer
Una Farmer
Mike Freeman
Susan Freepartner
Johnson Friel
Sawyer Fuller
Cietta Gibson-Lampthey
Elizabeth Graham
Brian, Kayla, Lauren, Ben and Miles Gunter
Doug and Maureen Hale
Bree Harrington
Hugh and Jeri Harris
Ryan Hubbs
Daniel H. Jones
David A. Jones, Jr. and Mary Gwen Wheeler
Bill and Barbara Juckett
Barbara Layer
Lynn and Mark Luking
Charlie Marsh
Max
Agnes Metzger
Tom and Jane Moore
Murphy
Parklands Employees
Gerda Powley
Jack Proctor
Harry T. Rogers
Chile Schaefer
Tom Schneider

Ranger Roscoe Scott
Ellen Sears
Tim Sears
Anna Eliza Saunders Snyder
Jane Stosberg
Henry and Patricia Watson
Sarah and Sam West

Donors to Capital Projects

Anonymous
Gayle and Monty Boyd
Building Industry Association of Greater Louisville
Central Bank
Drs. Lisa and Daniel Jones
Gheens Foundation, Inc.
The Gibbs Foundation
Jyll and Cary Hearn
Mackin Family Foundation
Marine Corps Coordinating Council of Kentucky
The Marshall Family Fund
Paradis Foundation, Inc.
Paul Ogle Foundation, Inc.
Vickie and Joseph A. Pusateri
Thorntons LLC
Keith L. Williams
Kathy and Steve Wiser
Dr. Frank Wood

Education Donors

Brown-Forman Foundation
Lift a Life Foundation
The Norton Foundation, Inc.
PNC Foundation

Parklands Lifetime Members

Annette Cox
George and Betty Gibbs
Henry V. Heuser, Jr.
Drs. Lisa and Dan Jones
John Schnatter



The Parklands of Floyd's Fork
471 West Main Street, Suite 202
Louisville, KY 40202
(502) 584-0350
www.theparklands.org

NON PROFIT ORG
U.S. POSTAGE
PAID
LOUISVILLE, KY
PERMIT #1283

Your continued support will positively shape the future of Louisville and truly benefit current and future generations through access to world-class parks.
Donate today at theparklands.org/donate.