

Atkinson Woman's Civic Club Thanks Sponsors and Donors

The Atkinson Woman's Civic Club (AWCC) would like to thank the community for its help, support, and donations, as we are proud to announce that our 2015-2016 fundraising events netted approximately \$13,500. Such events included: Fall and Spring Town Yard Sales, Town Deliberation Lunch, Holiday and Spring Crafts & Food Fairs, and bus tour to the Boston Wine Expo. A special thanks to Savers, who has given us the opportunity for a new fundraiser while they give many items a second chance at life. With these funds, the AWCC was able to help the Atkinson and Timberlane communities with donations to:

- Daffodils for the Atkinson 250th Commemorative Celebration, \$250
- TRHS Substance Abuse Prevention, \$500
- Family Mediation & Juvenile Services, \$700
- Atkinson Community Thanksgiving, \$100
- Atkinson Community Center, \$1285
- Kimball Public Library, \$900
- Atkinson Academy support, \$400
- Atkinson Boy Scouts, \$645
- Atkinson Historical Society, \$1000
- Scholarships to Timberlane graduates, \$1,500

The AWCC also continued the Adopt-a-Family programs in which dozens of families who might not have had a joyous holiday received presents and baskets at Christmas and Easter.

In addition, the AWCC sponsored many Civic functions throughout the year. These included Senior Luncheons with Atkinson Recreation, Candidate's Night, Cookie Decorating at the Atkinson Tree Lighting, Bike Decorating Contest at the Memorial Day Parade, Atkinson Scouting gifts, and the Fishing Derby.

We give thanks to the following groups and organizations for their support and donations this past year: Kimball Library, Atkinson Community Center/Recreation Department, Atkinson Police Station, Carriage Towne News, Atkinson Town Clerk's office, Atkinson Boy Scouts, Atkinson Village Store, Atkinson Resort & Country Club, The Wine Steward, Tim Lena, Lisa Oulette, Beads with Style, Colonial Engraving, and the vendors who participated in our Holiday and Spring Crafts and Food Fairs. We also thank very much the many, many families in town who participated in the fall and spring Town Yard Sales as well as those who went with us as part of the Boston Wine Expo fundraiser.

Please join AWCC as we continue our fundraising activities in 2016-2017. AWCC is selling commemorative license plates to celebrate Atkinson's 250th anniversary in 2017. If you would like to purchase a commemorative license plate, please stop and see the Town Clerk at the Atkinson Town Hall.

With appreciation,
Debra Richert
Finance Chair, Atkinson Women's Civic Club