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THE ROCKLAND COMMUNITY FOUNDATION EXPANDS GRANT GIVING OPPORTUNITIES AND LAUNCHES NEW AND EXPANDED WEBSITE

The Rockland Community Foundation held its Second Annual Fund Raising event on October 25th at La Terrazza in New City.

Event guests were able to meet this year's Innovative Teaching Grant winners. Debra Levy and Heather Schucker from A. MacArthur Barr Middle School are excited to be able to fund a program where their students raise trout and release them into the Mahwah River in the spring. Karen Czajkowski from Clarkstown North High School has established a student led library in her classroom and will use her award to take her students to purchase books that they really want to read!

CONNECTING DONORS TO COMMUNITY NEEDS

We were pleased to be able to collect non-perishable food items for the Haverstraw Holiday Meals Fund at our annual event.

This year the Fleming/Fleur Fund made it possible for The Rockland Children's Advocacy Network to get the word out about what is important for youth in our County as well as sponsoring several students to attend the Hudson Youth Leadership Academy.



Grant winners Debra Levy & Heather Schucker with Pat Byrne & Rhea Vogel



Grant winner Karen Czajkowski with Pat Byrne & Rhea Vogel

Spring Valley HS Senior Danyel Semple Chazen Spirit of Rockland Scholarship Winner



Pictured:
RCF President Patrick Byrne,
Danyel Semple, Trustee Simona Chazen & Supt. of East Ramapo Schools Dr. Joel Klein

This year we are proud to have launched our new website! come visit us at:
www.rocklandgives.org

Once again, we are able to recognize an outstanding scholar and assist in helping another gifted young person realize hopes and dreams for the future. Danyel will be attending Georgetown University.

ACTIVE CARES FUND ADDED TO RCF ROSTER OF FUNDS

We are proud to welcome the newest addition to our roster of Donor Advised Funds, **THE ACTIVE CARES FUND**, which has been established by Joe Allen to help respond to those who have suffered a crisis or life challenge and have no where to turn.



Legislator Hon. Harriet Cornell speaks at a gathering of women at Marydell in Upper Nyack in April. The event was organized and led by Enid Weishaus. All proceeds were donated to the Women and Girls Fund.

