



BOOTHBAY REGION YMCA

THRIVE 2025



2025 ANNUAL REPORT

THANK YOU!



On behalf of the Board of Trustees of the Boothbay Region YMCA, it is my great pleasure to share our Fiscal Year 2025 Annual Impact Report with you.

This past year's theme, **THRIVE 2025**, captured not only what we accomplished together, but who we are as a Y and as a community. Thriving in 2025 meant celebrating **70 years of caring for our community**; responding to needs, expanding access, and creating a place of belonging for generations of families. It is a legacy built on trust, generosity, and shared commitment, and it is one we are deeply proud to carry forward.

The past year marked an important transition for our Y. Following the successful completion of the historic *A Greater Impact* capital campaign, our community once again demonstrated its confidence in the Y through strong philanthropic support, growing partnerships with local businesses, and meaningful investments in both immediate impact and long-term sustainability. These results reflect a healthy, resilient organization and a community that believes deeply in the Y's mission.

As Board President, I am continually inspired by the generosity of our donors, the dedication of our volunteers, the creativity of our partners, and the tireless efforts of our staff. Whether through gifts large or small, time and expertise, or advocacy and encouragement, your support ensured that the Y could respond quickly to community needs, provide access to critical programs like Camp K, and remain a steady presence in times of change.

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CHARLIE BRITTON

I am also grateful for the thoughtful leadership of our CEO, Andy Hamblett, whose tenure has strengthened the foundation upon which we now build, and for the collaborative spirit that will guide us as we look ahead to the future with confidence and optimism.

Thank you for being part of the Boothbay Region YMCA. Together, during our 70th anniversary, our Y thrived. We invite you to take pride in what we have accomplished together and to continue walking with us as we care for our community in the years to come.

With deep gratitude,

CHARLIE BRITTON
BOARD PRESIDENT,
BOOTHBAY REGION YMCA



The theme **THRIVE 2025** was inspired from 70 years of the Y caring for our community, welcoming generations of families, responding nimbly to changing needs, and staying true to our mission of access, belonging, and well-being for all. With the support of our members and donors, that legacy of care continued, and the Y thrived in 2025.



\$92,703

What it costs the Y to provide the "Membership for All" access program underwritten by Annual Fund and Business Partner donors.



FREE

Every single high school student received a free membership to empower youth and encourage participation in Y programs, thanks to the generosity of the Bosarge Family Foundation.



100%

Every second grader on the peninsula received free swim lessons in 2025 in order for our children to learn water safety.



\$11,000

The Y has 80,000 square feet of facilities and more than 70 acres across two campuses. It cost \$11,000 to operate the Y every day in 2025. Membership dues, program fees, and philanthropy combined supported the maintenance of all of the Y's facilities.



103,710

The number of people who checked into the Y in 2025.



FREE

Healthy snacks are available for free to all in the "Grab'n'Go" fridge in the lobby, thanks to the generosity of St. Columba's Episcopal Church, the Bosarge Family Foundation, and First National Bank.



3,125

The number of Y members of all ages, hailing from 20 different towns in the region. Membership dues supported 30% of the Y's operating budget in 2025.



\$23,596

Generous donors to the Camp K Fund (a separate fund from the Annual Fund) supported financial aid for campers in advance of camp registration last year. This was the amount of financial aid families requested in 2025; 100% of the need was met by those donors to the Camp K Fund.

2025 FINANCIAL REPORT

In FY2025, the Boothbay Region YMCA's operating revenue and expenses reflect the true cost of serving our community day to day. As illustrated in the charts, the Y delivers services at a cost greater than what membership, program fees, and philanthropy combined can fully cover.

This gap is directly tied to the Y's mission to provide access for everyone in our community. Membership dues are kept as low as possible, but they do not cover the full cost of service, which means all memberships are subsidized, even at the full rate. In addition, free and sliding-scale memberships totaling nearly \$100,000 are included in the "Other Expenses" line and are essential to advancing our mission.

Operations concluded the year with a \$322,522 deficit before depreciation (a non-cash expense not shown here). To responsibly balance the budget, the Y includes an annual, Board-approved 4% draw from invested endowment proceeds. This planned and intentional strategy helps keep membership and program fees accessible while sustaining the full scope of our mission-driven work. The Board also authorizes an additional 1% draw to support preventative maintenance and unplanned emergency repairs.

OPERATING INCOME FY 2025



OPERATING EXPENSES FY 2025

excluding depreciation



Pre-audited numbers



Nick Scott, Marily Kerney, Suzanna McVey and Emma Scott at the Thrive 2025 Annual Fund Kick Off Event in July 2025.

2025 PHILANTHROPIC OVERVIEW

In 2025, philanthropic support for the Boothbay Region YMCA reflected strong and broad-based community engagement. The prior year had been an exceptional one due to several transformational bequests and final end-of-campaign gifts to the A Greater Impact capital campaign.

In 2025, there was a significant increase in the Y's Annual Fund, endowment gifts, and business sponsorship revenue over the prior year. The number of donors to the Annual Fund increased in 2025 by 13% and a third of donors increased their gifts over the prior year. This is important because the Y's expenses go up every year and the Y depends on increased annual support in order to strive for a balanced budget.

However, the only way that the Y will be able to continue to THRIVE is to ask its active members to consider giving above and beyond membership dues. Currently, nearly 30% of active members make an additional donation to the Annual Fund, Camp K, the endowment, or to all three of those critical initiatives.

Supporting the different philanthropic "buckets" ensures that the Y is able to continue to offer financial aid for Camp K, for its "Membership for All" program, and for other outreach initiatives. While donors do not receive a tangible benefit as they might with a membership, they are giving back to a thriving non-profit, receiving a tax-deduction, and paying it forward to their neighbors in our community.



70 YEARS OF CARING FOR OUR COMMUNITY

For seven decades, the Boothbay Region YMCA has adapted, grown, and responded: from expanding access to youth programs, to supporting working families, to stepping forward during moments of community need. Thriving in 2025 means honoring that history while continuing to meet today's challenges with compassion and purpose.

The 2025 Annual Fund reflects what makes the YMCA work: many neighbors giving what they can, paired with generous leadership support that powers big outcomes. This year, 333 gifts from individual donors (not including business partners and grants) raised \$367,180, with strong participation at the grassroots level and major gifts that brought the mission fully within reach. These contributions helped provide financial assistance so cost is not a barrier, strengthened programs that build confidence in youth and teens, supported health and wellbeing for all ages, and reinforced the Y's role as a steady community catalyst for good. The gift range at the Y in 2025 was between \$1 and \$50,000 and every single one of those gifts helped open doors for more people to learn, grow, and thrive at the Boothbay Region YMCA in 2025.

THE Y'S DONOR PROFILE IN 2025

Donors to the Y represent a wide range of people and all donors matter and gifts of all sizes make a difference. Every piece of the Y Annual Fund puzzle is essential every single year and the Y is grateful to every person who supports the Y's mission.

The chart illustrates the number of gifts and the gift level from individual donors to the 2025 Annual Fund.

NOTE: In 2026, all new and increased gifts to the Annual and Camp K Funds will be matched 1:1!

2025 YMCA Individual Donor Snapshot

Gift Range	# of Gifts from Individuals	Total Dollars	Average Gift
\$50 and Under	58	\$2,238	\$38.59
\$51 to \$99	13	\$1,015	\$78.08
\$100 to \$199	69	\$7,505	\$108.77
\$200 to \$249	16	\$3,460	\$216.25
\$250 to \$499	45	\$13,212	\$293.60
\$500 to \$999	40	\$20,924	\$523.10
\$1,000 to \$2,499	60	\$76,200	\$1,270.00
\$2,500 to \$4,999	12	\$39,126	\$3,260.50
\$5,000 to \$9,999	12	\$68,500	\$5,708.33
\$10,000+	8	\$135,000	\$16,875.00



THE THRIVE 2025 PHILANTHROPIC AMBASSADORS

The Scott family can't wait to tell you why they love Boothbay Region YMCA (BRYMCA), its diversity of programs and its community-based services that led them to their role as the Y's Thrive 2025 Philanthropic Ambassadors.

"I had just finished some cancer treatment, and I got really sad. It was just circumstantial, and it's very common at the end of treatment – And then Nick (Scott) told me about the Y's Livestrong program, and it was a lifesaver for me. I met such a phenomenal group of people, with similar experiences and thoughts and feelings and it was so helpful. I wanted to stay connected with them, they were wonderful, and it didn't matter where you were in this spectrum, the program welcomed us all," said Mandy Scott.

"We offer Livestrong once or twice a year... to provide great support to our community's cancer survivors, as Mandy mentions," said Andy Hamblett, BRYMCA CEO. "With our community's support, we've grown the Y into a hub that now serves more than 6,000 individuals annually... we've rallied to invest in our facilities, our programs, and most importantly, our people. We've launched initiatives that have brought nourishment to families, support to cancer survivors, access to youth and teens...and dignity to those who simply needed a place to belong. What I'm most proud of is not what we've built, but how we've built it— together. Through collaboration, shared values, and a commitment to inclusion, we've created something truly special."

Nick offers, "I love the Y for all-around family stuff: There's a lot to do here. It's fantastic if you want to stay fit. I like to run a lot, and it's nice to have an indoor track, and when the injury bug nips, it's



Mandy, Nick, Emma and Ollie Scott

amazing to have a whole pool facility across the street. The cycling room has fantastic equipment, plus, there's a great weight room."

Emma and Ollie Scott learned to swim at the Y – all second graders are given free access to swimming lessons. Emma has enjoyed voice and dance classes, gymnastics and Y-Arts. Ollie is playing tennis and the entire family is interested in pickleball.

Nick continues, "Another vantage point that's a little bit unique to me is that I'm a high school coach, and having this facility across the street from our school is huge. From an indoor track standpoint, I'm willing to bet that we have the most consistent place to train on a track of high caliber than any school in the state, exclusive of college towns."

Excerpted from "Meet the Scotts" by Candi Joneth, News Contributor for the Boothbay Register, June 30, 2025

SCHOLARSHIP DONORS ENABLE CAMPERS TO THRIVE

Summer camp can be life-changing for a child. It's where confidence grows, friendships form, and kids feel a sense of belonging. While the Y works hard to keep expenses as reasonable as possible, for many families the cost of Camp Knickerbocker, affectionately known as Camp K, can still put these experiences out of reach.

For generations, our community has stepped forward to make camp possible through the **Camp K Fund**. This financial aid helps children participate regardless of their family's financial situation, ensuring that joy, growth, and opportunity aren't limited by income. With support, local children can feel included, encouraged, and inspired and build memories and skills that last a lifetime.

Financial aid also strengthens Camp K as a whole. When assistance helps offset participation costs, the Y can direct more resources toward program quality, including staff training, supplies, safety measures, and enrichment activities. This support allows the Y to serve more families while maintaining high-quality, impactful experiences for every child and staff member.



“Sending my child to Camp K is a necessity for me to continue working to provide for us. With the help of scholarship dollars, I can do that and I know that my child is safe, having fun, and learning from all the amazing offerings that Camp K provides summer after summer!”



We acknowledge and thank many of the donors listed here who also supported the Y's Annual Fund and other fundraising initiatives in addition to the Camp K Fund.

Joe Anne Allen
Ames True Value Supply, Inc
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Penny and Michael Pollard
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Margaret and Bob Reiser
Betty and Ted Repa

CAMP K FUND FACTS

332 children attended Camp K

There was a total of **\$23,596** in financial aid awarded

The average financial aid award was **\$863**

There were **98 donors** to the Camp K Fund

The average gift was **\$710**

Dolores and Hernan Reyes
Kate and Matt Rice
Karen and Phil Roberts
Ginger and Philip Robitaille
Rotary Club of Boothbay
Kem and Chris Roth
Nancy Rowe and George McEvoy*
Ingrid and Henry Roveillo
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Hannah Joule Wayda
Doris Welch
Robin and Rob Whitten
Dana and Eben Wilson
Wen Wolf and Mary Neal
Dee and Howard Wright

**deceased*

Note: The Camp K Fund is separate from the Annual Fund as all gifts to the Camp K fund are designated to underwrite Camp K specifically.



THE ANNUAL FUND MAKES THE WHOLE Y THRIVE

THRIVE 2025 ANNUAL FUND DONORS

The Annual Fund is the “meat and potatoes” of the Boothbay Region YMCA’s annual budget and enables the Y to offer everything from sliding scale memberships to complimentary morning coffee to supporting staff salaries to purchasing pool cleaning supplies. It literally touches every aspect of the Y’s operations.

THRIVE 2025 ANNUAL FUND DONOR LIST

The Y is grateful to the following donors who supported the Annual Fund between January 1, 2025 and December 31, 2025:

- Nancy Adams
- Ulla Ann and Ralf Adolfsson
- Laura Allison
- Janie and Larry Anderson
- Anonymous (3)
- Helen and Antoine Atallah
- Liz Bagonzi
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- Mary and Sam Calagione**

2025 ANNUAL FUND FACTS

- 346** donors to all initiatives within the Annual Fund
- Collective total **\$432,837**
- Smallest gift **\$1**
- Largest gift **\$50,000**
- Average gift **\$1,216**
- Number of leadership donors who supported the Annual Fund at the President’s Circle Level of \$1,000 or more **87 (24%)**
- Percent of members who gave to the Annual Fund **29%**
- Number of new Annual Fund donors **55**

- Jana and JH Caldwell
- Tricia and Jason Campbell
- Gena Canning**
- Mike and Bob Carbone
- Joanne and George Carlisle
- Deborah Carpenter
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- Brooke and Andy Hollon**
- Colleen and Dexter Honnors
- Holly Hornor
- Jean Howe

Bold = President’s Circle Leadership Donors

“ We have been coming to the Y for 48 years and cannot imagine this community without the Y. It has always been a place where everyone is welcome and encouraged to try new activities and make new friends. We know the Annual Fund is the key to making everything at the Y possible. ”

NAN AND CHIP DAVISON



Ann Hunt
 Peter Hurst
 Isle of Springs Ladies Improvement Society
 Caroline Ivens
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Supporting the Y's Annual Fund was my way of investing in healthier kids, stronger families and supporting our community as a whole.

CAROLINE EARLE IVENS WITH RHETT

Barbara and Peter Newell
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 *deceased
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The Annual Fund President's Circle recognizes all gifts to the Annual Fund of \$1,000 and more. The individuals who supported the 2025 Annual Fund at this leadership level represents one-quarter of all Annual Fund donors. The group collectively gave \$318,827 or 74% of the total Annual Fund. These leadership donors are recognized in bold.

BUSINESS PARTNERS HELP THE Y THRIVE



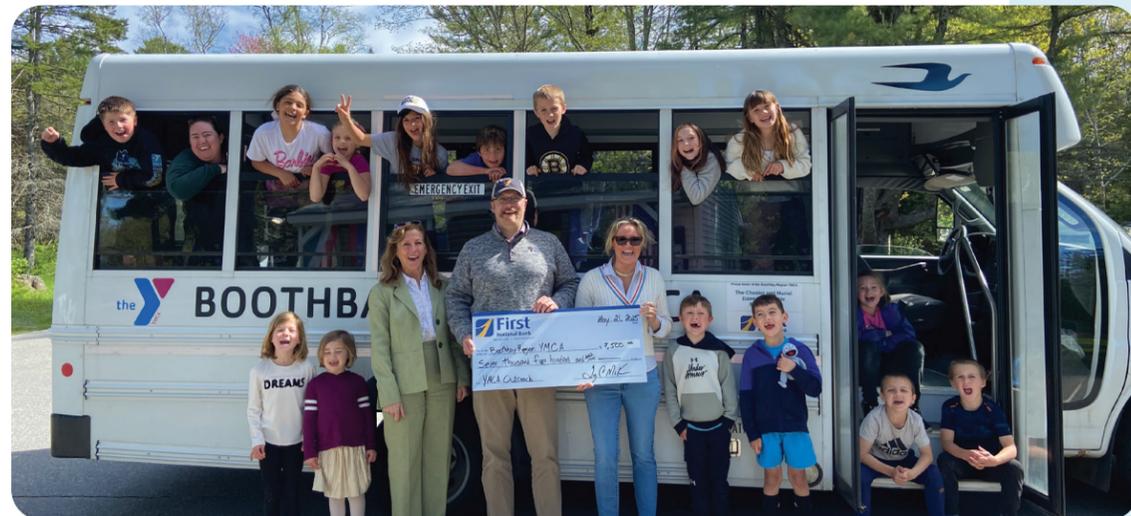
With the help of several local business leaders, the Boothbay Region YMCA rebranded and revamped a mutually beneficial program for businesses. In addition to continuing to offer major sponsorships with banners in the Marylouise Tandy Cowan Fieldhouse and signs in the Russell Gymnasium, the Y expanded offerings to create another level with both signs and banners.

The Y offered additional opportunities for businesses to advertise at the Y, which enabled them to gain meaningful visibility with their employees and over 100,000 visitors a year. As an organization recognized in the area with a positive brand association, businesses benefited from the connection with the Y, and they also helped provide financial support for memberships, programs, and scholarships.

The Y also exchanged sponsorships with other non-profits in town as "gifts-in-kind" in order to reduce expenses but still participate in each other's non-profit programs. In addition, there were some businesses that offered their services for free or with reduced fees in 2025. The Y recognized these businesses with gift-in-kind credit as well as Business Partner recognition.

“After growing up in the area and now raising my family here, it is so important for Tindal & Callahan Real Estate to invest in the places and people that mean so much to us and our community. The YMCA does that every day for families in this region, and being part of that work has always felt like a responsibility and a privilege for me.”

JONATHAN TINDAL, TINDAL & CALLAHAN REAL ESTATE PRESIDENT AND REGIONAL CHAMPION AND MAJOR SPONSOR OF THE Y'S BUSINESS PARTNER PROGRAM



THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF THE BUSINESS PARTNERS WHO JOINED IN 2025. THE Y IS HAPPY TO WELCOME NEW MEMBERS IN 2026, AS RECOGNITION MATERIALS CAN BE EASILY UPDATED.

REGIONAL CHAMPIONS – MAJOR SPONSORS

- Dead River Company
- First National Bank
- Hodgdon Yachts
- J. Edward Knight and Company*
- Knickerbocker Group
- Tindal & Callahan Real Estate

BAY LEADERS

- Bath Savings Institution
- BRTV and Media Center
- Fuller Marine Services
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- Hall Funeral Homes
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- Harbor's Choice Laundry

- Harbor Theater
- Northern Light Electric
- Pepsi
- Pooley Realty Group
- St. Andrews Village
- Stover Electric
- The Opera House at Boothbay Harbor
- Woodsong Market

*The Y is especially grateful to J. Edward Knight & Company for helping to underwrite this Annual Report.

DETAILS ABOUT THE BENEFITS AND LEVELS FOR BUSINESS PARTNERS CAN BE FOUND ON THE Y'S WEBSITE

BOOTHBAYREGIONYMCA.ORG/BUSINESS-PARTNER

THRIVING INTO THE FUTURE

THE BOOTHBAY REGION YMCA'S ENDOWMENT AND THE LEGACY CIRCLE

As a mission-driven nonprofit, the Y needs sufficient resources to "strengthen individuals, families and our community...through programs that build a healthy spirit, mind and body." The revenue to cover the day-to-day costs of running the Y come from three sources: membership dues, program fees, and philanthropy.

Because of the generosity of donors over the years, the Y receives additional income from philanthropic funds that are invested and professionally managed. Every year, the Y uses funds generated from this invested endowment to support vital programs, such as Y-Arts, Camp K and "Membership for All" scholarships, and provide services and outreach that enables the Y to continue to be a community catalyst for good.

Donors who have included the Y in their estate plans or who have made outright gifts to the endowment are members of the Y's **Legacy Circle**. In 2025, the Y welcomed thirty-five new members to the Legacy Circle. This was for one of three reasons:

1. They informed us for the first time that the Y is included in their estate plans;
2. They made an outright gift to the endowment or to the **Leadership Legacy Fund**, an unrestricted endowment designation honoring Andy Hamblett's 24 years of service as he prepares to retire in June 2026;
3. They made a **planned gift** specifically to the Leadership Legacy Fund in Andy's honor.

Legacy Circle members are recognized on a display at the Y that is updated regularly, are listed in the Annual Report, are invited to special events and receive special mailings.



All gifts to the Leadership Legacy Fund until June 30, 2026 will be matched 1:1 to honor Andy Hamblett's service to the Y. To donate, go boothbayregionymca.org and click on the menu item under "donate" and then "Leadership Legacy Fund."



“We invite you to join us in honoring Andy Hamblett with a gift that can help us meet the Leadership Legacy Fund match. These endowment funds ensure that the Boothbay Region YMCA has the resources to serve as the thriving heart of our community now and for generations to come.”

WEN J. WOLF, Y TRUSTEE AND LEGACY CIRCLE MEMBER AND MARY B. NEAL, FORMER Y BOARD PRESIDENT AND TRUSTEE AND LEGACY CIRCLE MEMBER

The Boothbay Region YMCA honors and recognizes those who make an outright gift or choose to leave a legacy through planned giving, reflecting a desire to nurture health, wellness, and community spirit at the Y for years to come. The Y is incredibly grateful to all members of the Legacy Circle.

CURRENT MEMBERS

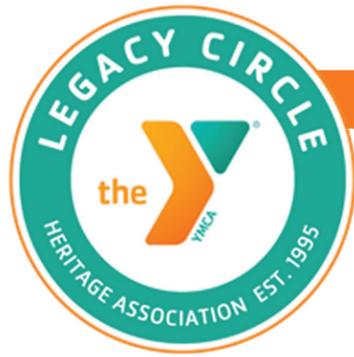
The following people have included the Y in their estate plans and/or have made an outright gift to the Y's Board Designated Endowment.

- Anonymous (4)
- Margot Atwood
- Lori and Bill Bailey
- Anne and Allen Barker
- Boothbay Harbor Rotary Club
- Kate and Jim Borsig
- Louise and Robert Bowditch
- Kitty and Bob Boyd
- Susan Bradley
- Barbara and Jack Brennan
- Jen and Charlie Britton
- Linda Burley
- Anne and William Butler
- Gena Canning
- Arlene Celler
- Monica Churchill
- Lisa Clarke
- Laird Cleaver
- Patty Colhoun
- Louise and Paul Cowan
- Judy Davidson
- Nan and Chip Davison
- Jack and Carol Dexter
- Monica and Rick Elder
- Fran Emery
- Deezie and Chris Flower



- Pat Fraker
- Allyson Goodwin and Mark Short
- Cindy Barker Greenleaf
- Anne Groton-Jacobs
- Donald Hale
- Meagan and Andy Hamblett
- Jo and Bill Haney
- Madea and Bruce Harris
- Patricia and Michael Harrison
- Kim and Glenn Hodgdon
- Jeannette McIntosh Ingersoll
- Keepers of the Burnt Island Light
- Marily and John Kerney
- Alex Logan
- Andrew Matthews
- Joan McCabe and Bruce Washburn
- Mildred H. McEvoy Foundation
- Lisa McIntosh
- Suzanna and Chuck McVey
- Susan V. Morris
- Jackie Mundy
- Joanne and Richard O'Connor
- Carol Ostermann

- Mary and David Otto
- Peggy Pinkham
- Penelope and Michael Pollard
- Mary and Vernon Rail
- Marianne Reynolds
- Emery and Bill Royall
- Christine Rubicam
- Sayles and Maddocks Family Foundation
- Paul and Sharma Schacknow
- Lindsey Senecal
- Holly Smith
- Jane Smith
- Carrie and Mark Smith
- Snider Foundation
- Michael Sprague
- A.R. and Marylouise Tandy Foundation
- Richard Teague
- Sally and Bill Thomas
- Bruce and Nancy Tindal
- Jonathan and Jessica Tindal
- Lisa Van Dyk
- Roger and Christine Vooght
- Miriam Wade
- Hannah Joule Wayda
- Anne and Tim Wissler
- Wen Wolf and Mary Neal
- Dorothy and Harold Wright
- Debrah and Tom Yale
- Vanda Yonge
- Ruth and Robert Zollinger



IN MEMORIAM

The following people thoughtfully included the Y in their estate plans and their bequests are included in the Y's Board Designated Endowment.

- Dorothy Abbott
- William Allison IV
- Janet Appell
- Nancy and Robert Barton
- Irene Bogolunsky
- Perry Bradley
- Frank and Mason Bower
- Dorothy Brown
- Sandi Burnham
- Ann and George Cochrane
- Richard Colhoun
- Robert and Virginia Conn
- William Danforth
- Judy and Charles Davidson
- Helen and Brewer
- Dean Elizabeth Decker
- Margaret and Terrance Dewhurst
- Alfred Dodge
- Dorothy Dorr
- John Dorr
- Charlotte and John Druce
- Edward Dunton
- Ruth and Walter Eastwood
- Ruth and Burton Edwards

- Barbara Fischer Eldred
- John Emery
- Silas Foote
- George Fotos
- Howard Galvin
- Ruth Lepper Gardner
- Dorothy Gregory
- Marion Guster
- Fran and Don Hale
- Robert Hall
- Virginia and David Hankinson
- Elizabeth and John Hayes
- Jane and Theodore Heidenreich
- Marion Higgins
- Ann and David Hilton
- Lenore Hilton
- Rebecca Iremonger
- Dorothy Johnston
- Eunice and Roy Kelly
- Eleanor and Mel Knox
- Betty and Charles Koch
- Alice Larrabee
- Hedwig and Orin Leach
- Elizabeth Ann Leach Charitable Trust
- Jane Lincoln
- Ann and Ward Logan
- Kathleen Matthews
- Penny Matthews
- Eleanor Miller
- Adelaide and William Moise
- Peter Mundy
- Jane Nelson
- Joan Nelson
- Wilhelm Ostermann
- Maddie Pennell
- I.J. Pinkham
- Elise Plummer
- Mary Lou and Todd Poole
- Maria Poore
- Helen Post
- Ruth Potter
- Daniel Ramsey
- Elizabeth Reynolds
- Ann and George Ross
- Bettina Hall Rubicam
- Stephen Rubicam
- Ellen and Henry Safford
- Charlotte D'Arcy Sampson
- Constance Schmid
- Ralph Scott
- Sue and Bud Shevenell
- Deborah and L. Whitman Smith
- Deborah Smith
- Phillips Smith
- Charles Stewart
- Jane Stover
- Robert Streng
- C. Anne Swope
- Jeannette and Harold Taylor
- Tommy and Jack Virden
- Ormand Wade
- Jean and Ken Walbridge
- Robert Walbridge
- Audrey and George Whitten
- Nellie Williams
- Vinnie Wilson
- Marjorie and Eliot Winslow
- Penny Wright
- J. Clark Wyman
- Betty Young

MEMBER PROFILE

CAROL OSTERMANN, A SHINING STAR!



Most mornings, Carol Ostermann can be found doing what she's always done: showing up at the Boothbay Region YMCA. She heads to Lane Six, affectionately known as "Carol's Lane," with steady determination and quiet joy, and swims for an hour, just as she always has.

On September 17, 2025, Carol reached an extraordinary milestone: her 90th birthday. That day, she also became a recipient of the Y's Dorothy Abbott Senior Stars, a benefit that provides a free membership to members in good standing once they turn 90.

In many ways, Carol embodies the spirit of Dorothy Abbott who, in the early 1950s, petitioned the national YMCA to found a Y in the Boothbay Region. YUSA turned down the proposal, believing the Boothbay area was too small to support a YMCA. Dorothy and a handful of other local residents persisted, and the Boothbay Region YMCA was founded on November 16, 1955. She later served on the charter Board of Trustees and as Board Secretary, reflecting the hands-on commitment she brought to building the Y from the start. Dorothy lived to be 100, and the Dorothy Abbott Senior Stars program, created in 2007, celebrates lifelong wellness, steadfast service, and community connection, qualities Carol embraces as well.

When Carol was recently asked to speak with the Board of Trustees, she shared what the Y means to her, and one reason rose straight to the heart of the Y's mission. "I love that all second graders learn to swim here for free," she said, "because we live near the water and every child should know how to swim if they live near our lakes and ocean!" The Y's free

swim program is made possible through grants, and lessons are offered to every second grader on the peninsula.

Carol also lit up remembering a time when the Y became something even bigger than a place to swim. In 2023, the Boothbay schools experienced an emergency flood, and third-grade students were able to use newly renovated Y spaces as temporary classrooms while repairs were made. "It was so fun to see those kids every single day," she said, "and to say hello and know that they were safe and able to go to school here at the Y. I was so proud that the Y was able to respond so quickly to help the school and those children."

Carol's current care for her community includes helping neighbors through the AARP tax preparation program during tax season and volunteering at Sunday River with the adaptive ski program.

Always ready with a warm smile, Carol is also a regular with the Y's coffee crew in the member lounge, relaxing with friends after her swim. True to her New England spirit, she brings her own well-worn mug and enjoys the complimentary morning coffee offered to members. Carol is the living picture of what the Y is all about: showing up, welcoming others, and helping people feel seen, safe, and supported, day after day. "Even though Carol claims there's a cold draft that comes from the door to her lane," says Director of Aquatics David Washburn, "we love seeing her, and she makes the pool feel like home."



The "Dorothy Abbott Senior Stars" program recognizes members in good standing as soon as they turn 90 years old. Created in 2007 to honor Dorothy, it waives annual dues for members. The name is appropriate because Dorothy embodied the spirit the program celebrates: lifelong wellness, steadfast service, and embracing the community. Dorothy was quite literally the Y's first "star" whose leadership helped make today's Y possible.

2025 DOROTHY ABBOTT SENIOR STARS RECIPIENTS

Antoine Atallah	Alan Lewis
Bill Butler	Lorraine Melanson
Peter Doelp	Carol Ostermann
Dorothy Ferrell	Anna Paradis
Elaine Goodwin	Holly Smith
Charles "Bud" Hawley	Mary Stuart Specht

The Dorothy Abbott Senior Stars program is underwritten by the Annual Fund.

OTHER GIFTS

MEMORIAL GIFTS

Gifts were made in memory of the following people in 2025:

Frank Anderson
Daniel Drake
Suzie Hamblett
George McEvoy
Dave Parkhurst
I.J. Pinkham
Judith Sandick
Laurence P. Sisson
Marjorie Skoglund
David Winslow

HONORARY GIFTS

Gifts were made in honor of the following people in 2025:

Pam Baldwin
Louise and Paul Cowan
Allyson Goodwin and Mark Short
Andy Hamblett
Jo and Bill Haney
Robert A. Hanley, Jr.
Lisa McIntosh
Phil Roberts
Nick Scott and Family

GIFTS IN KIND

The following people, businesses, and fellow non-profits made non-cash gifts to the Y in 2025:

BRTV and Media Center
Larry Bunkowske
Linda Burley
Coastal Maine Botanical Gardens
Harbor Theater
Fuller Marine
Griffin & Harris
Jody Lewis Excavation
Sally Searle
Soule, Soule, and Logan
The Opera House at Boothbay Harbor
Frances Weichsel



Ted Repa has fun at the Y's 70th Birthday Party on Sunday, November 16, 2025.

FOUNDATIONS AND GRANTS

The following Foundations and Grant Holders supported the Y in 2025:

The Bosarge Family Foundation
The Boston Foundation
The Maine Community Foundation
The Chester & Muriel Dawes Charitable Foundation
The Mildred H. McEvoy Foundation
Harold P. Raymond Fund of Greater Worcester
Red Wagon Calagione Family Foundation
The Sayles & Maddocks Family Foundation
St. Columba's Episcopal Church
Spectrum Generations
The Doree Taylor Charitable Foundation
YMCA Alliance of Northern New England
YMCA of the USA

Y-ARTS DONORS

The Y is grateful to the following donors who supported the Boothbay Region's signature legacy Y-Arts program in 2025:

CT and Mallory Adams
Debra Arter
Alan Baldwin
Jennifer Barton and Willard Morgan
Terry Beal
Ginny and George Bishop
Krystal Blackman
Magdalena Brozyna-Burns and John Burns
Cap'n Fish Holdings
Jenn Caron and Nathan Sullivan
Center for Teaching and Learning
The Curtis Family
Gigi and Tyler Delisle
Fuller Marine Services
Hannaford
Karen Haney
Bruce and Medea Harris

Brooke and Andy Hollon
Brian and Katy Inman
Katharina Keoughan and Paul Garber
Angela and Sam Lathem-Ballard
Meg LeMay
Corbin Lichtinger
Lincoln County Community Theater
Elizabeth and Joel Lufkin
Joseph Lugosch
Marden Builders, Inc.
Kerry Messer
Kristin and Ira Michaud
Emily and Nick Mirabile
Erik and May Mitchell
John Mulcahy and Andrew Fenniman
The Navarrete Family
Brenda Olcott
Morgan Peirce
Brandy and Corey Pottle
St. Columba's Episcopal Church
Southport Island Association

Susan and Larry Stewart
The Teel Family
The Crommett Family
Jessica and Jesse Westhaver
Tabor Young
Valerie Young

Y-ARTS IN 2025

10 Fully Staged Productions

6 Recitals or Concerts

Received an **Outstanding Performance/Showcase Award** at the Junior Theater Festival in Sacramento, CA

Special Thanks to Extraordinary Volunteers in 2025:
Anne Barker, Brienne Martin and our Counselors in Training

SPECIAL THANKS

We are also grateful for the "friends and family" price point that Marie and Andy Kolls from **Pretzelman Printing Group** offer the Y. As active Y members, we are very pleased to do business with them and the Y benefits from their meticulous care and excellent product. You can reach Andy at ask@pretzelman.com.

The Y thanks the woman-owned **Talley-O Design Studio** out of Portland, ME for their thoughtful partnership on the design of this Annual Report. We highly recommend their work! You can reach the dynamic duo of Liza and Rachel at www.talley-o.com.



Seussical the Musical performed at the Boothbay Opera House with the Y-Arts program and 50 local community members in March 2025.

2025 BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Executive Committee

- Charlie Britton, *President*
- Bruce Harris, *Vice President*
- Peggy Pinkham, *Treasurer*
- Bill Thomas, *Secretary*

Board Members

- Sarah Baldwin
- Jack Brennan
- Tricia Campbell
- Lisa Clarke
- AJ Crocker, *Youth Representative*
- Breanna Davis
- Natalie Flagg, *Youth Representative*
- Dan Hallinan
- Sarah Harris, *Youth Representative*
- Andy Hollon
- Marily Kerney
- Suzanna McVey
- Tory Paxson
- Judy Ryan
- Rick Wise
- Debrah Yale

2025 BOOTHBAY REGION YMCA LEADERSHIP TEAM

- Andy Hamblett, Chief Executive Officer
- Elizabeth Bishop, Chief Financial Officer
- Allyson Goodwin, Director of Development
- Erin Gray, Senior Program Director
- McKayla Groat, Finance and HR Director
- Lisa McIntosh, Director of Operations
- Rose Mooney, Director of Facilities
- Caroline Earle Ivens, Healthy Living Director
- Emily Mirabile, Y-Arts Director
- Clarissa Moskwa, Senior Finance and HR Associate
- Lindsey Senecal, Program Director
- Adam Taylor, Youth Program Coordinator
- Trevor Tibbetts, Membership Director
- David Washburn, Aquatics Director
- Hannah Joule Wayda, Child Enrichment Director
- Jaden Welsh-Alley, Finance and HR Associate



Rose Mooney and Erin Gray strike a pose in 2025

NOTE: This Annual Report spans the calendar year January 1, 2025 to December 31, 2025. All gifts made after December 31, 2025 will be recognized in the 2026 Annual Report.

While we have carefully checked this list for accuracy, we would like to correct any inadvertent errors. If there is an error, or you would like your name to appear differently in the future, or if you prefer to remain anonymous, please contact the Y's Fund Development Office at agoodwin@brymca.org or (207) 633-2855 x290.

The Y is grateful to the Scott family volunteering as the Thrive 2025 Philanthropic Ambassadors. They were always enthusiastic helpers. Thank you, Ollie, Emma, Mandy, and Nick. The Y appreciates you!

2025 FUND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

The Y, and the Fund Development Office in particular, is deeply grateful for the help and support of the Fund Development Committee who met monthly in 2025 to review and discuss strategic friendraising and fundraising plans. Special thanks to co-chairs Marily Kerney and Suzanna McVey who met even more frequently to plan the monthly meetings, took minutes, and facilitated meetings. It was a wonderful team effort!

Co-Chairs

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| Marily Kerney and Suzanna McVey | Andy Hollon |
| | Tory Paxson |
| Committee | Nick Scott |
| Sarah Baldwin | Hannah Joule Wayda |
| Charlie Britton | Rick Wise |
| Allyson Goodwin | Wen Wolf |
| Andy Hamblett | Debrah Yale |

The Y is incredibly grateful to these and the dozens of other volunteers who helped at the free Community Thanksgiving meal co-sponsored by the Y and the American Legion, with all proceeds donated to the Boothbay Region Food Bank and the Community Fridge in November 2025.



Y staffer Ivan Flores and the Y's after-school kids cook together for the free community meal co-hosted by the Y in November.

BAKERS, SERVERS, DECORATORS, STAMPERS, STUFFERS, TUTORS, LIFEGUARDS, AND SHREDDERS

In addition to our leadership volunteers, we are so grateful to the many others who assisted with a variety of important jobs, tasks, and projects that helped the Y thrive and therefore impacted the community in 2025. We sincerely intended to include everyone who volunteered, and if we missed your name, please accept our apologies and let us know so we can recognize you!

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| American Legion Post #36 Volunteers | Susan Kirby |
| Sue Apolinsky | Marie Kolls |
| Christopher Armstead | Brynne and Christian Kristan |
| Kip Azzoni | Katie and Doug Lail |
| Alan Baldwin | Emily LeGree |
| Fiona Bishop | Brianne Martin |
| Boothbay Region Food Pantry Volunteers | Scout Martin |
| Barbara and Jack Brennan | Suzanna, Chuck, and Sawyer McVey |
| Jen and Charlie Britton | Nick Mirabile |
| Deb Bronk | Jack Mooney |
| Lisa Clarke | Cathy Moroney |
| Samantha Colby | Sloan Nelson |
| Pam Cunningham | Lauren and Dick Palmer |
| Jane Davison | Maureen Phipps |
| Chris Devitt | Judy Ryan |
| Kirk Engraci and Joe Frey | Chris Devitt |
| Deezie Flower | Nick, Mandy, Emma, and Ollie Scott |
| Pat Fraker | Sally Searle |
| Barb Fritz | Mark Short |
| Scott, Wilson, and Catherine Giles-Stecher | Joanne Smith |
| Cherry and Chris Goodwin | Finn Sullivan |
| Meagan Hamblett | Nate Sullivan |
| Medea Harris | Ed Tsuzuki |
| Brad and Betsy Hastings | Ellen Van Haasteren |
| Lenore Imhof | Anna Waldman |
| Wendy Johnson | Rob Wheeler |
| Marily Kerney | Anne Wissler |
| | Deborah Yale |
| | Scott Yeomans |

WITH GRATITUDE

One of the greatest privileges of my work at the Boothbay Region YMCA is witnessing, every single day, the extraordinary generosity of this community.

I am deeply grateful to the people who stepped forward in 2025. Because of the collective generosity of many, families could afford camp, children felt safe and supported, and the Y was able to respond quickly when community needs arose. The Y community helped fund financial aid, strengthened programs, and ensured that access remained at the heart of everything we did, and continue to do every day as a marker of our mission.

I am equally thankful for the volunteers who gave their time, energy, and heart. Whether volunteering in leadership positions or stuffing envelopes, working registration tables, collecting food, serving meals, mentoring youth, or simply showing up when help was needed, they created real impact. Their willingness to join together in service is what transformed good intentions into meaningful action.

We should all feel collective pride in what we accomplished in 2025 together and that we did it with creativity and joy. Donors, volunteers, members, businesses, and staff came alongside one another

with compassion and purpose, creating ripple effects that extended far beyond the walls of the Y. The result is a stronger, more connected community where people know they belong and know they are cared for.

Thank you for believing in the Y and in each other. Thank you for choosing generosity, for lifting up your neighbors, and for helping the Y be a place where care turns into action and impact becomes real.

I am incredibly proud and profoundly grateful to walk alongside you in this work.



With heartfelt thanks,

ALLYSON GOODWIN,
DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT



HARBOR MONTESSORI SCHOOL RENOVATIONS COMPLETED



The renovations to the Harbor Montessori School were fully funded by generous donors and the doors were opened on schedule at the end of August 2025.

One of the priority projects in the *A Greater Impact* campaign was the renovation of the Harbor Montessori School (HMS), delivering transformational improvements to a program that serves children from six weeks old through age five and provides essential child care for local working families. Located on the north end of the Y's campus, the project also included exterior work to better connect HMS and the Y-Arts Center with the look and feel of the main Y facility.

The renovation brought major upgrades designed for young learners and the educators who support them, including large windows for more natural light, additional child-sized bathrooms, sinks in every classroom, and new flooring, lighting, and furniture. The building's comfort and function were also improved with a new air circulation system and air conditioning in each room. Outside, a new canopy provides shade and rain protection and discreetly screens the air condensers on the roof. For families, a wider sidewalk and entry apron make drop-off and pick-up safer and easier. New closets and storage, a renovated kitchen, and additional furnishings round out the improvements. Fully funded by generous donors at \$2.2 million, the project stayed on schedule so HMS could open for school at the end of August.

During construction, children and teachers were welcomed into temporary spaces throughout the Y's

main facility (or, as the kids called it, "the Big Y"). Their presence became a joyful part of daily life at the Y, with high-fives and hellos shared with members and visitors. "I'm so proud of our staff," says School Director Hannah Joule Wayda. "They went out of their way to provide a wonderful experience in temporary classrooms. We are so excited to be in our renovated home and are so grateful for our new spaces. But we loved being at the Y all the time and creating an intergenerational environment."

Some of HMS's most special features are found outdoors, where renovated natural play spaces feel like hidden gems from the outside. Felled trees from the Camp K campus, sandboxes, an outdoor "kitchen," a playhouse, and play elements made from local stone and stumps, along with thoughtful landscaping, provide light-filled, creative places to explore. Children also have access to the Y's amphitheater, located between the school and the main Y, used for play, outdoor performances, and Y-Arts programs.

Adjacent to HMS is the Annex, home to the Y's signature legacy visual and performing arts programs. While the Annex received select internal updates alongside the HMS renovation, a fundraising initiative is planned for 2026 for further renovations to support this important facility.

A FRIEND AT THE FRONT DESK

If you are one of the thousands of people who have passed through the doors of the Y over the past twenty-five years, then you have been greeted by the warm smile of Pat Fraker. "I first met Pat in 2017," shared Lisa McIntosh, Director of Operations. "I had no idea at the time just how much she would come to mean to me. Pat has been a constant, welcoming presence at the front desk for decades. She treats everyone who walks through our doors with kindness and care, and she truly believes in the work we do at the Y. She's not just a coworker — she's part of what makes this place feel like home." A Y member recently wrote, "Pat is amazing and a special woman, at the Y and in the community. I'm so thankful for her." Indeed, Pat's quick mind, radiant health, boundless energy, joyful spirit, and lifelong passion for helping others inspire everyone around her. She lives what she believes — that kindness shared freely can make the world a better place.



FEELING INSPIRED?

If you are moved by the stories of donors and their impact and all of the good that came from donating to the Y in 2025, consider a gift in 2026!

As a further exciting incentive, all new and increased gifts to the Annual, Camp K, and Leadership Legacy Funds will be **matched 1:1** in 2026, up to a total of \$200,000!

You can go online at boothbayregionymca.donate and choose one of the dropdown menu items, make a pledge to be paid later, put a recurring gift on your credit card or through your bank account, or send or drop off a check to:

Allyson Goodwin
Director of Development
Boothbay Region YMCA
PO Box 500, 261 Townsend Avenue
Boothbay Harbor, ME 04538

Or, email Allyson at agoodwin@brymca.org to discuss what you are interested in. We would love to help you find a way to support the Y and this community. Consider donating in honor or in memory of a loved one. Donated appreciated stock is a great way to avoid capital gains, and you can consider an IRA distribution or make a contribution through your Donor Advised Fund. Thank you for considering the Y in your 2026 philanthropic plans!

The Boothbay Region YMCA is a 501 (3)(c) non-profit organization. All donations to the Y are tax-deductible when donors did not receive any goods or services in exchange for their donation.



A REFLECTION ON 24 YEARS OF SERVICE

As I reflect on nearly 24 years as CEO of the Boothbay Region YMCA, I find myself filled with profound gratitude and enduring pride. To serve this Y and this community for more than two decades has been the great privilege of my professional life. As I enter my final half year, my heart is full.

What stands out most to me is not any single project, program, or building—it is the people. The Y has become a true hub of activity, connection, and caring because of the countless individuals who walk through our doors each day with generosity, curiosity, and a willingness to show up for one another. Members, donors, volunteers, staff, community partners, and neighbors alike have shaped the Y into something far greater than a fitness center or a collection of programs. Together, we have made it a catalyst for transformative good.

Over the years, I have watched the Y respond again and again to the evolving needs of our community. Whether expanding access to camp and childcare, stepping forward during moments of crisis, addressing food insecurity, or simply offering a welcoming place where people of all ages feel they belong, the Y has never lost sight of its purpose. It has remained nimble, compassionate, and grounded in service—guided by the belief that everyone deserves support, dignity, and opportunity.

This past year was especially meaningful. Following the completion of the *A Greater Impact* capital campaign, the Y did not pause; it thrived. The strength of philanthropic support, the growth of business partnerships, and the renewed energy across our programs affirmed what I have long believed: this Y is strong, trusted, and deeply woven into the fabric of our community.

I am profoundly grateful to the Board of Trustees, whose leadership and stewardship have ensured the Y remains both mission-driven and forward-thinking. I am endlessly inspired by our staff, whose dedication

and care bring our mission to life every single day. And I am humbled by the generosity of our donors and members, whose belief in the Y makes so much possible.

My most personal thanks goes to my family. My wife, Meagan—who has been an integral part of this Y—and I have had the joy of watching our children grow and flourish here. They participated in nearly every program the Y offers, giving us a firsthand view of the impact this place has on young lives. They formed lifelong friendships at the Y, were cared for in childcare and camps, gained confidence through Y-Arts and sports, and learned the values of respect, kindness, and teamwork as we proudly looked on. My parents, Pete and the late Suzie, were devoted seasonal members, and the Y community became their summer family. The Y is truly a family, and my own family has been deeply woven into its story.

As I look ahead, I do so with confidence and excitement. The Boothbay Region YMCA is well positioned for the future—anchored by its values, energized by its people, and ready to continue serving as a place where lives are changed for the better. I look forward to watching the Y continue to grow, adapt, and lead, and I will always be its most enthusiastic supporter.

Thank you for allowing me to be part of this extraordinary journey. It has been an honor beyond measure. Together, we've made it a great 24 years.

With deep gratitude,

ANDY HAMBLETT
 CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER,
 BOOTHBAY REGION YMCA





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