CREATING AN ENDURING SOURCE OF FUNDS FOREVER DEDICATED TO THE GOOD OF BERMUDA

YEAR IN REVIEW 2020–21

GIVE
Bermuda.org

Almost 200 online transactions processed facilitating $195,000 in flow-through donations to nonprofits

FRIENDS OF BERMUDA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

Over 200 donation transactions resulting in $2.2 million from American taxpayers to local nonprofits

UK Community Foundations for thriving communities

BCF is one of just 48 community foundations worldwide accredited by the UKCF

Vital Signs® | SMART & CARING COMMUNITIES

Joining the worldwide community foundations movement in producing a customised quality of life report

A PROUD PARTNER OF THE GLOBAL COMMUNITY FOUNDATION MOVEMENT
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**OUR PROFILE**

- Established as Limited Liability Company: Jan 31, 2013
- Registered as Charitable Foundation: Jan 31, 2014
- Licensed as Segregated Accounts Company: Dec 31, 2014
- Endowment Fund established: Dec 31, 2015
- Friends of BCF (US 501c3) established: Aug 20, 2015
- Accredited by UKCF: May 31, 2016
- Size of staff: Three full time equivalents

**OUR DASHBOARD**

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COMMUNITY IMPACT: THE GIFTS THAT KEEP ON GIVING

Eight years ago, a group of local and international philanthropists committed substantial financial support to the creation of an organisation to build and manage an enduring source of funds for the community. This community foundation was something new for Bermuda—although a tried and tested model for almost a century elsewhere. Without the vision and resources of those philanthropists, the Bermuda Foundation would either not exist—or be at a considerably less advanced stage. It was a leap of faith and as a community we continue to be grateful that they took the first bold step. It’s hard to imagine how emergency and hardship funds during the pandemic crisis could have been operated and sustained without the Bermuda Foundation. Over the past two years, we have been able to take vital action quickly when needed.

Without doubt, the gifts of that group keep on giving to Bermuda—directly to individuals most in need by supporting the nonprofit sector that provides them with essential and critical community services. By using its platforms to identify cross-sector needs and coordinate a series of collective funding movements to meet those needs, the creation of this community asset has changed the way Bermuda’s philanthropy works.

Our organisation, with your direct support and contributions to the Foundation-managed community impact funds, was able to step up yet again in 2021. We thank you—and certainly the most vulnerable, disenfranchised or disconnected in this community are grateful and appreciative of the lifeline you provided.

But it is time for a change if we are to get serious about fulfilling our intended purpose: to build an endowment large enough to constitute a critical mass of funding and ensure sustainability as a permanent community asset.

Our focus needs to move from the reactive to the proactive; from a cycle of pass-through gifts—and the associated administrative—tasks to the build-out of endowment funds to strengthen the pool of resources available to the nonprofit sector.

In times of crisis there will still be a need for emergency fundraising. But looking ahead, we need to continue to build the endowment to keep our community safe in an unpredictable future as well.

To refocus efforts in a post-pandemic environment, the Bermuda Foundation is making some changes in how we do business, shifting transactional support programmes and services to self-service platforms. This includes GiveBermuda.org, which, in addition to assisting local donations, facilitates the Friends of Bermuda Foundation 501c3 giving facility for American taxpayers. We will also be encouraging flow-through donor advisors to make use of all the online access tools we have curated and developed for efficient grantmaking. Grant dockets—the collection of grant applications and summary reports that are provided to managed fund account holders—will be standardised and posted online on donor portals.

Hundreds of transactions are already processed through the Foundation’s platforms. The strong and growing online products help us comply with the increasingly complex compliance monitoring, and good governance regulations. There will be some platform upgrades and fee adjustments for these community philanthropy services, all of which have been subsidised since the Foundation’s inception. Given the effectiveness of the self-service model so far, we believe this will provide a cost-effective model to support our future growth.

The community challenges brought by the pandemic have been significant and complex. The impacts on health and safety issues, education gaps, increasing violence among...
young people, disconnectedness and mental health challenges are substantial. We have all seen it and read about it. Your community foundation has been a vital part of the solution set, enabling existing and new social programmes and services to be funded and delivered. The community foundation model has been successful and we need to continue to adapt to tackle these disturbing social problems.

2021 also had some uplifting moments. The joy of Flora Duffy winning Bermuda’s first Olympic gold medal was shared throughout the community in a way that few single events are. She continues to share her success with Bermuda by providing funding for other young athletes who need assistance and support. Her two community funds—the Flora Fund and the endowed Flora Gold Fund, sponsored by Gosling’s—attest to the spirit of this young woman and her connection to Bermuda as the tangible benefits of her success are spread throughout her community. This was her moment to shine and she joins other donors, whose generosity and thoughtfulness have made them community role models and philanthropists.

For two pandemic years, frontline and essential workers have continued to provide us with services that are well beyond their original mandate. We thank them for their hard work, professionalism and dedication to keeping us healthy and safe.

Finally, we are pleased to note the Bermuda Foundation has continued to carry out its work at the highest level. We have met tough international standards, again securing accreditation by the UKCF, one of only 48 community foundations worldwide. We have received our ninth unqualified audit report. And we have been awarded the 2021 Global Excellence Lux Life Award as Best Community Support Organisation.

We highlight these achievements to assure you that our work meets international standards. This is how we always want to show up for Bermuda. This is how we serve our purpose and prepare for the next big requirement of us: to build this community asset for the long run—to serve us now and in future generations.

—MICHAEL SCHRUM, CHAIRMAN
—MYRA VIRGIL, CEO & MANAGING DIRECTOR

Board & Staff Changes

Michael Schrum steps down having completed his three-year term as Chair of the Bermuda Foundation Board. He has played a key role during the transition from a start-up to a sustainable model, having been on the Board since 2013 and his valuable guidance, advice and leadership is appreciated. Michael will join the Foundation’s first Chair, Peter Durhager, in service to the Chairs’ Fund, which helps the Foundation grow critical assets.

Thanks go also to David Woodcock for his service to the Board since 2020. We are grateful for his work on governance and financial matters.

Finally, Programme Associate Michelle Grant, who has been with the Foundation since 2015, has left for new professional opportunities and we wish her the very best in her future endeavours.
Increased philanthropic resources and capacities

ROBUST, MULTI-PURPOSE PHILANTHROPIC INFRASTRUCTURE FIT-FOR-PURPOSE

Operate the community foundation

Platform for structured, sustained giving addresses ever-changing sector and social needs

Build permanent endowments

Planned and legacy gifts become a sustaining revenue stream for the nonprofit sector

Enable online and tax-deductible donations

Simplified, more efficient, more accessible giving and fundraising systems to enhance transactions

Develop and manage information and technology

Donor decisions are influenced by data and metrics resulting in better access to information on social programmes

Manage and invest funds

Pooled investment portfolio yields returns while segregated accounting ensures funds go to intended purposes

Make grants, manage programmes, provide donor services

Shared philanthropic services/systems reduce fees; improve efficiencies and increase and diversify investments in solutions to address community needs

Focus for 2022–23

Permanence Local giving

Endowment growth: endowed funds cover operational needs and fund an unrestricted grant programme; strong, market-linked ROI available for grantmaking to charitable sector

Endurance Lasting giving

Increased funding for and investment in programme/product/service development/re-alignment, capacity building, research, policy development and evaluation in sub-factor areas

Effectiveness Easier giving

Improved understanding of organisational health and best practices for programme and service delivery

Quality Smarter giving

Better access to information for civil society, societal issues and community philanthropy

Growth More funding

WHAT’S THE ENDGAME?

System impact: third sector wide

Sphere of Influence

■ Increased presence of planned giving in sector; sustained charitable giving
■ Increased funding for and investment in programme/product/service development/re-alignment, capacity building, research, policy development and evaluation in sub-factor areas

BCF programme impact

Sphere of Contribution

■ Increased, targeted funding for most pressing social issues as identified by field/sector data
■ Improved information on programme performance and grantmaking; metrics/indices capture state of conditions we all aim to improve
■ Improved understanding of organisational health and best practices for programme and service delivery
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Sphere of Attribution

■ Information/guidance for funders on funding options in their interest areas
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Community philanthropy in Bermuda positively impacts how giving is done (donor’s philanthropic wishes are respected; giving is impactful); how the philanthropic environment operates (accessible, equitable); and how the sector is sustained.
Our Theory of Philanthropy

“If we build an enduring source of funds and if we invest in understanding community priorities for quality of life in Bermuda, our philanthropy will achieve meaningful impact”

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<td>Building a permanent charitable endowment for enduring support of local nonprofits</td>
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<td>Social Mission Classification and increasing the appetite of donors of all types and at all stages, for evidence-based giving</td>
<td>■ Gather info on programmes: report out; populate platforms.  ■ High-level analysis  ■ Provide third sector/social issue data/criteria with professionally supported infrastructure</td>
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| UNIVERSAL OUTCOME REPORTING | | |
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| | Reporting to standardised outcomes; gathering predictive programme data; building third sector infrastructure |  ■ Map nonprofits’ programmes to outcomes  ■ Translate programme activities into standard outcomes (based on emerging evidence that a finite number of outcomes drive 80% of all social change) |

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<td>Taking an aerial view of how we are doing as a whole. Ongoing assessment of gaps and opportunities</td>
<td>■ Convene to identify key Indicators/benchmarks of Vital Signs® sub-factors; map outcomes to programmes  ■ Generate systemic “rule change” proposals for programmes and services, government policy, structures and infrastructures</td>
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<td>Grantmaking and facilitating funding support for system-wide, sector-based efforts. Evidence-based, coordinated giving for collective impact. Strategic philanthropy</td>
<td>■ Showcase or pilot work in critical interest areas to stimulate discussion/uptake  ■ Seek funding proposals for vital activities based on predicted outcomes  ■ Align funding strategies to indicators</td>
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<td>Assess programme efforts. Systematically surfacing and capturing local community priorities</td>
<td>■ Identify emerging critical social issues; gain deeper understanding of communities priorities/issues  ■ Identify measurable outcomes/indicators for Bermuda’s Vital Signs using evidence-based industry standards  ■ Map Vital Signs® to standardised outcomes</td>
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The Foundation reviewed an average of 35 grant applications per quarter on behalf of 11 Corporate and Managed Programme Funds in FY2021. This was in addition to the community impact fund transaction processing. Below is an analysis of a subset of core funding distributed to nonprofit programmes.

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In 2020/21, nonprofits and charities sought funding support in record numbers and Bermuda residents gave more than ever. Fund Advisors at the Bermuda Foundation, along with the Bermuda Foundation’s Board, recommended over $3.3m in grants to nonprofits, providing much-needed financial support to the causes these donors care about most. Other donors chose to respond swiftly to emerging community needs by unlocking gifts from their funds, and donating to one of the Community Impact Funds.

**By the numbers**

15 New donor funds established
$7.5m Total value of gifts and contributions to the foundation in 2021
$3.3m Total value of gifts and disbursements by the foundation in 2021
187 Number of donation transactions managed throughout 2021

**GRANTS BY MISSION / PROGRAMME AREA**

- Food programmes / meal provision: 29.9%
- Education (schools): 14.8%
- Health & health supports: 10.4%
- Youth development / experiential / enrichment: 6.9%
- Environment & conservation: 5.9%
- Services to populations with special needs: 4.9%
- Arts, culture & heritage: 4.7%
- Public safety, disaster preparedness & relief: 3.1%
- Educational services & supports: 2.9%
- Capacity building: 2.7%
- Child & family services & supports: 2.6%
- Senior services: 2.4%
- Education (scholarship recipients): 1.9%
- Recreation & sport: 1.8%
- Housing & shelter: 1.1%
- Specialised education: 1.1%
- Mental health supports & services: 0.9%
- Community building & engagement: 0.6%
- Education (scholarship & bursary programmes): 0.6%
- Diversity, inclusion, equity, access & belonging: 0.2%
- Employment: 0.1%
- Religion-related: 0.0%

1 Funding for immediate impact – Essential service programme support: 40%
2 Funding for immediate impact – Investments in direct services and programmes to maintain and improve quality of life: 53%
3 Funding for intermediate impact – Investments in organisational and leadership capacity building: 4%
4 Funding for systemic impact – Investments in infrastructure, strategy: 1%
5 Scholarships and sponsorships to individuals made possible by donor-directed funding (grandfathered programme funds): 2%
**BERMUDA FOUNDATION-SPONSORED IMPACT PROGRAMMES**

**BEACON SCHEME AWARD FUND**

This fund acknowledges the efforts of nonprofit organisation that have committed to standards of service excellence by successfully achieving Bermuda National Standards Committee (BNSC) accreditation or certification with a grant that subsidises annual registration costs.

To date, $107,250 has been deployed in grants to ensure gaining access to the BNSC credentials remains accessible to all nonprofits, as they become established and mature.

Although the Foundation is the primary sponsor of this initiative it welcomes contributions from donors wishing to help nonprofit sector organisations achieve higher standards of governance, operational and programme performance. Congratulations to the nationally accredited and certified BNSC organisations.

**BERMUDA NONPROFIT LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT FUND**

This fund builds capacity in nonprofit leadership to manage and grow healthy organisations. To date, between $10,000–$12,000 has been deployed annually to deliver top-rated nonprofit management programmes, combined with on-island group support, knowledge sharing and cultivation. In 2021, the Inter-Agency Committee took over the management of the programme to great success. Congratulations to all graduates and good luck to the current cohort.

The Foundation is the primary sponsor of this programme as well but welcomes contributions from donors who have a passion for professional development and ensuring the success of the third sector’s emerging leadership at all levels.

**COMMUNITY IMPACT FUNDS**

These community impact funds benefit from our collective and coordinated funding support. Arguably, some of the supported programmes would not have been able to stay open and operational without our joint funding efforts. Keep giving, Bermuda.

**BERMUDA HARDSHIP FUND**

Total donations & disbursements: $443,000

Twenty-one nonprofits funded to deliver feeding programmes, hardship subsidies, antigen tests for third sector employees and volunteers, first aid care, food vouchers, health care and support services.

Many organisations remain active or on stand-by to address short-term essential needs as they arise. We are positioning for longer term support for basic needs by maintaining the emergency and hardship (sometimes we adjust the names of the funds to make it easier for you to identify them when needs arise!) funds. This fund created a source of operational and service support for organisations continuing to deliver essential services.

**BERMUDA EMERGENCY & CRISIS RELIEF FUND & BERMUDA COVID-19 PHASE 2 EMERGENCY FUND**

Total donations & disbursements: $2.6M

Many of Bermuda’s most vulnerable community members reside in seniors home. Bermuda has 21 facilities, 19 of which are private, serving 392 seniors. Funding from the Bermuda Emergency Fund continued to be deployed in 2021 to purchase food supplies, personal equipment,
install wi-fi, and get more phone lines into the nursing home facilities.

The fund also supported nonprofits delivering food and feeding services, distributing hardship emergency funding to distressed families, and PPE purchases for front-line service workers. For example, in an 18-month period (March 2020–August 2021), the Salvation Army reported having provided almost 29,000 meals through feeding centres and 13,000 meals distributed in shelters; 10,086 bed days used in their Emergency Housing Shelter; 12,550 people were provided with food and other assistance in community and family services programmes. Among a host of other social initiatives, the Seventh Day Adventist Community Services distributes hot meals in Hamilton and St. David’s. An average of over 1,200 meals per month were distributed to the unsheltered by Adventist Community Services Bermuda teams.

While funding from impact funds like these may not cover the total costs of these programmes, our collective donations help in a big way.

**BERMUDA NONPROFIT STABILISATION FUND**

*Total donations & disbursements: $741,000*

The Foundation rolled its annual grantmaking budget into this initiative to increase the pool of unrestricted funding for general operation support. Over 30 grants to 29 nonprofit entities of all sizes and reach, across a spectrum of service activity, were supported to keep their organisations open and key programmes operational.

Adult Education School, Age Concern Bermuda, Bermuda Centre for Creative Learning, Bermuda Fine Arts Trust (Bermuda National Gallery), Bermuda Institute of Ocean Sciences, Bermuda National Trust, Bermuda Red Cross Charitable Trust, Bermuda School of Music, Bermuda Sloop Foundation, Bermuda Underwater Exploration Institute, BSMART Development Foundation, Disability Centre of Bermuda (formerly A New Life), Family Centre, Footy Promotions, Impact Mentoring Academy, Inter-Agency Committee for Children & Families (IAC), Masterworks Foundation, Menuhin Foundation, National Museum of Bermuda, North Village Community Club, PRIDE Bermuda, Raleigh International Bermuda, SEED Bermuda, St. John’s Ambulance Bermuda, Duke of Edinburgh’s Award Bermuda, Tomorrow’s Voices, Vision Bermuda, Waterstart Ltd., WindReach.

**ACCESS TO TECH FUND**

*Total donations: $130,000  
Total disbursements: $83,000*

This fund ensures that public school students have access to computers, devices and Internet connectivity—basic, critical needs in a technologically-focused era, minimising learning disruption. The Mirrors Programme, in collaboration with the Ministry of Education, has taken on the big job of managing requests, tracking disbursements and placing orders.

- 40 HP devices purchased for Berkeley High School students.
- 139 Lenovo Chromebooks bought for Clearwater students.

More impact reporting to come!

**MENTAL HEALTH HOTLINE FUND**

*Total fund activity: $115,000*

Funded by the Bermuda Health Council with in-kind support from OneComm, this fund supported the build-out and maintenance of Infrastructure to deliver an emergency community wellbeing hotline. Also referred to an the “Emotional Wellbeing Hotline, this fund has ensured a minimum of 12 hours of mental health support availability per week since the beginning of the pandemic, made possible by the Bermuda Psychology Association under the leadership of Dr. Alison Daniels. Funding also went to the development of a permanent online mental health resource for the community.
Establish a Donor-directed Fund

1. **Consider your charitable interests**
   What are you passionate about? Performing arts? Helping children impacted by violence? Getting better health care on island? When you establish a permanent fund at Bermuda Foundation, you will have the flexibility to support the charities and causes you care about most.

2. **Establish your fund**
   It’s easy to establish your own Donor-advised (Fund) at Bermuda Foundation. With a gift of $25,000, a personally-named fund can be set up in just a day or two. The fund’s capital is endowed and only the income is granted out, so the fund keeps on giving, year after year.

3. **Grant from your fund**
   With a fund, you can have as little or as much involvement as you want. You can support any Bermuda-registered charity, or you can focus on a charitable cause and leave the decision making to our advisors who will facilitate support to nonprofit projects on your behalf.

4. **Plan for the future**
   Planning for the future is important, as your fund is a lasting legacy that will continue to support the community for generations. You can appoint a trusted friend or family member as your successor fund advisor, or ask Bermuda Foundation to carry out your wishes in perpetuity.

Establish an Agency Fund

We don’t just work with individual and family donors. In fact, Bermuda Foundation manages endowment funds on behalf of several charitable agencies. A charitable agency endowment fund provides for prudent capital growth coupled with a predictable source of income, which is particularly helpful in years where donations are down or government funding is reduced.

Charitable agency endowment funds represent a broad spectrum of large and small organisations. Contact us to find out how we can help support your organisation.

1. **PROFESSIONAL AND DIVERSIFIED INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT**
2. **SUPPORT FOR COMPLEX GIFTS**
3. **EFFICIENT AND EFFECTIVE**
4. **LOW COST-RECOVERY FEES**

(Adapted from the Vancouver Foundation with thanks)

Support the aims of a Community Impact Fund at BCF

Without a doubt, donor support in tackling the critical and emerging needs arising from the pandemic has been unsurpassed. However, we hope never to find ourselves in a position where we have to help the nonprofit sector secure rapid funding to ensure equitable and efficient access to the resources that make its work possible, such as: ensuring food is on the table for families in need during an unanticipated Island-wide shut-down; helping seniors homes stay staffed or keeping residents connected and safe; or ensuring antigen tests for front-line workers are accessible in a way that is fair and worthy of their sacrifice.

The Foundation is growing a community asset that will stand the test of time. Consider making a contribution to its permanent endowment funds, which will fund future needs like these and those we cannot yet imagine.

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Get involved

**SOCIAL EQUITY FUND**

**LEAD DONOR:** Validus Re

Arising amid calls for support for initiatives that improve access, equity, diversity and inclusion, and belonging outcomes, this fund creates enduring support for future generations of nonprofit programmes that seek racial and gender equity, diversity of representation and equality of opportunity, barriers to them and the identification and resolution of their root causes. These initiatives are perpetually under-funded despite global prioritisation and urgency around the issues. This fund remains under-funded but is available for investment for people who envision an end goal where identity is not a predicator for equitable access to areas that impact quality of life.

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As a community service provided at subsidised rates, the Foundation continued to manage the 501c3 donations facility that enables American taxpayers to make IRS tax deductible donations to Bermuda Registered Charities. Its most recent financial results are reported each year in its Form 990 Returns, viewable using the IRS Tax Exempt Organisation Search Tool, referencing EIN # 38-3938349 (HM MA Burma).

As part of its staff volunteer effort, the Foundation coordinates the Christmas Giving Tree initiative sponsored by Bookmart at Brown & Co. Now five years in the running, customer purchases augmented by a Bookmart discount have resulted in 375 gifts for families that otherwise would have gone without. Thanks to the team at Bookmart and the nonprofit leaders who have taken the time to ensure that the people in need with whom they work are identified:

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