



The Power of Collective Giving

WIN has established four Areas of Giving: Education, Arts & Culture, Health & Wellness, and Environment. The Areas of Giving rotate on an annual basis and as of 2020, WIN has given over \$300,000 to local non-profits who submitted projects that make a significant impact in New Hanover County.

“There really is nothing more motivating than being around a group of people who care enough to give their time and their money to causes they believe in and to truly be the change...that’s the spirit of the Women’s Impact Network of New Hanover County.”

Dana Jaunzemis, Founding Member

2020 WIN Grants Recipients



The \$23,000 grant supports the purchase of 150 trees that will be planted throughout Wilmington’s southside. The grant also enabled the organization to extend its mission by adding student interns to help support the administrative demands of its rapid growth.



The \$25,000 grant enabled the organization to tailor their activities for the community most affected by environmental injustice and enabled CFRW to hold listening sessions, provide materials, and support an extension of the popular Creekwatchers program into that community.



Keep New Hanover Beautiful will support expansion of the volunteer-led Cigarette Litter Prevention Program (CLPP) that collects, recycles and raises awareness of cigarette litter pollution. 15 new stand-up collection canisters will be placed in downtown Wilmington.



Winter Park PTA will expand Waste Free Wednesday cafeteria recycling and education program. WIN funds will allow extension of the program to 5 additional New Hanover County schools in 2021. The program replaces plastic cafeteria items with compostable substitutes one day a week.



The Children’s Museum of Wilmington will use WIN’s \$2,000 to support a new interactive environmental water quality and conservation exhibit. The new exhibit will educate visitors on the importance of water, the impact of pollutants, and how water is filtered.

Our mission

We are 100 women who believe in the power of collective giving to positively impact our community by working towards a clean environment, a thriving arts community, widely available education and equitably distributed health care.



Why Join WIN

- Engage with other smart & motivated women focused on making a difference in our community
- Enhance your knowledge of philanthropy and grant making throughout WIN, especially in the WIN Book Club
- Help select the nonprofit proposals that promise to achieve IMPACT
- Learn about the needs of local nonprofits in Arts&Culture, Education, Health&Wellness, and Environment
- Participate actively in WIN to help us grow

Who We Are	What We Do	How We Do It
<p>We are an inclusive, volunteer run, women's collective giving organization. Ten years ago our founders established WIN to engage women in philanthropy and to have a collective impact on the community.</p>	<p>We award grants each year to nonprofits in a specific Area of Giving. Applications are rewarded for innovative and collaborative projects. In 2020 we distributed \$60,000 to 5 nonprofits in Environment</p>	<p>We meet with community activists to learn about their Area of Giving and share our own experiences; then we solicit grant applications. Each member votes on the awards. And we celebrate and enjoy each other.</p>

Will You Join Us?

New Members bring new energy to WIN's growth and IMPACT. You are welcome to participate actively and you are invited to contribute in a way that works for you. We want to get to know you. Please contact WIN Chair Isabella Hinds (isabellahinds@gmail.com) or go to www.winofnhc.org for more information.