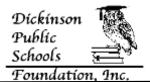
# Dickinson Public Schools FOUNDATION NEWS

**Education is the Foundation for the Future** 



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## Schwartz Joins Foundation Board

Jerry Schwartz was recently nominated to a three year term on the Foundation Board. Jerry was a math teacher at Hagen Junior High for 31 years. He coached junior high and high school cross country for 28 years

and junior high and high school track for 31 years. Jerry also coached junior high wrestling one year and junior high basketball for two years. He owns and operates Jerry D. Schwartz Construction, LLC. "As a long-time Dickinson resident and former teacher, I am interested in the Foundation's work to provide private, financial support to enrich the quality of education in the Dickinson Public Schools. I look forward to serving on the Board." stated Jerry.

# **Grant Applications Due December 15**

The Foundation's 2016-2017 grant applications were distributed in the schools and emailed to school district staff. The Foundation has



budgeted \$29,000 towards this year's grant program. Grant applications must go "above and beyond" the school district's budget and "enrich" education in the Dickinson Public Schools. For more information on the Foundation's grant program, go to our web site at www.dickinson.k12.nd/foundation.

#### **DPS Payroll Deduction Program**

School district employees have pledged \$6,417 towards this year's payroll deduction program. Their donations will help fund the Foundation's grant program in the schools. Thank you for your support of the Foundation's

Auditions for the 2017 Mystery Dinner Theater Play will be held in December Watch for more information.

## **Lenz Family Develops Music Scholarship**



The Harry Lenz family recently established the Ruth Lenz Memorial Music Scholarship in memory of Ruth Lenz. A \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded to a graduating Dickinson High School student that will be majoring in

music in college. Scholarship applications are available from Dickinson High School counselors. Thank you Lenz family!

#### Gifts to the Foundation

#### **Memorial Gifts**

In Memory of Emma Jaeger - by Mary Massad In Memory of Terry Bullinger – by Mary Massad, Deb Conlon

In Memory of Anton Funk (Susan Bogner's dad) - by Jim & Gloria Ciavarella

**In Memory of Bobbi Miller** – by Deborah Thompson **In Memory of Larry Selle** - by Gayle Selle, family & friends

In Memory of Andrew Volesky – by Hagen Staff Ruth Lenz Memorial Music Scholarship – by Harry Lenz Other Gifts Were Received from - Jerry & Kim Schwartz, Mary Massad, Jay Bleth, DHS Class of 1966

Thank you for your gifts to the Foundation!