

# Milestones

**1991** – Board Elected, Articles of Incorporation Approve

**1994** – Grants Program Established

**1996** – Grant Received from Indianapolis Foundation; Exec. Director Hired

**1997** – Endowment Campaign Kick-Off with 150% matching funds from Indianapolis Foundation and Lilly Endowment

**2001** – First Scholarships & Youth Fund Grants

**2002** – Launch of Wayne Township Community Theatre

**2006** – Endowment hits \$1.5 million

**2007** – Wayne Township Community Theatre sees its 10,000th visitor

**2011** – Roaring 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration & Millionth Dollar Awarded

**2012** – Unprecedented \$50,000 Grant to support Lynhurst Intervention Plan

**2013** – Received largest single major gift in our history from Bill Rogers, 1960 BD Alum

**2016** – Hats Off 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration

- 1,377 Teachers/Staff Awarded Grants
- 1,092 Programs Funded
- 277,030 Students, Staff, Parents Affected
- \$163,025 in Scholarship Funds Awarded
- 260 Youth Fund Grants Awarded
- 750 Seniors; 1,500 Teachers Recognized through Top Thirty Banquet
- 25,000 Audience Members to Wayne Township Community Theatre
- 3,038 Teachers Recognized through Seniors' Choice Recognition Program

**2017** – 2 Millionth Dollar Awarded

