

ORCF Presents Over \$2.5 Million in Community Grants at Annual Celebration

Thanks to the generosity of Ocean Reef Club Members, more than \$2.5 million in 2025 Community Grants is now at work across Key Largo, Homestead, and Florida City, following the Ocean Reef Community Foundation's annual Grants Presentation Celebration at the Cultural Center last month. More than 200 guests, including representatives from 80+ grant recipients, enjoyed connecting and learning about the real-world impact of our critical funding in the neighboring areas where ORC employee families live.

The Foundation's annual Community Grants program is made possible by proceeds

from All Charities Weekend and funds scores of worthy non-profit organizations in the interest areas of Education, Youth, Health & Family Services and Community each spring. The program has awarded more than \$20.8 million since the Foundation's All Charities effort to consolidate fundraising in the Ocean Reef community began in 2008.

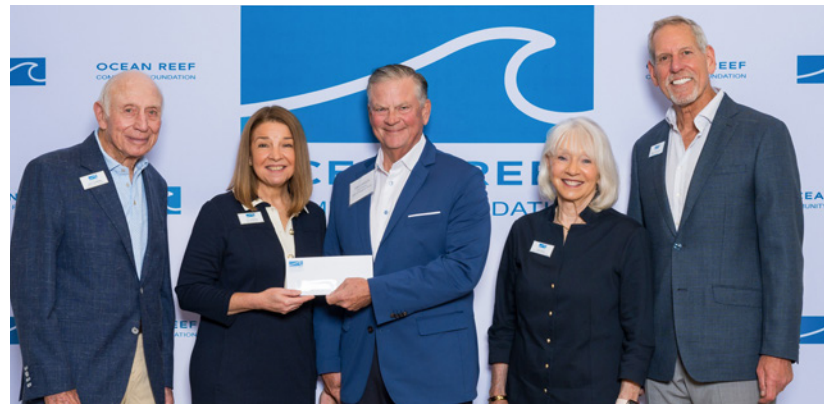
To view the full list of 2025 Community Grant recipients, visit oceanreefcommunityfoundation.org/grant-recipients.



ORCF Executive Vice President & Grants Committee Chair Janie Sims and Vice Chair & All Charities Chair Michael Berman personify the Foundation's annual cycle of local philanthropy, from All Charities Weekend fundraising to application vetting, proceeds distribution and follow up reporting.



(L-R) ORCF Vice Chair & All Charities Chair Michael Berman, Executive Vice President & Grants Committee Chair Janie Sims, representatives of Star of the Sea (SOS) and Executive Vice President & Grants Committee Vice Chair Steve Woodsum (far right). SOS is a long-time non-profit partner and received a grant of \$36,000 for the Upper Keys Hunger Relief program, which includes the St. Justin Food Pantry.



(L-R) ORCF Chairman Emeritus Alan Goldstein, Executive Director Yuri Mikolay, Executive Vice President & Grants Committee Chair Janie Sims, Gift of Adoption board and ORC member Greg Stemler, and ORCF President & COO Richard Weinstein.



(L-R) ORCF Executive Director Yuri Mikolay, Executive Vice President & Grants Committee Chair Janie Sims, representatives of Arc of South Florida and Board & Grants Committee Member Diane Hill (far right). Arc of South Florida received an Impact Fund grant of \$118,800 for a critical renovation of their Florida City school facility.



ORC Members including ORCF Board Member Teresa Holmes, Jay Holmes and Nelson Sims (center) enjoy the celebration and visiting with representatives from TML Homestead and the Three Virtues organization (on either side).