

## ELEVEN LOCAL EDUCATORS RECOGNIZED BY THE ULSTER SAVINGS CHARITABLE FOUNDATION

The Ulster Savings Charitable Foundation recently recognized eleven (11) local educators with a total of nearly \$10,000 provided through the Foundation’s Learning Initiatives for Educators (L.I.F.E.) grant program.

The following is a list of L.I.F.E. Grant winners for the 2016-2017 school year:

<b>Educator Name</b>	<b>School</b>
Stephen Cabarcas	Plattekill Elementary School
Sheila Yoshpe	Plattekill Elementary School
Tanya Daw	Harry L. Edson Elementary School (Kingston)
Scott Brown	Leptondale Elementary School (Walkill)
Debra Rosenfeld	John G. Borden Middle School (Walkill)
Elisa Parker	Cerebral Palsy of Ulster County*
Susan Scagnelli	Cerebral Palsy of Ulster County*
Nancy Haley	Cerebral Palsy of Ulster County*
Amber Dominowski	Cerebral Palsy of Ulster County*
Anita Hoyt	Leptondale Elementary School (Walkill)
Kim Garcia	Bishop Dunn Memorial School (Newburgh)
<i>* formerly known as the Community Rehabilitation Center</i>	

The L.I.F.E. Grant program, created by the Foundation in 2008, assists teachers throughout the Mid-Hudson Valley with funding for specific purchases or programs that are outside of their regular budget. Through this program, the Foundation provides funding for teachers and schools to offer further educational opportunities for students, enhance the professional development of teachers, and involve students in community service activities.

The Ulster Savings Charitable Foundation has awarded over \$89,000 to local educators through the L.I.F.E. Grant program since its inception eight years ago.

For more information regarding the L.I.F.E. Grant program or the Ulster Savings Charitable Foundation, please call Jeffrey Wood at (845) 338-6322, ext. 3268.



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