

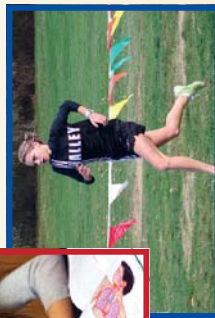
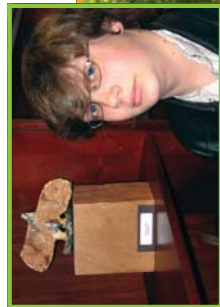
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The Region 4 Education Foundation is a non-profit corporation organized in 1998 to broaden and enhance the educational experience of our students at Valley Regional High School and John Winthrop Middle School. The Foundation provides independent, financial assistance for the development of enrichment programs, worthy educational projects and other learning initiatives that are not ordinarily included in the school budgets.

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P.O. Box 187

Deep River, CT 06417

R4EF is a tax-exempt corporation governed by a Board of Directors consisting of up to Fifteen citizens. Three ex-officio non-voting Directors represent the Board of Education and Superintendent. The directors reflect a cross-section from our community and represent the Towns of Chester, Deep River, and Essex.

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- Patron \$25 to \$249
- Benefactor \$250 to \$999
- Leader \$1000 and up

My gift of \$ _____ is enclosed.

Please make checks payable to R4EF, PO Box 187 Deep River, CT 06417

Thank You!

Region 4 Education Foundation, Inc. is a Connecticut non-profit corporation. Donations to tax-exempt organizations are tax deductible to the full extent allowed by law. If you have any questions, please consult your tax advisor.

The R4EF Annual Spelling Bee

Our annual spelling bee has been a fun way to bring our community together and raise funds for our Foundation. Many local businesses, service clubs, students, faculty and other members of the community participate. Each team is comprised of 3 members competing in organized rounds to become the best spellers of the evening. It is held every spring at Valley Regional High School and has proven to be a fun and successful evening for all.



Todd Ellison & Friends

Todd Ellison, Essex native, Broadway Musical Director and pianist has performed two concerts to support the Region 4 Education Foundation. He has brought friends and alumni Peter Lockyer, Lee Turgeson and Ryan Driscoll along with several singers from many Broadway shows to perform these outstanding concerts.



Valley Regional High School

Your Donations at Work

R4EF accepts applications for funding from both John Winthrop and Valley Regional on an ongoing basis throughout the school year. Some of the programs R4EF has supported include:

- Solar Track Lighting
- Wellness Day at John Winthrop
- Arts Alive Programs
- Start-up costs for boys and girls Lacrosse
- Buzzers for Valley's Bowl team
- Start-up costs for the French/Spanish Honor Society
- Photo enlargers at Valley Regional
- Anti-Defamation program

Most recently the Hubbard, Willets, Pratt endowment has provided start-up costs for funding the Valley Media Studio. The R4EF has provided the funding of cameras, laptops and a Mac workstation for the students to use in creating videos and shows which can be seen on our cable network tv. A safe driving video was created by the students as well.

How You May Contribute

The Foundation accepts gifts from individuals, families, estates, corporations and other sources. Any gift amount will be appreciated and managed by the Board of Directors for the betterment of our schools. All gifts are tax-deductible and can be made in any of the following ways:

- Cash & Checks
- Gifts of Stocks & Bonds
- Charitable Trusts
- Wills and Estates
- Memorial Gifts
- Matching Gifts



John Winthrop Middle School