Executive Director

Despite challenging times, this past year has been filled with a renewed sense of hope and purpose. Our commitment to the community and to the changing needs of those we serve has allowed us to expand our mindset to become more nimble and able to adapt to change. We have implemented creative solutions to service needs like never before. We are strong, stable and able to answer the needs of those we serve.

The pandemic has had a profound effect on all of us. We have suffered loss, but we have also worked to help others weather the COVID storm safely. This year more than ever, I am grateful for the dedicated team I work alongside, the board that supports our mission, and the community who gives so much to those in need.

Board Chair

The service and contributions to our neighborhood by the Westcott CC team under Joan Royle’s leadership has been nothing short of extraordinary this past year. They continue to masterfully navigate the COVID-19 pandemic and the associated uncertainties, risks, and ever changing regulations. While the ongoing pandemic continues to increase the pressure and work on the Westcott CC leadership and team, the center doesn’t just endure, it thrives and amplifies its important role in our community.

The strategic vision and mission of organizations are often so aspirational that they become intangible and trivial in the day-to-day operations. My observations while serving on the Board during this past year are the opposite. The team is anchored in the vision and mission, and it is reflected daily in everything that they do, especially during the pandemic.

As you read this report you will see the remarkable accomplishments and financial milestones of this past year – a quantification of the Westcott CC team’s dedication to the vision and mission of the center and their care for our local community.

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I want to thank our donors and funding agencies for their continued financial support to enable and continue all the important work detailed in this annual report.

Thank you, Westcott CC for all that you do for our community!
OUR MISSION
Investing in our community by offering essential services and engaging programming to embrace the diverse needs of all.

OUR VISION
A community center meeting the evolving needs of individuals and families; strengthening and enriching the ever-changing community and neighborhood

OUR REACH
Westcott Community Center primarily serves the eastside of the city of Syracuse although our reach is broader through some programs and services.

Westcott CC additionally serves students in grades K-8 in the following SCSD school locations: Ed Smith, LeMoyne, Webster, Clary, Huntington

Zip Codes Served

- 13210: 23%
- 13224: 4%
- 13205: 5%
- 13203: 7%
- 13214: 20%
- Other: 41%

Excluded SCSD Student Data
**OUR IMPACT**

Removing barriers that prevent community members from leading healthy, safe and happy lives is at the core of our mission. This past year, due to COVID-19, our critical services were more important than ever. We were flexible in our approach to meeting the needs of the community. Emergency food service was critical. We also provided more temporary services to help those in immediate need like rental assistance, access to vaccines, referrals, and help with applying for unemployment services.

**HUMAN SERVICE PROGRAMS**

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SUPPORTING ARTS & CULTURE

Our center is fortunate to be located in the Westcott neighborhood where the arts thrive. We are proud to support artists through our annual Art Trail event, hosting Open Figure drawing classes, providing arts enrichment activities to students, participating in Westcott Street Fair, supporting Spark Syracuse radio, and the Bassett Street Hounds.
**DONORS** are those special people who care deeply about their community and know their investment will provide life changing opportunities and services for those in need. We asked our community to help us purchase a desperately needed new van. The support shown was more than we could ever hope for. The full cost of our new van was donated. Thank you!

### Platinum
- Alan Hymowitz & Olivia Fried
- Amanda & Gregg Slisz
- Amy Shook-Perez
- Anthony Malavenda
- Ben Tupper
- Brian & Stephanie Fay
- Chilukuri Mohan
- Gabe Coleman
- Harry Lewis
- Janice Whitcraft
- Johanna Keller & Dr. Charles Martin
- Kenneth Garno
- Lee Macbeth
- Margaret Gelfuso
- Martha Thompson
- Matt Ross
- Patrick Clement
- Sarah Hamersma
- Sean Lavallee
- Theodore L. Brow

### Gold
- Andrea Buckvold
- Annamaria Moneti
- Anthony & Maryellen Spina
- Benjamin & Krista Kandel
- Bradley & Judith Bowers
- Brian & Kate Laclair
- Carl Mellor
- Cheryl Chappell
- Christine Measell
- David & Cindy Kirby
- David Maynard
- David Pida
- Deborah Haylor
- Deborah Royle
- Edward Menkin
- Eileen Phillips
- Elaine Wolf
- George W. Curry
- Grant Johnson
- Gretchen & Buzz Roberts
- Jack Graver
- James & Anne Royer
- James J. Barry Jr., CPA
- Jeannette Artini
- Jim & Shari Freyer
- Jim Corbo
- Joan Royle
- Joan Sotherden
- Johanna Tarallo
- John Miller
- Jose-Luis Giner
- Karen Hart & Kevin Muick
- Kenneth J. Garto
- Kristin & Scott Baker
- Lorraine Koury
- Louis & Kathleen Goodman
- Lourdes Brache-Tabar
- Luis Romano
- Magda Bayoumi & Mohamed Khater
- Mark Feldman
- Matthew Oja
- Melissa M. Davis
- Nancy Haylor
- Nicholas Lozoponi
- Ross Andrews
- Sana Zekri
- Scott Neal & Jessica MacDonald
- Sekou Rawlins & Anna Lumsden
- Senator Rachel May
- Steve Susman
- Susan Peraino
- The Stone Family
- Thomas Quinn
- Tom Humenick
- Wendy Stockwin
- William Ritchie

### Silver
- Alice Makul
- April Beler
- Anthony Harpending
- Brad Fierke
- Brian Ballentine
- Brian Massey
- Bruce Block
- Chris Vogelsang
- Craig Bowers
- Daniel Dannauser
- David Turner
- Earleen Foulk
- Gary Quirk
- Kenneth Essel
- Aileen Gallagher
- Brian Kingsley
- Carol Johnson
- Carolyn Grieb
- Chris Barmonde
- Dierdre Neilen
- Dominique Elizabeth
- Eleanor Maine
- Francis McMillan-Parks
- Geraldine Berish
- Graham Leuschke & Moira McDermott
- Heather & Sterling Waters
- Hugh Gregg
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Jaime Santos  
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Jedford & Natalie Gordon  
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Jennifer Abdella  
Jesse Harasta  
Jessica Maxwell  
Jill Ozinsky  
Joan Royle  
John & Jane Scott  
John Drescher  
John Gamage  
John H. Miller  
John Kennedy  
John Shaheen  
Joyce Lock  
Kate & Dan Hammer  
Kathleen Sauro  
Kellen Backer  
Kristin Swift  
Kurt Frazier  
Laurie Gibralter  
Leslie Kohman  
Lida Black  
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Linda Levy  
Linda Palmer  
Lorraine Rapp & Jeffrey Kirshner  
Marjorie Head  
Mark Mossman  
Mary Beth Williams  
Mary Hagemann  
Mary Kuhn  
Matt Rodak  
Matthew Herrington  
Michael Nuss  
Michelle O’Connor  
Miranda Hine  
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Patricia & John Hottenstein  
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Peter Lindabury  
Philip Rice  
Rachel Beagles  
Robert Dausman & Nancy Shumway  
Ronald Ehrenreich & Sondra Roth  
Ryan Canavan  
Samuel Gruber  
Sandra Mason  
Sara Errington & Mark Trodden  
Scott & Maria Erdman  
Sean and Lynn Branagan  
Sharon Sherman  
Stanley Domanowski  
Susan Hawks  
Tina Nabatchi  
Todd Goehle  
Vijaya Vulta  
Virginia & John Felleman  
Wendy Harris  
William & Gretchen Roberts  
William Collins  

**Bronze**
Aaron Scott  
Alfred Coren  
Alice Bernat  
Amy Zubieta  
Amy Bartell  
Andrea Jacobs  
Andrew Chertow  
Angela Thor  
Anna Endreny  
Anne Royer  
Ashley Kang  
Barbara Blaszak  
Bennett Levine  
Bonnie Ryan  
Brittany Conte  
Candace Rhea  
Carl Cafarelli  
Carl Geiger  
Carl Rosenzweig  
Carol Heimburg  
Carol Thoryk  
Carol Baum  
Carol Buchovecky  
Carolyn Ostrander  
Carolyn Simmer  
Catherine Thomas  
Charlie Samuel  
Cheryl Gressani  
Christine Hoyt  
Christopher Devoe  
Christopher Dunham  
Cindy Squilace  
Cleota Reed  
Connie Walters  
Cornelius Driscoll  
Cynthia Wilson  
Dan Zacharia  
Dan Sanderson  
Daniel Priore  
Daniel Smothergill  
Daniel McKenney  
Darlene Wilson  
David Stam  
David McKenney  
David Haas  
Dawn Frants  
Deborah Rose  
Deborah Pellow  
Deborah Stearns  
Denise Helms  
Dennis Swaney  
Diana Cramer  
Diane Medvitz  
Diane Williams  
Donna Koury  
Edward Olery  
Elaine Walter  
Eliana Rosen  
Elias Gwinn  
Elizabeth Handler  
Ellen Ford  
Ellen Golden  
Eric Ferguson  
Eric Greenfield  
Eugenia Curry  
Eve Macaluso  
Francis Morigi  
Gail Goff  
Geraldine Forbes  
Gilbert Kehe  
Glenda Cresentshaw
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Graham Leuschke
Graham Puzey
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Harold Mattson
Harriet Brown
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Heather Schroeder
Helene Baker
J Alan Smead
Jack Manno
Jaipaul Roopnarine
James Newman
James Stewart
James Traver
Janet Donoghue
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John Ashby
John Brown
John Stewart
John Wagoner
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Joshua Domachowski
Judith Cavanagh
Judith Brooks
Judith Malkin
Julie McMahon
Karen Cordano
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Karly Grifasi
Kate Radway
Katherine Fielder
Kathleen Mathews
Kathryn Nickerson
Kathy Dunn
Kayleigh Begley
Keller Shelton
Kenneth Hynson
Kerri Pickard
Kerri Lynne Depriest
Kevin Porter
Kevin Schwab
Kristina Ferrare
Kristine Martin
Larry Brunner
Larry Meyers
Larry Hoyt
Laura-Anne Minkoff-Zern
Laurel Sharp
Lauren Kent
Laurence Hoefler
Laurie Cedarquist
Lawrence Crinnin
Lee Macbeth
Lee Kennard
Lillian Welych
Linda Kraemer
Lisa Daly
Lisa Crowell
Liz Nowak
Liz Belden-Handler
Lois Agnew
Lois Tuohy
Lori Brown
Louise Laughton
Lydia Montgomery
Margaret Randazzo
Margaret Martin
Margaret Ho
Margrit Diehl
Marian Phin
Marilyn Zaleon
Marilyn Higgins
Mark Reid
Mark Rupert
Mary Dunn
Mary Czelusniak
Mary Giehl
Mary Carney
Mary O’Connor
Mary O’halloran
Maryjane Dolengo
Matricia Powell
Maurie Heins
Melissa Tardiff
Melissa Chessher
Melissa Montgomery
Melissa Chessher
Micere Mugo
Michael Bowers
Michael Joyce
Michael Messina-Yauchzy
Milagros Espin
Mindy Johnson
Nancy Lambright
Nancy Freeborough
Nancy Lee
Nancy Pollard
Nathalie Conant
Nicholas Bellini
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Norman Traino
Pamela Walker
Patricia Deacon
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Peter Desilvia
Peter Palumb
Peter Sarver
Phil Prehn
Phyllis Reicher
Rachel Clarke
Rebecca Grossman
Rebecca Harvey
Rebecca Hughes
Regina Canuso
Renee Vogelsang
Richard Jaeger
Richard Kornbluth
Richard Smardon
Richard Kallet
Richard Firestone
Local community organizations and businesses that supported our van appeal show how much can be accomplished when we work for a common goal. Thank you!

17th Ward Democratic Committee
Autotech of Syracuse
Beer Belly Deli
Boom Babies
C+S Engineers
F-M Realty Group
Gifford Foundation
Haylor, Freyer & Coon
Hayner Hoyt Construction
Heuber-Breuer Construction
JMC Construction
Menio Global - Josh Menio
Nottingham Pet Clinic
Nottingham Sunshine
SEUNA
Stanley Law Offices, LLP
University Hill Reality
University Neighborhood Preservation Association

A special thank you to:

Benjamin Ellis
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Bridge Street-News Channel 9
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Chris Chlesa
Colin Aberdeen
Dennis Calkins
Jess Novak

Jim Corbo
Joe Driscoll
Ken Garno
Major Player
Matt Ross
Paul Harvey
Riley Mahan
Steve Scuteri
William Nicholson
Westcott Community Center has grown and strengthened its ability to serve the needs of our community. This year marked a milestone year for us as our revenue grew to $1 million for the first time. With steadfast dedication to our community, our programs and services, we are a proud steward of the funding entrusted to us. We are grateful to our funders for their ongoing support of our mission.

### ADDITIONAL FUNDING SOURCES

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Kofi Antwi, After School Coordinator, Ed Smith
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Joe’von Works Jr., After School Coordinator, Huntington
Maribel Arce, Director of Strategic Initiatives SCCC

In order to provide quality enrichment instruction at our five SCSD school locations, Westcott CC employs forty subcontracted teaching artists.

“He who wishes to secure the good of others, has already secured his own.” Confucius

VOLUNTEERS & INTERNS

We could not serve our community without the help of committed community volunteers who give their time and talent, and interns who have an enthusiasm for learning. We thank each of you who helped us serve this past year. You have made your community a better place.
Dedicated to Joe’von L. Works
11/12/1970 - 7/27/2021
Dedicated team member, father, coach, and incredible role model.
You touched the hearts of many.

Essential, Engaging, Embracing

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