

# Newsletter

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## *Alabama Correctional Employee Support Fund*

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*“A Helping Hand for  
Assistance & Opportunity”*

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# Annual Meeting Notes

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## Board Members Elected for Calendar Year 2022 Term:

Andy Farquhar – President

Angie Baggett – Vice President

Erica Endress – Secretary

David Smith – Treasurer

Glen Casey

Phyllis Billups-Hetherington

Lori McCulloch

Bert Ousley

Michael Wetherill

Janice Hughes

- The Board approved a \$66,500 budget for Calendar Year 2022 which included \$20,000 for educational scholarships.
- The Board received 25 scholarship applications this year with 22 of those deemed meeting all qualifications for consideration. Applications were due NLT January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022. Winners will be notified before the end of April.
- A sack lunch fundraiser at the CJC is planned for April 29<sup>th</sup>.
- Save the date for our two major golf tournament fundraisers:
  - Farquhar Memorial Tournament – Huntsville – Monday, July 25<sup>th</sup>
  - ACESF Annual Tournament – RTJ Prattville – Monday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>

- The ACESF Board meets on the third Wednesday of every month to conduct business of the fund.
  - Remember that the ACESF is eligible for charitable donations as part of the annual United Way State Combined Campaign. It's a great way to ensure that your contributions support members of the ADOC Family in times of need.

***Thank you for your continued support of the ACESF!***

## **ACESF Calendar Year 2021 Financial Review**

- Fund Raising Revenue Received ..... \$58,234.86
- Assistance Provided to Employees and Eligible Causes (23) ..... \$25,706.45
- Educational Scholarships Awarded (13) ..... \$16,000.00
- Fund Raising & Operating Expenses ..... \$13,832.63
- Net Change in Operational Funds ..... \$ 7,695.78

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### **ACESF Adds New Member to Board**

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The ACESF Board added a new member at its January meeting – Janice Hughes, Intelligence Analyst Supervisor with the Investigations Bureau of ADOC’s Law Enforcement Services Division. Welcome Janice! We are always looking for new members interested in supporting our Department’s team. Please contact Andy Farquhar should you be interested.

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### **ACESF Makes Donation to Family of Wilcox County Deputy Sheriff Killed in the Line of Duty**

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The ACESF Board approved a motion at its January meeting to donate \$1,000 to the family of Wilcox County Deputy Sheriff Madison “Skip” Nicholson. Deputy Nicholson was killed while responding to a domestic violence situation in Yellow Bluff, Alabama on December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Deputy Nicholson’s family.