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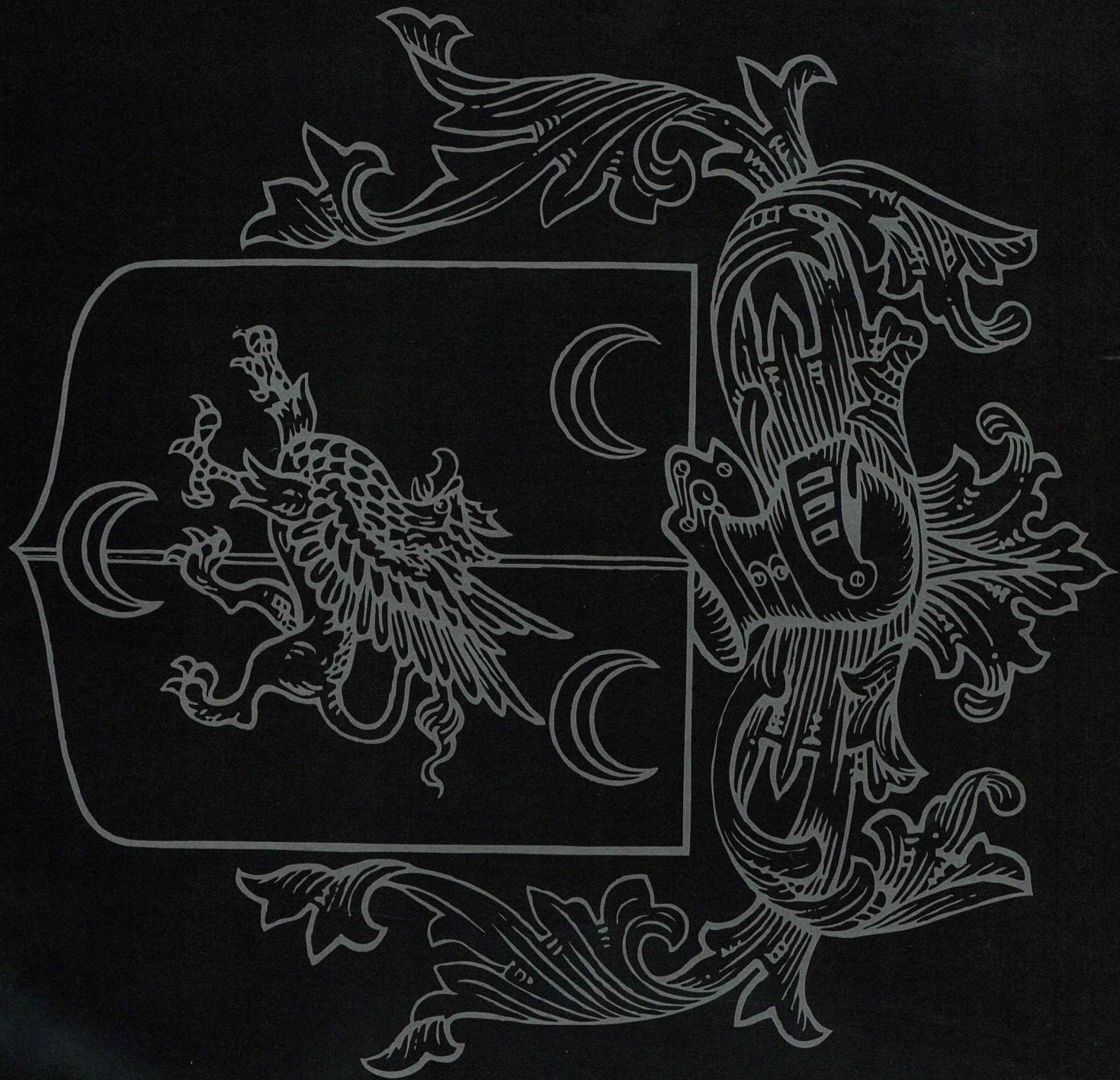
THE
LINDENWOOD
SOCIETY

ANNUAL IMPACT REPORT

FISCAL YEAR

2023

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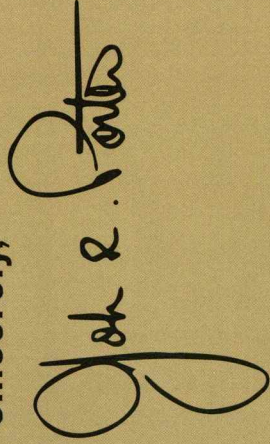
LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Lindenwood Society Members,

The 2023-24 academic year is underway at Lindenwood University, and the positive energy on campus is exciting. As we enter the third year of our strategic plan, the University is seeing significant growth in many areas. We continue to focus on putting our students first and making the student experience excellent, both inside and outside of classroom.

The Lindenwood Society funds our top institutional priorities, and you play a crucial role in ensuring we continue to build on the momentum we have gained. Your contributions help us execute our mission to enhance lives and serve our students, faculty, staff, alumni, and neighbors effectively. On behalf of the entire Lindenwood University community, thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "John R. Porter". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "J" and a stylized "P".

**Dr. John R. Porter
President**

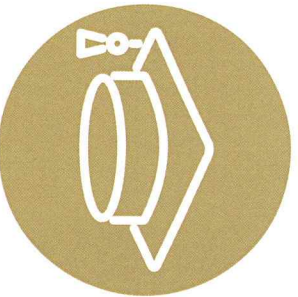


OVERVIEW OF FISCAL YEAR 2023

Lindenwood University celebrated another exceptional fundraising campaign in its near 200-year history, with donors giving more than \$5 million. Over the last two years, Lindenwood donors have supported two of the three highest recorded fundraising years in the University's storied history.

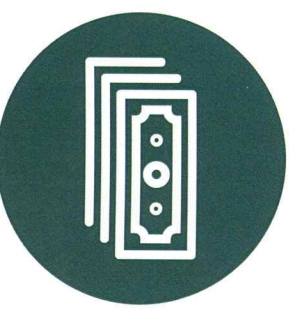
Nearly \$600,000 of funds raised in fiscal year 2023 are for scholarship support, including the addition of three new scholarships. A leadership gift also was secured in support of the Academic Exchange Agreement between Lindenwood and the National Taiwan University of Arts. The nursing program continues to be a driver of philanthropic support receiving two leadership gifts in FY23, and a new endowment in support of the communications program was launched this fiscal year to ensure the sustainability and growth of one of Lindenwood's banner programs.

The rapid growth of philanthropic support at Lindenwood University is thanks in large part to the leadership and generosity of our Lindenwood Society members.



Over **2,200** Lindenwood alumni made their first gift to the University in FY23

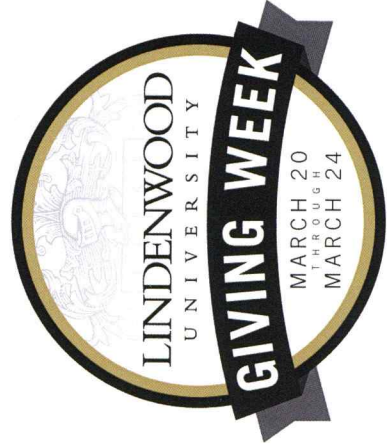
Lindenwood supporters collectively contributed over **\$5.03 million** in FY23



GIVING WEEK 2023

Lindenwood University raised more than \$182,000 during Giving Week 2023, surpassing its goal of raising \$100,000 and setting a new Giving Week fundraising record.

During the five-day celebration of philanthropy from March 20-24, the university received 741 gifts totaling \$182,670 from faculty, staff, students, alumni, and friends across 45 states and 14 countries. This represents a 45 percent increase in dollars raised, and 73 percent increase in donors over last years campaign.



\$182,670
TOTAL RAISED

741
DONORS

A new fund debuted in Fiscal 2023. The Student Emergency and Equity Fund (SEE) is a collaborative effort between the Lindenwood Center for Diversity and Inclusion and the Office of Advancement. This initiative provides students from historically underrepresented populations with financial assistance for significant, unforeseen, unavoidable emergencies and unexpected expenses.

THE LINDENWOOD SOCIETY MEMBER IMPACT

The Lindenwood Society is a group of leaders in the Lindenwood community who direct their gifts toward Lindenwood's top priorities. In its inaugural year, members of the Lindenwood Society raised over \$100,000 to support critical needs like financial aid, student emergency relief funds, and innovative academic programs. The Lindenwood Society's members provide essential support for all aspects of life on campus and demonstrate their commitment to the future of Lindenwood with their generous gifts.

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Members of the
Lindenwood Society

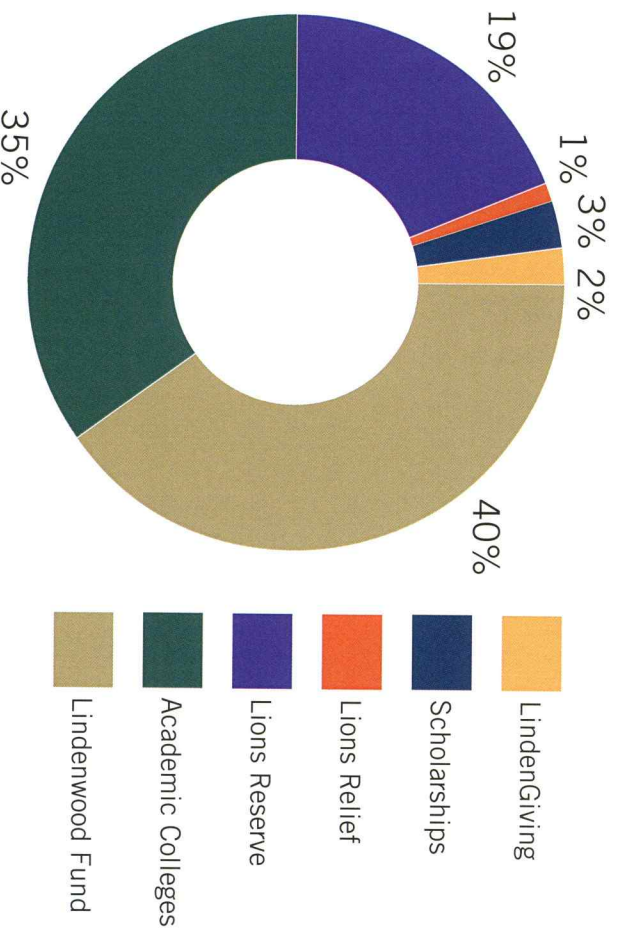
\$480,680.32

344

Total Number of Gifts
Made by Members

Total Raised by Members of the
Lindenwood Society in FY23

GIVING BY PRIORITY AREA



The Lindenwood Society recognizes those generous donors who make leadership annual gifts to one or more of our priority funds. Each recognition level represents a well-known landmark on our historic campus.

Together, they highlight a path that connects our alumni and donors with the widespread impact their gifts make on our community, and to the legacy of philanthropy that our founders left behind.

RECOGNITION LEVELS

THE PRIDE CIRCLE

Gifts of \$10,000 or more

HORIZON

Gifts between \$5,000 - \$9,999

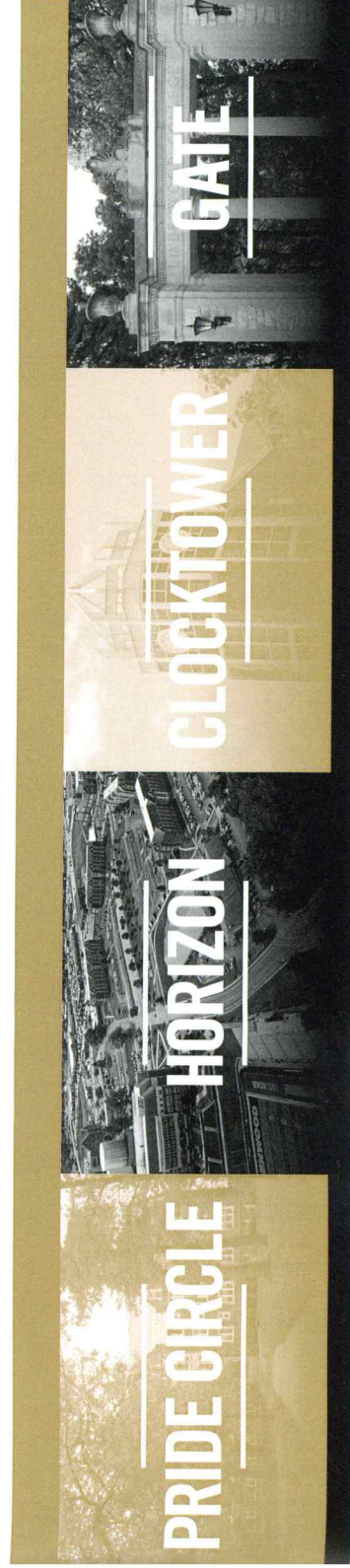
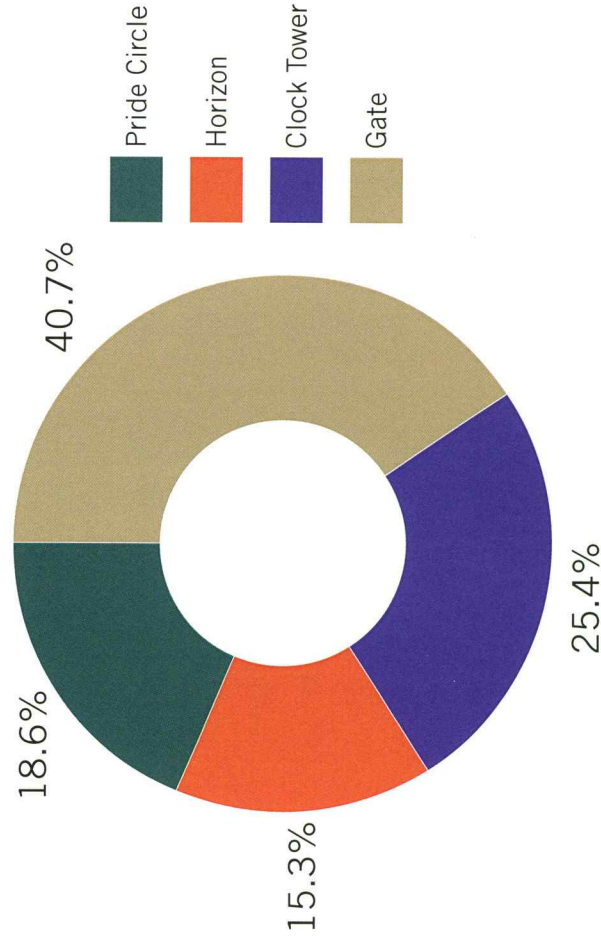
CLOCK TOWER

Gifts between \$2,500 - \$4,999

GATE

Gifts between \$500 - \$2,499

MEMBERSHIP BY RECOGNITION LEVEL



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