

Investing in Seasonal Performances

For over 25 years, American Savings Foundation has supported local musical and theatrical works enriching the lives of individuals in the community. During that time the foundation has provided awards to youth concerts, symphonies, and performing ensembles.

In 2018, ASF launched a new Community Grant opportunity to respond to local community needs, and support programs in the areas of education, human services, and arts and culture. The Community Grant program helped expand our support for local performing groups throughout the foundation's 64-town service area.

NEW BRITAIN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Founded in 1947, the New Britain Symphony offers full symphonic classical music concerts featuring renowned artists and conductors. American Savings Foundation has supported the New Britain Symphony Concert Series and Young Peoples Concerts for 25 years



Photo: The New Britain Symphony Orchestra performs at Walnut Hill Park.

PLAINVILLE WIND ENSEMBLE

Plainville Wind Ensemble provides an educational, social, and performing environment for local musicians. The ensemble offers many shows throughout the year, including their Annual Veterans Day Concert, which is supported by American Savings Foundation.



Photo: Plainville Wind Ensemble performs at CCSU

ODDFELLOWS PLAYHOUSE YOUTH THEATER

Oddfellows Playhouse Youth Theater is one of the state's largest year-round youth theaters, serving over 1,200 young people annually. The theater's programming brings performing arts to children from all socio-economic backgrounds. American Savings Foundation provides support for their mainstage productions.



Photo: Youth perform in "The Love of three Oranges" at Oddfellows Playhouse Youth Theater

Since 1996, American Savings Foundation has awarded over \$1 million to support seasonal performances at local music and theater companies.