



Kays Foundation



Ann Smith and Lucinda & Mike McDaniel visit the tribute wall for Dr. Eugene (Gene) Smith in the ASU Dean B. Ellis Library on April 4, 2022.

Carvell Honored for Service

Richard Carvell (right) of Jonesboro was awarded the Supreme Military Order of the Dragon during the closing banquet of the Tan Son Nhut Association Reunion in Dayton, Ohio. The award recognizes continuing contributions to the Tan Son Nhut Association, established to honor all service personnel and civilians who served at any time during the Vietnam conflict at the airdrome at Tan Son Nhut Air Base, Saigon, Republic of Vietnam. Recipients must be previous Dragon Award recipients and have by their own efforts, contributed significantly to the operation of the Association for a sustained period of Time. His Vietnam colleague, Andy Csordas, presented the award.



The Grand Opening of the new Academic Hub in the Dean B. Ellis Library was held on the third floor, Monday, October 3, 2022. Foundation Board Vice President, Richard Carvell attended the drop-in event and visited with Jeff Bailey, Library Director. The Foundation granted \$22,500.00 to aide in the completion of the "Academic Hub"



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**Merry
Christmas
&
Happy New
Year!**

Holidays—Office Closed

*Thanksgiving break: Nov.
21-25, 2022*

*Christmas Break:
December 22-30, 2022*

*Office will re-open on
January 2, 2023*

2021 Grants

A total of \$195,000 was awarded for 2021. In August 2021 the Foundation announced the spring grants. The first grant was to Dr. Haran in the amount of 17,049. The second grant was to Dr. Cantrell for \$24,460. In March 2022 the fall grants were announced. They are: Jody Nutt \$16,631 for 3-D Scanner, Dr. Asela Wijeratne \$16,168 for Sudden Death in Soybeans, Dr. Sarah Davidson \$16,549.52 for purchase of Gaumard HAL S1020 simulation manikin and monitor, Haley Voges \$10,000 for a BAM van, Kelli Listenbee \$22,500 for an Academic Hub in the library, and Dr. Amanda Mohler \$21,653.05 for Fostering Student Learning Through a Clinical Skills Laboratory.



Dr. Shivan Haran grant recipient

Spring 2022 Grants



In September/October 2022 the Foundation awarded \$88,357 for spring grants. Three recipients were selected. First was Andressa Augusto \$11,862 for upgrade to modernize the A-State Ecotoxicology Research Facility preexisting fish culturing infrastructure. Second, Dr. Scott Bruce \$26,495 for the effects of concussion on pupillary metrics in the acute and chronic stages. Third, Dr. Christine Wright \$50,000 to aid in purchase of an Anatomage 8 Table Convertible.



Congratulations!

Richard Carvell and his wife Sue celebrated their 45th Anniversary in September 2022

Happy Birthday!

Terry Carty celebrated his 75th in June 2021

Betty Rousey celebrated her 60th in October 2021

Betty Moad celebrated her 70th in March 2022

Upcoming birthdays:

Maxine Pruitt November 8
Richard Carvell December 18

Milestones: Years of Service to the Foundation

25 Years: Lucinda McDaniel and Maxine Pruitt
18 years Betty Jo Rousey
5 Years: Leonard McDaniel

In Sympathy

Terry Carty:
On the loss of his mother-in-law
Betty Carroll



Miscellaneous Photos of our members

Leonard McDaniel attending 50 year reunion and at an A-State game



Richard Carvell as SANTA at the Pancakes & PJ's Hosted by the Alumni Association in December 2021



Betty Moad attending Bubbles and Bingo in January and giving blood in October during the Staff Sgt. Paul F. Brooks Fallen Soldier Memorial Blood Drive.



Terry Carty presenting Lucinda McDaniel a service plaque honoring her 25 years of service to the Foundation.

