



WATT'S GOING ON?

An illuminating review from Interboro Education Foundation

Congratulations 
to the 2024-2025 teacher mini grant recipients

*IEF believes in ISD teachers;
their ideas for educational
enhancement are inspiring and
we help bring those ideas to life
by awarding mini grants!*

- ★ **Kristine Bomhoff**
Waders for Water Quality Assessment
Interboro High School
- ★ **Michele Borcky**
A Small Piece to the Big Puzzle
Glenolden
- ★ **Jason Bowen, Brian Cleary
Ed Kloss, John Power**
Interboro Soapbox Speech Contest
Norwood, Tincum, Glenolden, Prospect Park
- ★ **Christine Bryan**
Games for Social Skills Gains
Kindergarten Academy
- ★ **Diana Chartier, Dawn Gardener-
Marshall, Angela Gentilini, Maria Steere**
Structured Literacy Small Group Toolkits
Norwood, Prospect Park, Glenolden, Tincum
- ★ **Brian Cleary**
Legos for Education
Tincum
- ★ **Mary Deegan**
Literacy and Movement
Kindergarten Academy
- ★ **Sarah DiSalvo**
Whiteboard Table with Flexible Seating
Prospect Park
- ★ **Stacy Foreacre and Gail Hassel**
24 Club Supplies
Prospect Park
- ★ **Susan Huske, Dan McGrath,
and Dan Meli**
BUCS Work: Entrepreneurship Soda Machine
Interboro High School
- ★ **Christiana Laky**
Entrepreneur Club Experience
Prospect Park
- ★ **Lisa Sheridan, Maura Grozinski,
Alexis Neri**
Classroom Mats and Privacy Folders
Prospect Park
- ★ **Judith Tilles, Jennifer Dalton, Allison Price,
Cynthia Rost-Frick**
Tools for Reading Support
Tincum
- ★ **Michael VanWyk and Evan McMahon**
Playground/Intramural Supplies
Glenolden



2024-2025 AWARDEES:

Thank you for planning to place final orders with your building secretary so that your awarded materials are received by June 30, 2025.

ATTENTION IEA:

Stay tuned for news about the opening of applications for the 2025-2026 Mini Grants.

HIGHLIGHTING A SPRING 2024 MINI GRANT RECIPIENT

Mrs. Mary Deegan, Kindergarten Academy ★ Kinder-Garden Growth & Learning

Last spring, Mrs. Deegan was inspired to spruce up a green space at the Kindergarten and Early Learning Academy so that the school community could use it to grow and learn and enjoy it for years to come. Her class got to work re-greening the plot and turning it into a beautiful and vibrant space, along with help from Mrs. Julia Pickett. The students made labels for each of the plants and learned all about what a plant needs in order to thrive. The Kinder-Garden also features a Little Free Library – a generous donation to the Kindergarten Academy from Mrs. Pickett's father.



Coming in Edition 4: More highlights of the Spring 2024 Mini Grant awards!



MEET AN IEF BOARD MEMBER



Lois Snyder
Board Member

As an IEF board member, Lois brings decades of wisdom and passion for the Interboro School District. Before retiring from the district in 2009, she was Principal of Norwood School; Director of Curriculum and Instruction, Grs. K – 8; Principal of Kindergarten Academy; and Superintendent of Interboro School District. Before joining our school district, Lois was an elementary teacher, guidance counselor, and assistant principal in the Upper Darby School District. One of the highlights of Lois's many accomplishments at Interboro was the development of the full-day kindergarten program, which was recognized as one of six model sites for early childhood education across the state.

Evidence of Lois's dedication to non-profit work is her service as Board Member of the Franklin Mint Federal Credit Union Education Foundation and as Vice President of the Delaware County Literacy Council.

Following her retirement from Interboro, she was President of The Edward Joseph Snyder Family Support Center/Organized Giving; President of the Board of Directors of Family and Community Services of Delaware County; and a member of DKG, an international society of educators supporting women in education.

Lois holds the following: BA Sociology and PA Certification in Elementary Education; MA Elementary School Guidance, Villanova University; MA Secondary School Guidance Counseling, West Chester University; PA Certification – Curriculum and Instruction; PA Certification – Administration; Doctorate – Educational Leadership; Letter of Eligibility – Superintendent of Schools; and she is eligible to hold all positions in K-12 public school education in Pennsylvania.

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We're energized by the support we've received, but there is still more to light up!

Let's brighten the path for Interboro's learners together!

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GET INVOLVED!

Attend a board meeting
Tincum Memorial Public Library
2nd Wednesday each month @ 6 pm

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