

Doctors Fickel Award - 2018

Diane Levy

Diane is a crucial volunteer member of the Berthoud Historical Society, helping organize and manage every event. She is the batter queen at City Star's Flap Jack Day whipping up 1000+ pancakes annually. Everything she does with a smile and grace.

Whitney Way

As someone who knew and closely observed Dr. Helen McCarty Fickel and Dr. R.B. Fickel over the years, I can attest that Whitney's selfless contributions to the Berthoud community are in the vein of the community-wide philanthropy practiced by "Doctors Fickel."

Over the past several years, Whitney has played an important role in the philanthropic life of Berthoud by harnessing the resources of City Star Brewing to organize, staff and conduct fundraisers for community members who have found themselves in need. Most recently Whitney helped lead a cooperative effort with Berthoud Local and Rise Bakery to raise funds for Kristen and Larry Ramey whose home at Long Shadow Farms west of Berthoud was destroyed by fire. Whitney's efforts included an on-line fundraiser and collection of donations at City Star's taproom.

For the past six years Whitney has also conducted an annual Hops & Harley fundraiser that attracts crowds of visitors from through the region to Berthoud's Fickel Park. This nationally recognized event supports Harley's Dream, a non-profit organization dedicated to creating awareness and education about puppy mills. Whitney has also facilitated City Star Brewing Flapjack Day fundraisers for the Berthoud Historical Society since 2016. She is always eager to donate City Star products for many live and silent auctions conducted by local agencies and organizations.

These are only a few examples of Whitney Way's outstanding philanthropy in the Berthoud Community. It is certain that there are many less visible contributions that she has made as one of Berthoud's leading business owners and citizens.