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Creating Connections:

Donate through the OPRF Community Foundation to Help Older Adults Stay Connected

Senior Services of Oak Park and River Forest Townships is grateful to the Women Leaders in Philanthropy, a giving group of the [Oak Park-River Forest Community Foundation](#). A \$12,700 grant was awarded in October 2020 for the “Creating Connectedness” program which provides computer tablets and Wi-Fi capacity for older adult residents to enable them to participate more fully in community programs and activities. **Monthly subscription donations of \$58.00 for the Creating Connectedness program may be made directly to the Community Foundation at [this link](#).**

Program participants from the following projects received devices:

- Memory Café – partnership with Oak Park and River Forest Libraries
- Great Neighbors – partnership with Little Brothers Friends of the Elderly and Arbor West Neighbors
- Foster Grandparent Program – partnership with Collaboration for Early Childhood

Please click [here](#) to read the previous press release on the grant announcement. Below is the ad placed in the Wednesday Journal acknowledging the grant.

We would like to say thank you to the Oak Park - River Forest Community Foundation and the Women Leaders in Philanthropy for funds to support older adults in Creating Connections.

As our world shut down, older adults were supported with easy to use devices which allowed them to connect with:

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If you would like to donate to sponsor a monthly subscription for a senior go to oakparktownship.org

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