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**Plainville High School.**

## **Plainville HS, adult ed receive grants from Main Street**

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PLAINVILLE — The Plainville Community Fund at the Main Street Community Foundation awarded \$1,000 in grants to Plainville Adult and Continuing Education and Plainville High School.

With the financial support from the Main Street Community Foundation, Plainville Adult and Continuing Education was able to support a Satellite Instructional Service (SIS) at Plainville Public Library. An instructor will be onsite at Plainville Public Library that is certified in English as a Second Language, GED Preparation, Adult Basic Education and Citizenship Preparation to offer instructional assistance by appoint-

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ment to adult education students.

“We are grateful to the Plainville Community Fund Committee for enabling the launch of the SIS program,” said Jill O’Brien, coordinator of Plainville Adult and Continuing Education. “Often students face familial, transportation or job scheduling challenges that present a barrier to consistent attendance at their regularly scheduled adult education programming. This flexible option will offer an immediate solution, expanding programming access with a variety of weekend and morning hours at the Plainville Public Library.”

Plainville High School also

received a grant from the Plainville Community Fund at the Main Street Community Foundation. Senior Zeo Weimer, as a part of a Music Career Independent Study course, applied for and received \$1,000 for an interactive digital display.

“We are very grateful to the Plainville Community Fund for supporting this project via their grant and especially grateful to the donors who took the time to work with us and advocate for this project,” Weimer said.

“We are very fortunate to have innovative students like Zoe and community partners like the Plainville Community Fund,” Plainville Superintendent of Schools Brian Reas said.

The display will primarily be used in the Plainville High School band room for rehearsals, classes and visiting guests. Since the display is easily portable, it will be an asset to the entire high school. The display was recently used at the high school’s Spring Band and Choir Concert to display the program for the evening as guests entered the building.

“This technology will be a great asset to enhance our teaching and learning in the Music Department,” said Todd Helming, a music instructor at Plainville High School.

The music department is excited to enhance student learning through using the display for multimedia content and presentations.