



FY 2022 Annual Report to AABP Membership

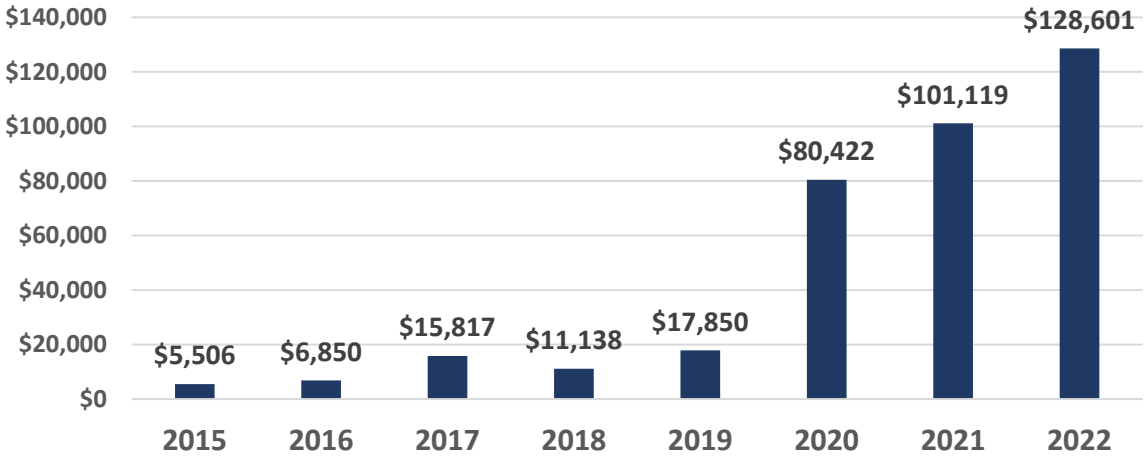
Mission

The AABP Foundation supports advancements in the health, well-being and productivity of cattle through scholarship programs, educational opportunities, and applied clinical research that benefit present and future cattle veterinarians.

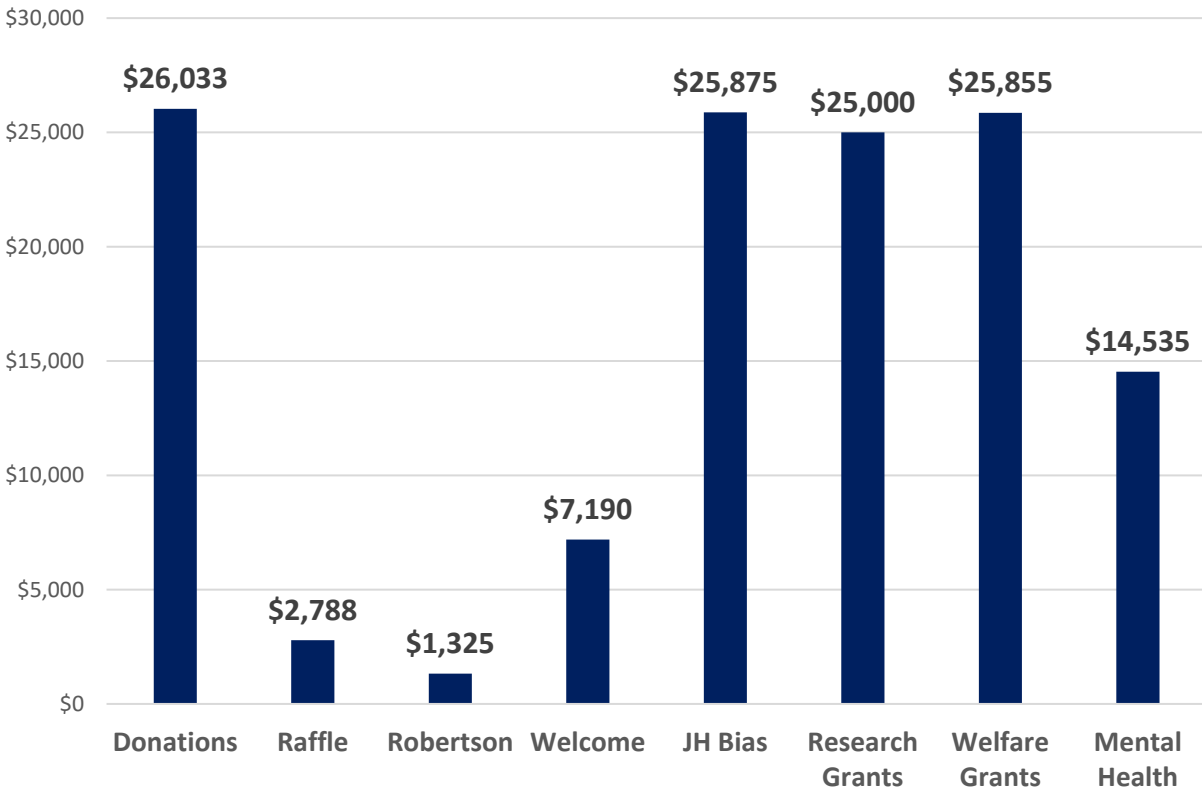
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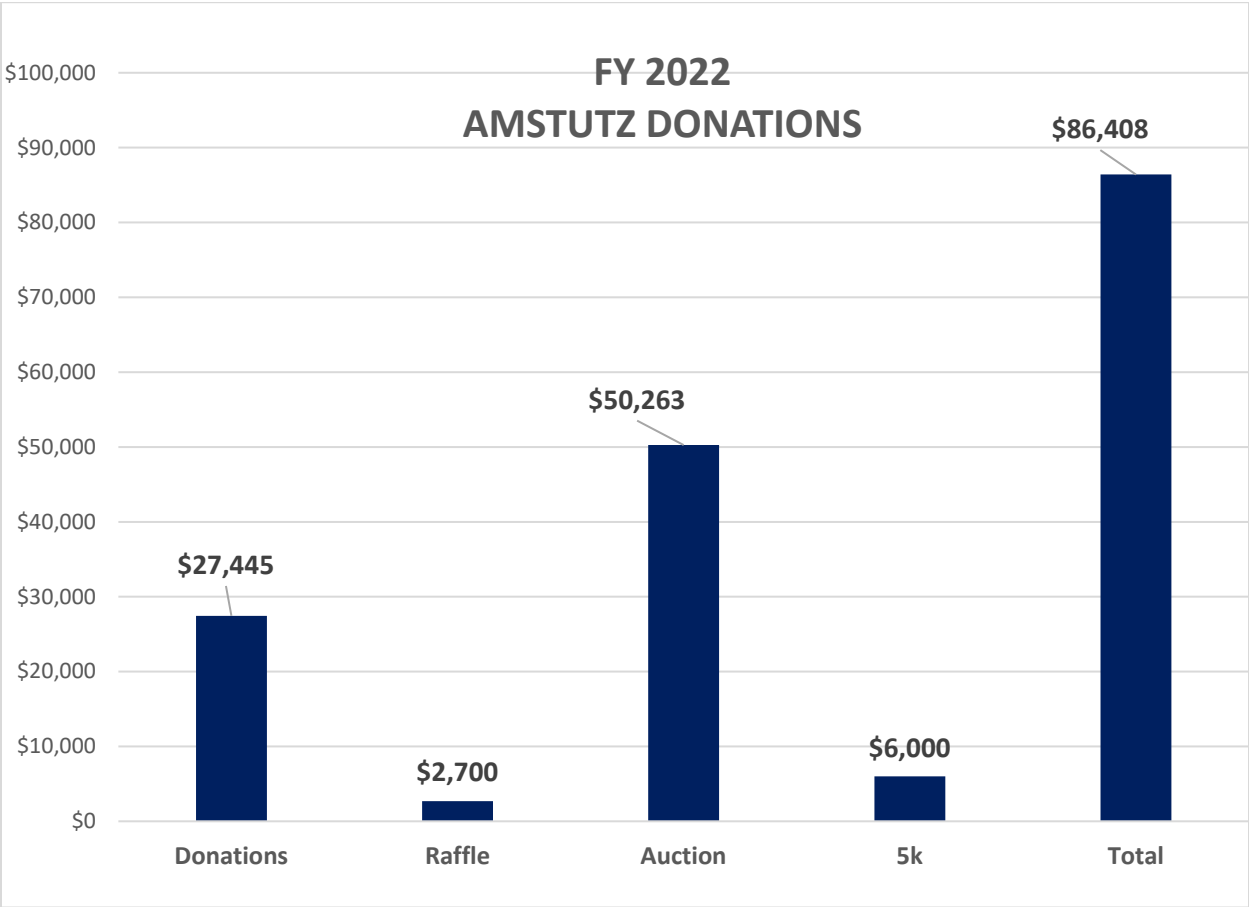
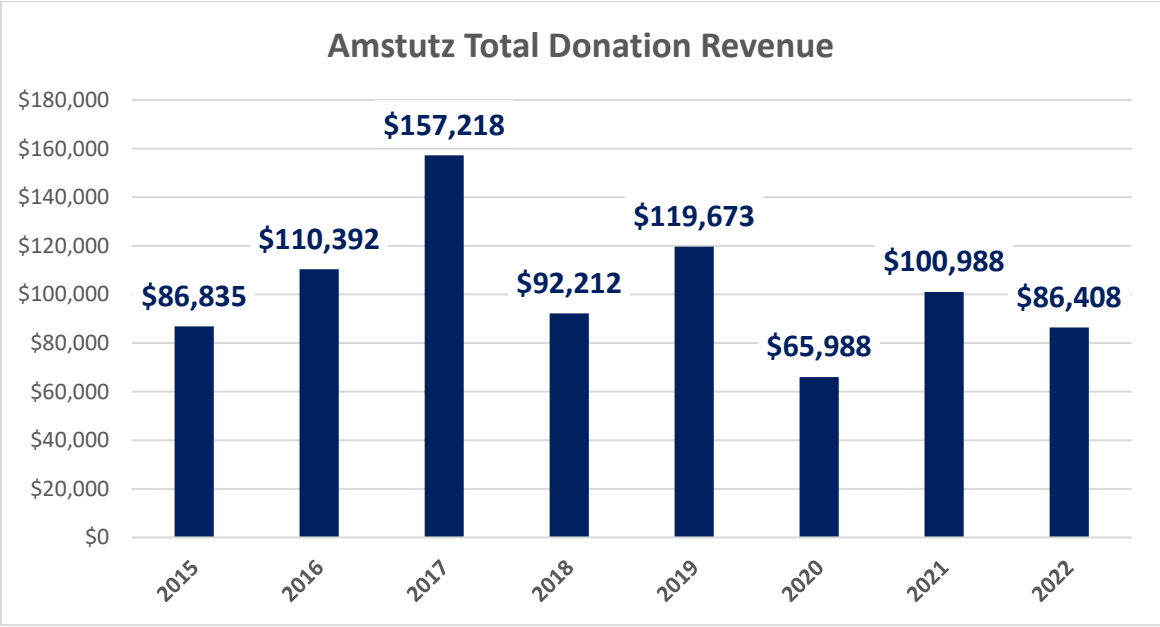
- Total donations to the AABP Foundation include restricted donations (scholarships, grants, auction, 5k) and unrestricted donations. In FY 2022, total donations to the AABP Foundation were \$215,009 compared to \$202,107 in FY 2021.
- Total unrestricted donations to the AABP Foundation were \$28,821 compared to \$33,947 in FY 2021.
- Total assets for the Foundation as of 12/31/2022 were \$1,589,866 compared to \$1,900,430 on 12/31/2021 representing primarily loss of value in the investment funds of the Foundation.
- As part of the Foundation assets, the Amstutz Scholarship Fund (ASF) value totals \$1,168,290 as of 12/31/2022.
- Total donations to the ASF for FY2022 were \$86,408 versus \$100,988 in FY2021.
- The Foundation awarded 43 scholarships to 37 veterinary students in FY 2022 totaling \$249,500 in student scholarship funding.
- Industry support of student scholarships included \$90,000 from Merck Animal Health and \$60,000 from the Zoetis Foundation.
- Industry support of the Amstutz Scholarship Stampede 5K is supported by Boehringer Ingelheim.
- A new scholarship was developed by the AABP Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee. The James Hendrix Bias Scholarship provides an award of \$5,000 to a 3rd or 4th year AABP veterinary student member who is from an underrepresented racial or ethnic minority. The AABP Board of Directors matched up to the first \$10,000 in member donations during the 2022 Annual Conference. Members donated \$15,875 at the conference and with the AABP matching funds, the scholarship fund has \$25,875 in assets.
- To donate to any of the funds in the AABP Foundation, please visit <http://aabp.org/foundation/donate.asp>.

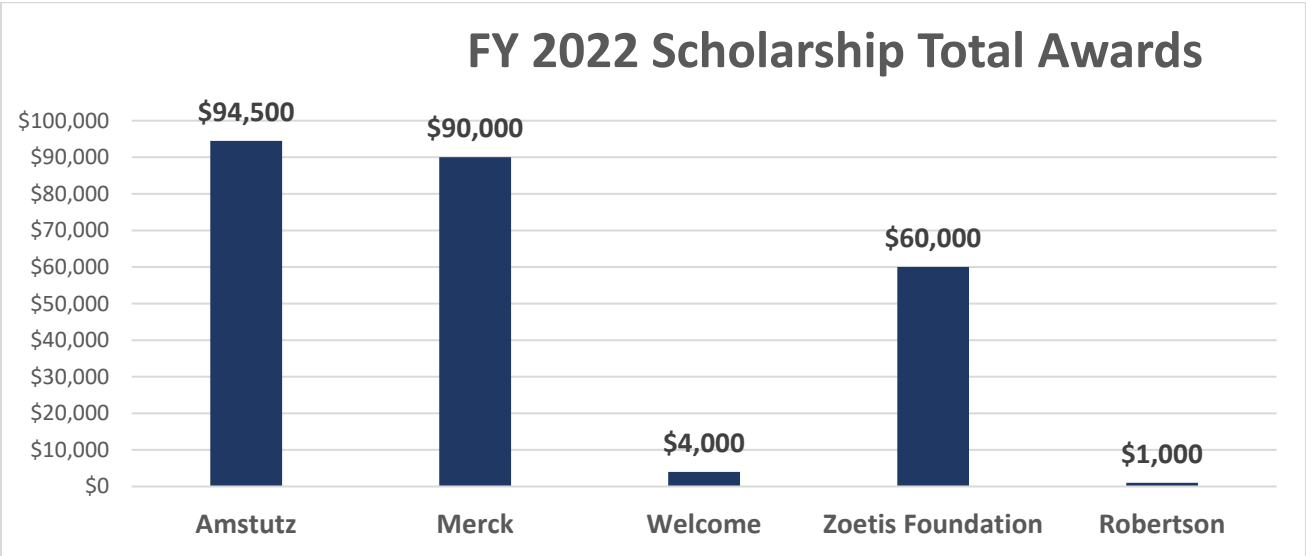
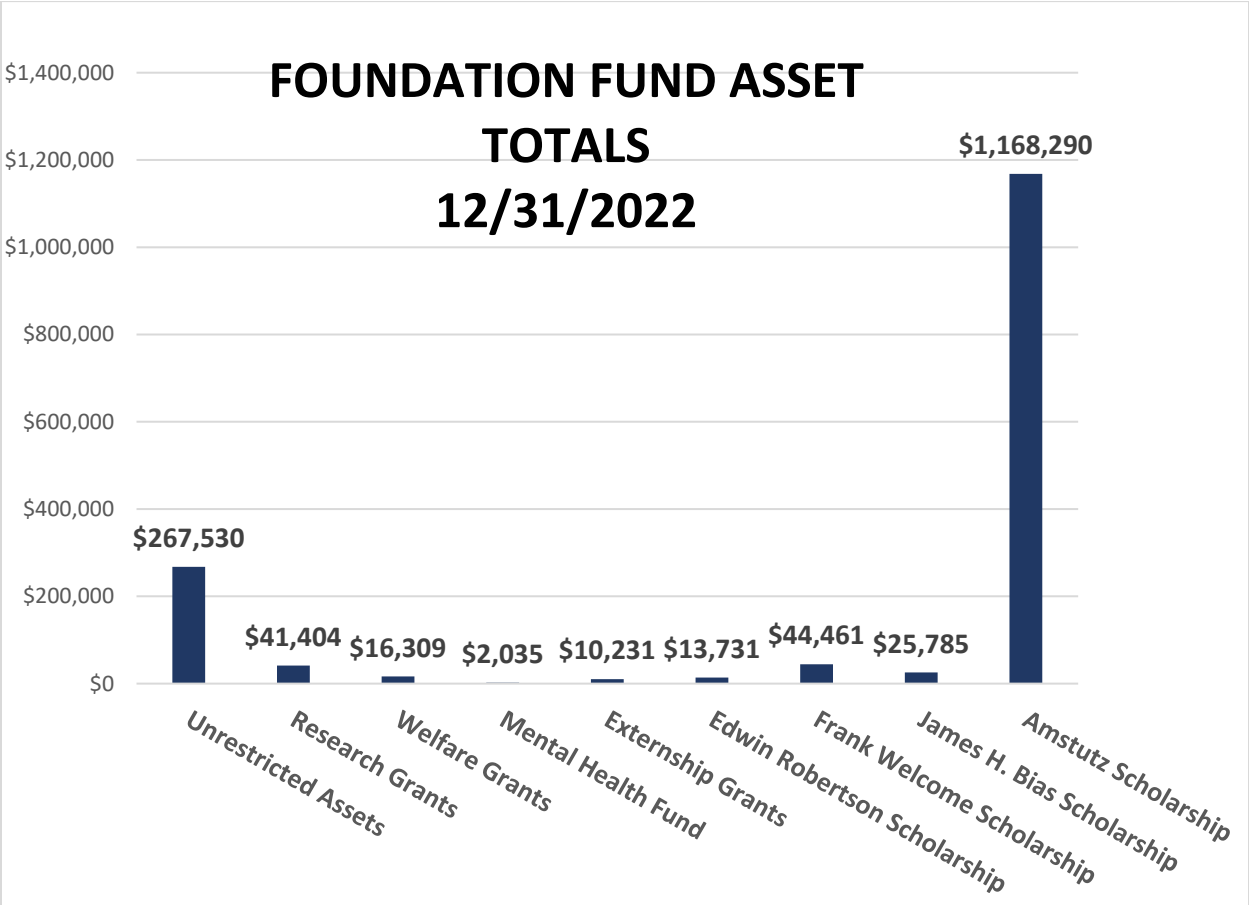
Foundation Total Donations by Year



Foundation FY 2022 Donations







AABP Foundation Research Grants Awarded

In 2022, The AABP Foundation awarded a total of \$96,770 in research grants. Research grants are funded entirely by member donations. In 2022, an anonymous donor provided \$25,000 to support the welfare research grants and Dr. Bill Wavrin donated \$25,000 to support a dairy research grant.

The competitive research grants funded by the AABP Foundation in 2022 were:

Dr. Jennifer Koziol, Texas Tech University, \$24,988
Investigation of *T. foetus* collection and shipping techniques along with evaluation of epididymal semen harvesting from *T. foetus*-positive bulls

Dr. Luciano Caixeta, University of Minnesota, \$23,840
A randomized clinical trial assessing the effect of supportive care following correction of left displaced abomasum on performance and survival of dairy cows

The cattle welfare grants funded by the AABP Foundation in 2022 were:

Dr. Michael Kleinhenz, Kansas State University, \$24,540
Evaluation of pain associated with scours in calves

Dr. Whitney Knauer, University of Minnesota, \$23,392
Veterinarian and producer attitudes, perceptions and experiences with socially-housed dairy calves

The AABP Foundation has funded a total of 30 research projects totaling \$690,531.

The purpose of the AABP Foundation research grants is to provide funds to support clinically relevant and practical research for bovine practitioners. Investigators must complete the project, present the findings at an AABP annual conference, and submit the project for publication in a peer-reviewed journal. Information and links for project presentations and publications can be found below:

[Competitive research grants](#)

[Cattle welfare research grants](#)

[Foundation-Hoof Trimmers Association research grants](#)

To donate to the AABP Foundation, go to <http://aabp.org/foundation/donate.asp>

Donors who wish to establish a fund within the AABP Foundation should contact Dr. Fred Gingrich at fred@aabp.org.

The AABP Foundation would like to thank our industry partners for their generous support.



The Foundation would also like to thank the AABP membership for their support through donations, purchase of raffle tickets, registration for the Stampede 5k, and auction donations and purchases.