

KENYON COLLEGE
CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL REPORT
JUNE 30, 2025



KENYON COLLEGE

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Independent Auditors' Report

The Board of Trustees
Kenyon College
Gambier, Ohio

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of Kenyon College (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as of June 30, 2025, and the related consolidated statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Kenyon College as of June 30, 2025, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Kenyon College and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Kenyon College's ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that the consolidated financial statements are available to be issued.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but it is not absolute assurance and, therefore, is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the consolidated financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Kenyon College's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Kenyon College's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control related matters that we identified during the audit.

Report on Summarized Comparative Information

We have previously audited Kenyon College's 2024 consolidated financial statements, and we expressed an unmodified audit opinion on those audited consolidated financial statements in our report dated October 24, 2024. In our opinion, the summarized comparative information presented herein as of and for the year ended June 30, 2024 is consistent, in all material respects, with the audited consolidated financial statements from which it has been derived.

Meloney + Novotny LLC

Cleveland, Ohio
October 21, 2025

KENYON COLLEGE

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

June 30, 2025

(With Comparative Totals as of June 30, 2024)

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 25,851,796	\$ 41,847,152
Investments	691,266,777	631,255,485
Accounts and interest receivable	6,033,928	5,533,213
Inventories	1,295,825	1,218,533
Pledges receivable, net	20,783,421	23,834,016
Loans receivable, net of allowance of \$40,000	3,545,393	3,797,142
Interests in charitable trusts	3,813,239	3,524,673
Property and equipment, net	505,877,751	485,490,117
Other assets	<u>5,502,099</u>	<u>6,801,824</u>
Total assets	<u>\$1,263,970,229</u>	<u>\$1,203,302,155</u>
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable, accrued expenses and agency funds	\$ 8,819,445	\$ 9,938,349
Interest rate swaps	332,868	724,657
Deposits and advances	2,258,893	2,565,282
Liability for post-retirement benefits	7,015,546	7,153,174
Split interest agreements payable	10,072,431	9,841,837
Government loan funds	-	55,512
Bonds payable, net of issuance costs	<u>257,716,963</u>	<u>260,303,093</u>
Total liabilities	286,216,146	290,581,904
NET ASSETS		
Without donor restrictions	474,750,921	429,848,959
With donor restrictions	<u>503,003,162</u>	<u>482,871,292</u>
Total net assets	<u>977,754,083</u>	<u>912,720,251</u>
Total liabilities and net assets	<u>\$1,263,970,229</u>	<u>\$1,203,302,155</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

Year Ended June 30, 2025
(With Comparative Totals for the Year Ended June 30, 2024)

	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	2025 Total	2024 Total
OPERATING REVENUES				
Tuition and mandatory fees	\$ 129,771,929		\$ 129,771,929	\$ 125,468,001
Less: Financial aid	(65,349,503)		(65,349,503)	(59,908,950)
Net tuition and mandatory fees	64,422,426		64,422,426	65,559,051
Auxiliary enterprise revenues	33,656,336		33,656,336	32,236,009
Investment return designated for operations	12,596,768	\$ 14,191,969	26,788,737	28,068,015
Private gifts and grants	5,837,512	4,577,150	10,414,662	11,218,251
Government grants	1,336,469	44,250	1,380,719	1,861,145
Miscellaneous fees	184,562		184,562	174,243
Other income	887,731	157,030	1,044,761	1,422,573
Net assets released from restrictions	16,969,513	(16,969,513)	-	-
Total operating revenues	135,891,317	2,000,886	137,892,203	140,539,287
OPERATING EXPENSES				
Program services				
Instruction	53,903,198		53,903,198	52,525,743
Student services	30,304,473		30,304,473	29,066,277
Academic support	14,753,227		14,753,227	14,640,787
Research	709,369		709,369	1,035,624
Community partnership	346,926		346,926	358,766
Auxiliary enterprises	28,351,297		28,351,297	28,052,798
Total program services	128,368,490		128,368,490	125,679,995
Management and general	13,311,210		13,311,210	15,478,239
Fundraising	5,526,302		5,526,302	5,346,040
Total operating expenses	147,206,002		147,206,002	146,504,274
Change in net assets from operating activities	(11,314,685)	2,000,886	(9,313,799)	(5,964,987)
NON-OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Contributions and pledges		26,758,470	26,758,470	48,623,510
Investment return, less amounts designated for operations	16,244,876	31,492,937	47,737,813	54,292,057
Change in fair value of interest rate swaps	391,789		391,789	375,039
Loss on uncollectible promises to give			-	(10,475,108)
Net change in split interest agreements	(51,241)	(264,745)	(315,986)	(956,599)
Loss on disposal of property and equipment			-	(431,786)
Miscellaneous	(255,086)	30,631	(224,455)	2,950,110
Net assets released from restrictions	39,886,309	(39,886,309)	-	-
Change in net assets from non-operating activities	56,216,647	18,130,984	74,347,631	94,377,223
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	44,901,962	20,131,870	65,033,832	88,412,236
NET ASSETS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	429,848,959	482,871,292	912,720,251	824,308,015
NET ASSETS AT END OF YEAR	<u>\$ 474,750,921</u>	<u>\$ 503,003,162</u>	<u>\$ 977,754,083</u>	<u>\$ 912,720,251</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

Year Ended June 30, 2025

(With Comparative Totals for the Year Ended June 30, 2024)

	Program Services	Management and General	Fundraising	2025 Total	2024 Total
Salaries and wages	\$ 48,720,123	\$ 5,091,307	\$ 3,499,580	\$ 57,311,010	\$ 55,775,213
Employee benefits	16,489,282	1,625,275	1,134,030	19,248,587	18,578,278
Total salaries and benefits	65,209,405	6,716,582	4,633,610	76,559,597	74,353,491
Professional and outside services	5,248,900	1,790,751	167,113	7,206,764	7,309,354
Interest and bond costs	10,306,195			10,306,195	10,362,389
Other expenses	2,412,575	2,845,035	156,529	5,414,139	8,584,471
Travel and entertainment	4,833,633	563,538	204,497	5,601,668	5,680,957
Cost of food service	5,872,336			5,872,336	6,096,282
Off Campus Studies program	6,434,959			6,434,959	5,255,047
Rent and utilities	4,410,451	664		4,411,115	4,371,161
Equipment and furniture	226,157	82,371	2,412	310,940	17,036
Materials, printing and supplies	2,763,876	104,747	165,380	3,034,003	3,315,624
Fees and honoraria	1,622,503	3,943	10	1,626,456	1,391,692
Cost of sales and inventory	1,650,499	26	2	1,650,527	1,767,540
Books and periodicals	328,899			328,899	288,422
Dues and memberships and postage	833,082	331,262	94,215	1,258,559	1,285,924
Total current operating expenditures	112,153,470	12,438,919	5,423,768	130,016,157	130,079,390
Depreciation	16,215,021	872,291	102,533	17,189,845	16,424,884
Total functional expenses	<u>\$ 128,368,491</u>	<u>\$ 13,311,210</u>	<u>\$ 5,526,301</u>	<u>\$ 147,206,002</u>	<u>\$ 146,504,274</u>

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

Year Ended June 30, 2025

(With Comparative Totals for the Year Ended June 30, 2024)

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Change in net assets	\$ 65,033,832	\$ 88,412,236
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash (used) provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation expense	17,189,845	16,424,884
Amortization of bond premiums and issuance costs, net	(1,126,130)	(1,134,557)
Change in fair value of interest rate swaps	(391,789)	(375,039)
Loss on disposal of property and equipment	-	431,785
Net realized and unrealized gains	(67,352,687)	(76,318,041)
Contributions for long-term purposes	(19,669,828)	(11,156,803)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Accounts and interest receivable	(500,715)	(256,926)
Inventories	(77,292)	(205,247)
Present value of pledges receivable	3,050,595	15,166,453
Interests in charitable trusts	(288,566)	(471,277)
Other assets	1,299,725	(1,971,440)
Accounts payable, accrued expenses and agency funds	(1,118,904)	1,529,343
Deposits and advances	(306,389)	(473,031)
Liability for postretirement benefits	(137,628)	785,848
Split interest agreements payable	230,594	4,229,809
Government loan funds	<u>(55,512)</u>	<u>(88,164)</u>
Net cash (used) provided by operating activities	(4,220,849)	34,529,833
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Purchases of land, buildings and equipment	(37,577,479)	(61,037,624)
Purchase of securities	(50,202,287)	(69,363,597)
Sale of securities	72,412,614	141,118,992
Loans receivable	251,749	306,447
Increased investment in limited partnerships	<u>(14,868,932)</u>	<u>(52,844,612)</u>
Net cash used by investing activities	(29,984,335)	(41,820,394)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Contributions for long-term purposes	19,669,828	11,156,803
Repayment of bonds payable	<u>(1,460,000)</u>	<u>(1,390,000)</u>
Net cash provided by financing activities	<u>18,209,828</u>	<u>9,766,803</u>
CHANGE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(15,995,356)	2,476,242
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>41,847,152</u>	<u>39,370,910</u>
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR	<u>\$ 25,851,796</u>	<u>\$ 41,847,152</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

- A. *Organization* – Kenyon College (the College), a private educational institution, derives its revenues from student tuition and fees, investment earnings, gifts and grants, operation of residence and dining halls and related activities. The College is institutionally committed to promoting a liberal arts education. Skills are promoted and developed that are not only useful to any career but essential for a fulfilling and valuable life.
- B. *Basis for Consolidation* – The accounts of the Kenyon Inn Management Company, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the College, have been consolidated with the accounts of the College in the accompanying consolidated financial statements. In addition, the accounts of the Kenyon Review, the College's literary periodical, the Gund Gallery, the Kokosing Nature Preserve and the Philander Chase Conservancy (all legally separate entities) have also been consolidated in the accompanying consolidated financial statements of the College due to the College's control of and financial interest in each entity. All significant intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated.
- C. *Basis of Accounting* – The accompanying consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting, and in all material respects, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America (GAAP).
- D. *Comparative Information* – The consolidated financial statements include certain prior-year summarized comparative information in total but not by net asset class. Such information does not include sufficient detail to constitute a presentation in conformity with GAAP. Accordingly, such information should be read in conjunction with the College's audited financial statements as of and for the year ended June 30, 2024, from which the summarized information was derived.
- E. *Use of Estimates* – Preparation of consolidated financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the consolidated financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from those estimates.
- F. *Liquidity* – Assets and liabilities are listed in their estimated order of liquidity. For those accounts for which such liquidity is unclear, additional disclosures have been made in the accompanying notes within these consolidated financial statements.
- G. *Fair Values of Financial Instruments* – GAAP provides a framework for measuring fair value and requires a three level hierarchy for disclosure to show the extent and the level of judgment used to estimate fair value measurements related to financial instruments:

Level 1 – Uses unadjusted quoted prices that are available in active public markets for identical assets or liabilities as of the reporting date. Active markets are those in which transactions for the asset or liability occur in sufficient frequency and volume to provide pricing information on an ongoing basis.

Level 2 – Uses inputs other than Level 1 that are either directly or indirectly observable as of the reporting date through correlation with market data, including quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets and quoted prices in markets that are not active. Level 2 also includes assets and liabilities that are valued using models or other pricing methodologies that do not require significant judgment since the input assumptions used in the models, such as interest rates and volatility factors, are corroborated by readily observable data.

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

G. Fair Values of Financial Instruments (Continued)

Level 3 – Uses inputs that are unobservable and are supported by little or no market activity and reflect the use of significant management judgment. These values are generally determined using pricing models and market assumptions. Because Level 3 investments may not be entirely readily marketable, their estimated fair value is subject to uncertainty and, therefore, may differ from the value that would have been reported had a ready market for such investments existed. Such differences could be material.

The following methods and assumptions were used to estimate the fair values of each class of financial instruments for which it is practicable to estimate that value:

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The College considers financial instruments with a maturity of three months or less when purchased to be cash equivalents. The carrying amount approximates fair value due to the short maturity of those instruments.

Equity Investments

Common Stocks

The fair values of these investments are estimated based on quoted market prices for these or similar investments, generally considered Level 1 valuations.

Mutual Funds

The fair values of these investments are estimated based on quoted market prices for these or similar investments, generally considered Level 1 valuations.

Fixed Income - Marketable Investments

Fixed income marketable funds are investments where a readily verifiable fair value may or may not exist. Fair value in these investments is reported by management based on readily available public market data, generally considered Level 1 valuations.

Alternative Investments Measured at Net Asset Value (NAV) per Share

Alternative funds are investments in securities where a readily verifiable fair value may not exist and/or is not available to management. Fair value of these investments is reported by management based on information provided by the investment managers as validated by management and its advisors and, as such, additional quantitative disclosures are not required. Values may be based on readily available public market data and values may be measured using NAV per share as a practical expedient. Investments that are measured using NAV have been categorized separately.

Pledges Receivable

Pledges receivable are recorded at the present value of the discounted future cash flows, based on current market interest rates on the date of the contribution. The carrying value of pledges receivable, therefore, approximates their fair value.

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

G. Fair Values of Financial Instruments (Continued)

Loans Receivable

Federal Perkins Loans Receivable

The interest rates charged on Perkins loans receivable are fixed by the U.S. Department of Education. The carrying value of these loans approximates fair value.

Kenyon College Loans Receivable

The interest rates charged on Kenyon College loans are fixed by the College and are consistent with market rates. Accordingly, the carrying amount reported approximates fair value.

Interests in Charitable Trusts

Contributions receivable from remainder trusts are valued based on inputs that are quoted prices in active markets which are used to estimate the future cash flows of the trust. The College's share of interests in perpetual trusts is recorded at fair market value. The College does not have the ability to liquidate these holdings and, as such, these funds are shown as Level 3 inputs.

Split Interest Agreements Payable

The carrying value of these accounts is actuarially determined based on the present value of the discounted estimated future cash flows using market interest rates on the date of contribution and, therefore, approximates fair value. The annual payments on the annuities range from \$148 to \$78,888.

Long-Term Debt

The fair value of the College's long-term debt, based on the College's current incremental borrowing rates for similar types of borrowing arrangements, approximates its carrying amount.

Interest Rate Swaps

The fair value of the interest rate swaps is based on projected interest rates for the duration of the swaps, values that, while observable in the market, are subject to adjustment due to pricing considerations for the specific instrument. The resulting fair values are generally considered Level 2 valuations.

Financial assets and liabilities are classified in their entirety based on the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurement. The College's assessment of the significance of a particular input to the fair value measurement requires judgment and may affect the valuation of fair value assets and their placement within the fair value hierarchy levels.

The following tables set forth by level within the fair value hierarchy the College's financial assets and liabilities that were accounted for at a fair value on a recurring basis as of June 30, 2025 and 2024. The tables do not include cash on hand or other assets and liabilities that are measured at historical cost or any basis other than fair value.

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

G. Fair Values of Financial Instruments (Continued)

<u>June 30, 2025</u>	<u>Level 1</u>	<u>Level 2</u>	<u>Level 3</u>	<u>Total</u>
Assets				
Equity investments				
Common stocks	\$ 11,664,376	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 11,664,376
Mutual funds	58,713,696	-	-	58,713,696
Total equity investments	70,378,072	-	-	70,378,072
Fixed income - marketable funds	42,035,079	-	-	42,035,079
	<u>\$112,413,151</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	112,413,151
Investments measured at NAV (see Note 2)				<u>578,853,626</u>
				<u>\$691,266,777</u>
Interests in charitable trusts	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 3,813,239</u>	<u>\$ 3,813,239</u>
Liabilities				
Interest rate swaps	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 332,868</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 332,868</u>
<u>June 30, 2024</u>	<u>Level 1</u>	<u>Level 2</u>	<u>Level 3</u>	<u>Total</u>
Assets				
Equity investments				
Common stocks	\$ 9,306,931	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 9,306,931
Mutual funds	61,330,566	-	-	61,330,566
Total equity investments	70,637,497	-	-	70,637,497
Fixed income - marketable funds	32,506,615	-	-	32,506,615
	<u>\$103,144,112</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	\$103,144,112
Investments measured at NAV (see Note 2)				<u>528,111,373</u>
				<u>\$631,255,485</u>
Interests in charitable trusts	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 3,524,673</u>	<u>\$ 3,524,673</u>
Liabilities				
Interest rate swaps	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 724,657</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 724,657</u>

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

G. Fair Values of Financial Instruments (Continued)

Assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis using significant unobservable inputs (Level 3 inputs) are as follows for the years ended June 30, 2025 and 2024:

<u>Interests in Charitable Trusts</u>	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Beginning balance	\$ 3,524,673	\$ 3,053,396
Additions	125,608	119,328
Distributions	(87,761)	(85,175)
Unrealized gain	<u>250,719</u>	<u>437,124</u>
	<u>\$ 3,813,239</u>	<u>\$ 3,524,673</u>

The methods described above may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, while the College believes their valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

- H. *Cash Equivalents* – The College considers investments with a maturity of three months or less when purchased to be cash equivalents on the consolidated statement of financial position and for purposes of preparing the consolidated statement of cash flows. The College maintains cash and cash equivalent balances at various financial institutions which, at times, may exceed federally insured limits and may exceed reported values due to outstanding checks.
- I. *Interest Rate Swaps* – Derivative instruments (interest rate swaps) are recorded by the College on the consolidated statement of financial position at fair value, as described in Note 1.G. The College's interest rate swap agreements are used to manage exposure to interest rate movement by effectively changing the variable rates on the College's capital lease obligations to a fixed rate. The critical terms of the interest rate swap agreements and the interest-bearing debt associated with the swap agreements are similar. The interest rate swaps qualify and have been designated and accounted for as fair value hedges. Changes in fair market value of the interest rate swaps are recognized as a change in net assets on the consolidated statement of activities in the period of change, following GAAP guidance specific to not-for-profit organizations (see Note 8).
- J. *Investments* – Investments are carried at fair value as described in Note 1.G. Investments received from donors as gifts are recorded at fair value at the date of gift. Investment return is recorded net of expenses and includes interest, dividends and both realized and unrealized gains and losses.

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

J. Investments (Continued)

Alternative investments (measured at NAV) include interests in hedge funds, private equity, real estate and commodities funds. The College held alternative investments valued at \$578,853,626 and \$528,111,373, representing 46% and 44% of the total assets as of June 30, 2025 and 2024, respectively. Because alternative investments may not be entirely readily marketable, their estimated fair value is subject to uncertainty and, therefore, may differ from the value that would have been reported had a ready market for such investments existed. Such differences could be material.

K. *Loans Receivable* – Loans receivable, which include Perkins and Kenyon College loans, are carried at unpaid principal balances, less an allowance for credit losses of \$40,000 at June 30, 2025 and 2024. Periodic evaluation of the adequacy of the allowance for credit losses is based on past loan loss experience and current and future economic conditions. Interest income is recorded as monthly payments are received. Loans receivable are considered to be past due if a payment is not made within 30 days of the payment due date. Interest on past due loans is not accrued and recognized only to the extent cash payments are received.

L. *Accounts and Interest Receivable* – Student accounts receivable primarily consist of tuition, room and board and fees charges to students and are carried at face value. Accounts receivable also include balances due from grants and contracts. The College uses the expected credit loss method to estimate uncollectible receivables. The College separates accounts receivable into risk pools based on their aging. In determining the amount of the allowance, the College develops a loss rate for each risk pool. This loss rate is based on management's historical collection experience, adjusted for management's expectations about current and future business and economic conditions.

Management has determined that any allowance would be immaterial to these financials statements. As such, no allowance for credit losses related to accounts receivable is recorded as of June 30, 2025.

M. *Interests in Charitable Trusts* – Irrevocable charitable remainder trusts and charitable lead trusts that are held in trust by others have been included in the College's accompanying consolidated financial statements as an asset and as contribution revenue as of the date the College is notified of its interest in the irrevocable trust.

N. *Property and Equipment, Net* – Acquisitions of property and equipment are stated at cost or at the fair market value of the properties when acquired by gift. It is the policy of the College to capitalize additions and, for replacements, to capitalize the incremental increase in cost of plant and equipment items. Maintenance, repairs and minor renewals are charged to expense when incurred.

The College recognizes depreciation on the straight-line method over the estimated useful life for each major category of assets. These estimated useful lives are summarized in the following table:

Land improvements	10-40 years
Buildings and building improvements	50 years
Equipment and furniture	3-10 years
Library books	25 years

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

N. Property and Equipment, Net (Continued)

Collections and Works of Art – Collections are not capitalized under the provisions of Financial Accounting Standards Board ASC 958-605, *Revenue Recognition-Contributions Received*. All works of art and collections are held for public exhibition, education or research; are protected, kept unencumbered, cared for and preserved; and are subject to policies governing their use. Prior to ASC 958-605 adoption, the College did capitalize works of art and collections.

Property and equipment consist of the following at June 30:

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Land and land improvements	\$ 5,413,194	\$ 5,346,613
Buildings and building improvements	579,640,184	534,110,049
Equipment and furniture	60,967,468	54,888,148
Library books	32,686,262	31,775,366
Works of art and collections	1,862,696	1,862,696
Construction work in progress	<u>70,774,950</u>	<u>85,855,558</u>
	751,344,754	713,838,430
Accumulated depreciation	<u>(245,467,003)</u>	<u>(228,348,313)</u>
Property and equipment, net	<u>\$ 505,877,751</u>	<u>\$ 485,490,117</u>

Depreciation expense for the years ended June 30, 2025 and 2024 was \$17,189,845 and \$16,424,884, respectively.

As of June 30, 2025, the College has outstanding commitments of \$9,370,207 remaining for the construction of new facilities.

O. Net Assets – Net assets are classified into two categories: without donor restrictions and with donor restrictions.

Net assets without donor restrictions result from the receipt of funds which have no donor-imposed restrictions related to the timing or use of the funds. Net assets without donor restrictions also include those funds that have been designated for use by the Board of Trustees of the College as further described in Note 3.

Net assets with donor restrictions result from funds received with donor-imposed restrictions that limit the use of the asset. Some donor restrictions are temporary in nature, such as those resulting from timing differences between the receipt of funds and the incurrence of the related expenses. Other donor-imposed restrictions are permanent in nature where the funds are to be invested in perpetuity and only the income be utilized. These assets also include interests in perpetual trusts.

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

- P. *Expiration of Donor-Imposed Restrictions* – The expiration of a donor-imposed restriction on a contribution or on endowment income is recognized in the period in which the restriction expires and at that time the related resources are reclassified to net assets without donor restrictions. A restriction expires when the stipulated time has elapsed, when the stipulated purpose for which the resource was restricted has been fulfilled or both.

Contributions of property and equipment without donor restrictions concerning the use of such long-lived assets are reported as revenues without donor restrictions. Contributions of cash or other assets to be used to acquire property and equipment with such donor stipulations are reported as revenues with donor restrictions. The restrictions are considered to be released at the time such long-lived assets are placed in service.

- Q. *Revenue Recognition* – The College recognizes revenue from student tuition and fees during the year in which the related academic services are provided and are displayed net of student financial aid on the consolidated statement of activities. The performance obligation of delivering educational services is simultaneously received and consumed by the students; therefore, the revenue is recognized ratably over the course of the academic term. In addition, the students have an option to room and board on the premises. The performance obligation of providing access to housing and meals is satisfied ratably over the academic term in which the student chooses to live on campus and purchase a meal plan. Payments are generally required prior to the beginning of the semester. All amounts received prior to the commencement of the fiscal year that pertain to the next fiscal year are deferred to the applicable period.

The College records contributions, cash and promises to give, when they are received unconditionally, at their fair value. Conditional promises to give are not recognized until they become unconditional, that is when the conditions on which they depend are met. Federal and state contracts and grants are conditional upon certain performance requirements and/or the incurrence of allowable qualifying expenses. Consequently, at June 30, 2025, contributions approximating \$2,040,521, of which no amounts have been received in advance, have not been recognized in the accompanying consolidated financial statements because the conditions have not yet been met.

- R. *Allocation of Functional Expenses* – The costs of providing various programs and other activities have been summarized on a functional basis on the consolidated statement of activities and by natural classification on the consolidated statement of functional expenses. The consolidated statement of functional expenses reports certain categories of expenses that are attributable to more than one program or supporting function. Certain expenses require allocation on a reasonable basis that is consistently applied. The expenses that are allocated include personnel costs, operation and maintenance of plant and other expenses which are allocated based on either a percentage of full-time equivalents of employees assigned to various departments or a percentage of square footage of total space used by each department.
- S. *Federal Income Taxes* – The Internal Revenue Service has determined that the College, the Kenyon Review, the Gund Gallery, the Kokosing Nature Preserve and the Philander Chase Conservancy are exempt from federal income taxes under Section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code as public charities described in Section 501(c)(3); accordingly, no provision for federal income taxes has been made in the consolidated financial statements. The Kenyon Inn Management Company is subject to federal income taxes, which for June 30, 2025 and 2024 were not significant to these consolidated financial statements. There were no unrecognized tax benefits as of June 30, 2025.

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

S. Federal Income Taxes (Continued)

The income tax returns for all entities remain subject to examination by the Internal Revenue Service, as well as various state and local taxing authorities, generally for three years.

T. *Operations* – The consolidated statement of activities includes a subtotal for the change in net assets from operating activities. This subtotal reflects revenues that the College and all consolidated entities received for operating purposes, including investment income derived from the College's endowment payout formula. Nonoperating activity reflects the change in appreciation/depreciation on long-term investments net of the amount appropriated using the endowment payout formula, the change in fair value of interest rate swaps, contributions for endowment and plant purposes, gains or losses on the disposal of property and equipment, the net change in annuity and life income funds and other nonoperating revenues and expenses.

U. *Conditional Asset Retirement Obligations* – Management has considered the provisions of GAAP, specifically as it relates to its legal obligations to perform asset retirement activities on its existing properties. Management believes that there is an indeterminate settlement date for the asset retirement obligations because the range of time over which the College may settle the obligations is unknown and cannot be estimated. As a result, management cannot reasonably estimate the liability related to these asset retirement activities as of June 30, 2025.

V. *Reclassifications* – Certain 2024 amounts have been reclassified to conform to the 2025 presentation.

W. *Contingencies* – The College is involved in litigation and is subject to certain claims that arise in the normal course of operations. In the opinion of management, the ultimate disposition of the litigation and claims will not have a material adverse effect on the College's operations or financial position.

X. *Subsequent Events* – The College has evaluated subsequent events through October 21, 2025, which is the date the consolidated financial statements were available to be issued.

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 2. Investments

The fair value of investments is as follows (refer to Note 1 for information related to fair values):

	June 30	
	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Investments at fair value:		
Equity investments:		
Common stocks	\$ 11,664,376	\$ 9,306,931
Mutual funds	58,713,696	61,330,566
Alternative investments (measured at NAV):		
Hedge and alternative funds	316,221,669	263,966,105
Private equity	161,086,835	150,258,916
Real estate	32,752,066	32,055,861
Commodities	13,744,762	24,610,317
Total alternative investments	<u>523,805,332</u>	<u>470,891,199</u>
Total equity investments	594,183,404	541,528,696
Fixed income - marketable funds	42,035,079	32,506,615
Alternative funds (measured at NAV)	55,048,294	57,220,174
	<u>97,083,373</u>	<u>89,726,789</u>
	<u>\$ 691,266,777</u>	<u>\$ 631,255,485</u>

Investment funds in private equity funds and alternative investment classes are typically organized as limited partnerships. A unique characteristic of these structures is that the investment manager requests (or calls) capital commitments from the investors as investment opportunities arise and distributes capital only when investments are liquidated. Capital calls are typically made by the investment manager during years 1-5 of a fund's life while the majority of capital distributions do not occur until years 8-10 of a fund's life.

The College was obligated at June 30, 2025 to invest additional funds in limited partnership investments in the amount of \$89,153,381 at the direction of the general partners. These capital calls may be funded through distributions from current limited partnerships, liquidations of investments currently held by the College, new gifts and/or available cash.

Due to the nature of alternative investments and the use of some limited partnerships and commingled vehicles in traditional asset classes (public equities and fixed income), the College contractually agrees to liquidity restrictions. The College, in response to this risk, closely monitors the liquidity of the portfolio. As of June 30, 2025, the following liquidity characteristics applied to the College's investments in private equity funds and alternative investments:

<u>Liquid Within:</u>	<u>Percent of Investment Portfolio</u>
1 year	49.7%
3 years	8.0%
Illiquid	42.3%

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 2. Investments (Continued)

Illiquid investments represent those invested in real assets and private equity limited partnerships. There is a very limited secondary market for these interests and selling them would require considerable time. The College is not actively trying to sell any of its illiquid investments at this time.

Note 3. Endowment Funds

The College places great importance on risk reduction through asset allocation and style diversification. The College has interpreted the Ohio Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act (UPMIFA) as allowing the College to appropriate for expenditure from a donor-restricted endowment fund such amounts as the Board of Trustees determines is prudent, except as otherwise provided by the donor in a gift agreement. Factors considered in making investment and appropriation decisions for such funds are described below. The following are investment performance objectives for the portfolio:

The Investment Committee is charged by the Board of Trustees to oversee the investment process. For endowment funds, the objective is to achieve superior long-term total returns such that the requirements of the annual budget are met, all within the confines of reasonable risk. In this regard, specific responsibilities include the hiring, monitoring and changing of investment managers, performance monitoring, establishing asset classes, allocation targets and ranges and rebalancing strategies. As part of its overall mission, the Investment Committee maintains a detailed *Statement of Purpose and Policies* and it regularly reviews the appropriateness of the contents in light of the current investment environment. In conjunction with the Campus and Finance Committee of the Board of Trustees, the Investment Committee recommends to the full Board spending policies in respect to the annual distribution from endowment funds.

The College's endowment assets consist of two groupings: 1) those funds which can be pooled together for purposes of investment and payout and 2) those funds which by donor restriction, either as to investment or payout, must be separately invested. The assets of the pooled funds consist of all investment types disclosed in Note 2 and income is distributed based on a Board approved payout formula as described below. The endowment funds with donor restrictions generally consist of mutual funds and life insurance policies.

For the year ended June 30, 2025, the College utilized a spending formula to calculate the distribution out of its pooled investment portfolio. The formula is composed of two elements: 1) a market element adjusts annual endowment spending to the long-term sustainable target spending of 4.00% of the average actual market value of the endowment for the most recent three years. This element of the spending rate receives a 30% weighting in the spending rate calculation and 2) a spending element increases last year's spending rate by a factor for inflation (3.5%) plus budget growth (1.50%). This element of the spending rate receives a weight of 70%. The distributed earnings are considered appropriated for expenditure and recorded as net assets released from restrictions on the consolidated statement of activities as spent. The College has temporarily frozen the payout rate while slightly increasing the payout amount due to new cash gifts received during the year.

Effective June 30, 2019, the College's Board of Trustees voted to classify the unrestricted reserve fund as a board designated endowment fund. The payout from this unrestricted fund is determined annually in the budgeting process, and has historically averaged approximately 6% of the market value of the fund.

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 3. Endowment Funds (Continued)

The College's endowment funds were as follows as of June 30, 2025 and 2024:

	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions			Total
		Original Gift Amount	Accumulated Earnings	Total	
<u>June 30, 2025</u>					
Endowment assets, beginning of year,	\$278,239,509	\$251,751,897	\$105,028,264	\$356,780,161	\$635,019,670
Investment return:					
Investment income	1,902,249	300,536	3,344,820	3,645,356	5,547,605
Net appreciation (realized and unrealized)	<u>25,510,421</u>	<u>310,438</u>	<u>39,796,222</u>	<u>40,106,660</u>	<u>65,617,081</u>
Total investment return	27,412,670	610,974	43,141,042	43,752,016	71,164,686
Cash contributions	29,962	20,278,744	-	20,278,744	20,308,706
Appropriation of endowment assets for expenditure	<u>(24,207,217)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(12,815,000)</u>	<u>(12,815,000)</u>	<u>(37,022,217)</u>
Endowment assets, end of year	<u>\$281,474,924</u>	<u>\$272,641,615</u>	<u>\$135,354,306</u>	<u>\$407,995,921</u>	<u>\$689,470,845</u>
	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions			Total
		Original Gift Amount	Accumulated Earnings	Total	
<u>June 30, 2024</u>					
Endowment assets, beginning of year,	\$255,727,450	\$237,144,863	\$ 74,504,136	\$311,648,999	\$567,376,449
Investment return:					
Investment income	1,029,084	117,880	1,679,591	1,797,471	2,826,555
Net appreciation (realized and unrealized)	<u>32,547,426</u>	<u>181,405</u>	<u>42,068,627</u>	<u>42,250,032</u>	<u>74,797,458</u>
Total investment return	33,576,510	299,285	43,748,218	44,047,503	77,624,013
Cash contributions	223,533	14,307,749	-	14,307,749	14,531,282
Appropriation of endowment assets for expenditure	<u>(11,287,984)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(13,224,090)</u>	<u>(13,224,090)</u>	<u>(24,512,074)</u>
Endowment assets, end of year	<u>\$278,239,509</u>	<u>\$251,751,897</u>	<u>\$105,028,264</u>	<u>\$356,780,161</u>	<u>\$635,019,670</u>

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 3. Endowment Funds (Continued)

Based on the College's spending formula, as of June 30, 2025 and 2024, an additional \$9,455,959 and \$8,416,217, respectively, has been appropriated for expenditure out of accumulated earnings with donor restrictions.

From time to time, the fair value of assets associated with individual donor-restricted endowment funds may fall below the level that the donor requires the College to retain as a fund of perpetual duration. In accordance with GAAP, deficiencies of this nature are reported as a reduction of net assets with donor restrictions. As of June 30, 2025 and 2024, endowment funds with market values of \$345,235 and \$1,097,771, respectively, were \$40,243 and \$82,071, respectively, below the original gift amount.

Note 4. Pledges Receivable

As of June 30, 2025 and 2024, the College had received unconditional promises to give as follows:

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Within one year	\$ 14,090,147	\$ 8,852,779
One to two years	2,598,698	10,997,092
Two to three years	1,338,333	1,327,910
Three to four years	669,198	1,275,733
Four to five years	252,500	186,500
More than five years	<u>3,302,500</u>	<u>2,906,250</u>
	22,251,376	25,546,264
Discount on long-term pledges	<u>(1,467,955)</u>	<u>(1,712,248)</u>
	<u>\$ 20,783,421</u>	<u>\$ 23,834,016</u>

The amounts are recorded at the present value of future cash flows discounted using rates for one to twenty-six year treasury securities ranging from 0.64% to 4.26%. Management provides for an allowance for doubtful pledges based upon an analysis of the outstanding pledges and past collection history. As of June 30, 2025 and 2024, the allowance for uncollectible pledges was \$75,712 and \$87,102, which is reflected as a reduction in the receivables presented above.

Due to changes in facts and circumstances during the year ended June 30, 2024, outstanding pledges of \$10,475,108 were written off. The College is participating in ongoing discussions with the donor to make the College whole as of the date of these financial statements.

Note 5. Available Line of Credit

Under an unsecured line of credit with a bank, the College may borrow up to \$15,000,000 at a rate of 7.50% as of June 30, 2025. There were no borrowings on the line of credit as of June 30, 2025 and 2024. The line of credit expires on January 23, 2026.

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 6. Guaranteed Loans

The College offers a home mortgage loan guarantee program to certain members of its faculty and administration. Under this program, the College guarantees 100% of the outstanding mortgage loans until such time as the outstanding amount on each loan is reduced to 70% of the original appraised value or contract price of the property, at which time the guarantee is released. Under the program, the College has the right to purchase the mortgage loans from the lenders in the event of default by an employee. As of June 30, 2025 and 2024, the College has guaranteed mortgage loans aggregating \$2,257,799 and \$2,802,054, respectively. All loans were current as of June 30, 2025 and 2024. The College deems it unlikely that any amount of the guarantee would be called by the banks.

Note 7. Retirement and Postretirement Benefit Plans

The College has a defined contribution retirement plan that covers substantially all employees. Eligible employees may contribute a percentage of their compensation. The College contributes 9.5% of the employee's compensation for all employees who contribute a minimum deferral of 3% or 5%, depending on the classification of the employee participating in the plan. The College's contributions to the plan were \$4,591,853 and \$4,408,785 during the years ended June 30, 2025 and 2024, respectively.

In addition to the College's defined contribution retirement plan, the College has two additional postretirement benefit plans. One plan provides certain health care benefits for retired employees. The College makes defined contributions to the plan on behalf of eligible employees who are 35 years of age or older and have completed at least one year of service. The College's contributions are limited to 25 years or the employee's separation from employment, whichever occurs first. The College contributed \$930,692 and \$899,240 for the years ended June 30, 2025 and 2024, respectively.

The second plan is a defined benefit postretirement plan which provides life insurance benefits applicable only to two groups: 1) grandfathered members of the collective bargaining unit who were active as of February 4, 1974 and 2) members of the faculty who retire under early retirement agreements with coverage to continue for a maximum of five years. Because of the short period of coverage for faculty members covered by this plan, the value of this benefit for them is not material to the calculation of the postretirement valuation and, therefore, has not been included. The College reserves the right to modify or terminate these retiree payments at any time. The amount of funding activity is determined at the discretion of management. Currently, the College has not funded any portion of the liability.

The College recognizes the underfunded status of the defined benefit plan on its consolidated statement of financial position, measured as the difference between the fair value of plan assets and the projected benefit obligation. The College recognizes the change in the funded status of the plan in the year in which the change occurs through net assets without donor restrictions.

Included in net assets without donor restrictions at June 30, 2025 and 2024 are the following amounts that have not yet been recognized in net periodic benefit cost: unrecognized actuarial loss of \$2,193,255 and \$1,625,434, respectively, and unrecognized net prior service credit of \$-0-. The contributions, actuarial loss and prior service credit expected to be recognized during the year ended June 30, 2026 are \$707,399, \$-0- and \$-0-, respectively.

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 7. Retirement and Postretirement Benefit Plans (Continued)

The following sets forth the plan status with amounts reported in the College's consolidated financial statements at June 30:

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Net Periodic Postretirement Cost		
Service cost	\$ 373,910	\$ 353,008
Interest cost	360,161	307,727
Amortization of unrecognized loss	<u>90,200</u>	<u>25,402</u>
Total net periodic postretirement cost	<u>\$ 824,271</u>	<u>\$ 686,137</u>
	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Change in Benefit Obligation		
Benefit obligation at beginning of year	\$ 7,153,174	\$ 6,367,326
Service cost	373,910	353,008
Interest cost	360,161	307,727
Actuarial loss	658,021	760,843
Plan participant contributions	78,023	78,996
Benefits paid	<u>(1,607,743)</u>	<u>(714,726)</u>
Benefit obligation at end of year	<u>\$ 7,015,546</u>	<u>\$ 7,153,174</u>

During 2010, the plan was amended to provide benefits to the spouse and/or children for 12 months following the death of the participant. Previously, benefits would continue indefinitely provided the spouse remained unmarried.

Estimated future benefit payments as of June 30, 2025 are as follows:

2026	\$ 707,000
2027	719,000
2028	773,000
2029	763,000
2030	727,000
2031-35	3,403,000

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 7. Retirement and Postretirement Benefit Plans (Continued)

	Fiscal Years Ended June 30	
	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Actuarial Assumptions		
Weighted average discount rate:		
Expense for the year	5.25%	5.32%
Accumulated plan benefit obligation (at year-end)	5.32%	5.06%
Medical trend:		
For next year	8.35%	8.30%
Ultimate trend rate	4.50%	4.50%
Year reached	2035	2033

Note 8. Bonds Payable

As of June 30, 2025 and 2024, the College has five revenue bonds issued with the Ohio Higher Educational Facility Commission (the Commission) to finance various building and improvement projects. The revenue bonds are collateralized by a security interest in the buildings and improvements comprising the various projects. As of June 30, 2025 and 2024, the College has recorded buildings and improvements with a cost of \$362,268,986 and \$358,647,326, respectively, and accumulated depreciation of \$133,504,636 and \$125,598,775, respectively, and the liabilities as bonds payable. All revenues generated by the buildings and improvements comprising the various projects are pledged as collateral for retirement of the bonds.

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 8. Bonds Payable (Continued)

Summary of Bonds Outstanding

The College's bonds outstanding are as follows as of June 30:

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
<u>2015 Revenue Bonds:</u>		
Maturing through July 1, 2040 with rates ranging from 4.00% - 5.00%		
outstanding principal	\$ 39,400,000	\$ 39,400,000
unamortized premium	718,737	770,076
unamortized issuance costs	(265,370)	(281,956)
<u>2016 Revenue Bonds:</u>		
Maturing through July 1, 2044 with rates ranging from 3.25% to 5.00%		
outstanding principal	53,330,000	53,330,000
unamortized premium	2,123,381	2,243,016
unamortized issuance costs	(386,076)	(407,525)
<u>2017 Revenue Bonds:</u>		
Maturing through July 1, 2047 with rates ranging from 4.00% to 5.00%		
outstanding principal	58,770,000	60,230,000
unamortized premium	4,225,086	4,560,959
unamortized issuance costs	(490,795)	(513,104)
<u>2020 Revenue Bonds:</u>		
Maturing through July 1, 2044 with rates ranging from 4.00% to 5.00%		
outstanding principal	49,940,000	49,940,000
unamortized premium	6,721,643	7,163,884
unamortized issuance costs	(433,958)	(458,067)
<u>2023 Revenue Bonds:</u>		
Maturing through July 1, 2037 with rates ranging from 4.00% to 5.00%		
outstanding principal	41,255,000	41,255,000
unamortized premium	3,291,601	3,576,063
unamortized issuance costs	<u>(482,286)</u>	<u>(505,253)</u>
Total outstanding principal	242,695,000	244,155,000
Total unamortized premium/discount, net	17,080,448	18,313,998
Total unamortized issuance costs	<u>(2,058,485)</u>	<u>(2,165,905)</u>
Total bonds payable	<u>\$ 257,716,963</u>	<u>\$ 260,303,093</u>

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 8. Bonds Payable (Continued)

Summary of Bonds Outstanding (Continued)

In May 2015, the College issued \$39,400,000 of revenue bonds through the Commission. The proceeds of the bonds were used to advance refund \$37,535,000 of a previous bond issue and provided for issuance costs. The bonds were issued at a premium of \$1,283,466 for a true interest cost of 4.19%. The bond premium is being amortized over the term of the bonds. The bonds are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption, maturing on July 1, 2038, 2039 and 2040.

In November 2016, the College issued \$53,330,000 of revenue bonds through the Commission. The proceeds of the bonds were used to refund \$48,640,000 of previous bond issues and provided for issuance costs. The bonds were issued at a premium of \$3,200,096 for a true interest cost of 3.84%. The bond premium is being amortized over the term of the bonds. The bonds are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption, maturing on July 1, 2040, 2042 and 2044.

In December 2017, the College issued \$68,730,000 of revenue bonds through the Commission. The proceeds of the bonds were used to pay the costs of and relating to constructing, furnishing and equipping library facilities and an academic quad, and other College academic, administrative and student resident facilities. The 2017 bonds were issued at a premium of \$6,939,523 for a true interest cost of 3.80%. The bond premium is being amortized over the life of the bonds. The bonds are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption, maturing on July 1, 2042 and 2047.

In April 2020, the College issued \$49,940,000 of revenue bonds through the Commission. The proceeds of the bonds were used to refund the remaining outstanding principal of \$56,985,000 of a previous bond issue. The bonds were issued at a premium of \$9,042,175 for a true interest cost of 3.46%. The bond premium is being amortized over the term of the bonds. The bonds are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption maturing on July 1, 2041 and 2044.

In April 2023, the College issued \$41,255,000 of revenue bonds through the Commission. The proceeds of the bonds were used to refund the remaining outstanding principal of \$43,610,000 of a previous bond issue. The bonds were issued at a premium of \$3,996,435 for a true interest cost of 4.10%. The bond premium is being amortized over the term of the bonds. The bonds are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption, maturing on July 1, 2035, 2036 and 2037.

Payments made by the College on its bonds for the year ended June 30, 2025 were \$11,348,415 of which \$1,460,000 represented principal and \$9,888,415 represented interest. Payments made by the College on its bonds for the year ended June 30, 2024 were \$11,339,488 of which \$1,390,000 represented principal and \$9,949,488 represented interest.

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NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

Note 8. Bonds Payable (Continued)

Summary of Bonds Outstanding (Continued)

At June 30, 2025, future minimum payments by year and in the aggregate under these bonds payable consist of the following:

2026	\$ 12,583,963
2027	12,587,213
2028	12,586,463
2029	12,591,713
2030	12,592,463
2031-2047	<u>337,044,625</u>
	399,986,438
Amount representing interest	<u>(157,291,438)</u>
Fixed rate obligations outstanding	242,695,000
Unamortized premium/discount	17,080,448
Unamortized bond issuance costs	<u>(2,058,485)</u>
Fixed rate obligations outstanding	<u>\$ 257,716,963</u>

Interest Rate Swap Agreements

As part of a strategy to manage the College's debt position over time and decrease variable rate risk, the College entered into an interest rate swap agreement in February 2006 in which the College pays a fixed rate, 3.514%, in exchange for receiving a variable rate which is indexed to the Secured Overnight Financing Rate (SOFR) and calculated on a notional amount of \$57,600,000. The difference between the fixed interest rate and the variable interest rate is settled on a quarterly basis. The agreement terminates in February 2026.

At the time the 2010 bonds were issued, which refunded the College's variable rate bonds with fixed rate bonds, it would have cost the College approximately \$5,700,000 to terminate the 2006 swap agreement. The College entered into a second interest rate swap agreement which is the reverse of the February 2006 swap. Under the terms of this agreement, the College pays a variable rate indexed to SOFR and receives a fixed payment of 2.67% on a notional amount of \$57,600,000. This agreement also terminates in February 2026 and effectively finances the \$5,700,000 over the remaining life of the initial swap agreement.

At June 30, 2025 and 2024, the net value of the swap agreements was a liability of \$332,868 and \$724,657, respectively. For the fiscal years ended June 30, 2025 and 2024, the College's interest expense was increased by \$417,780 as a result of the interest rate swaps.

Note 9. Net Assets

Net assets without donor restrictions include funds functioning as endowment, as designated by the Board of Trustees, amounting to \$281,474,924 and \$278,239,509 at June 30, 2025 and 2024, respectively, which are subject to the College's investment and spending policies as described in Note 3.

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Note 9. Net Assets (Continued)

Net assets with donor restrictions were restricted as follows at June 30:

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Net assets with donor restrictions		
Net assets subject to time restrictions:		
Pledges receivable restricted to capital or program	\$ 5,733,354	\$ 7,570,681
Net assets subject to purpose restrictions:		
Faculty and academic support	5,152,281	5,391,438
Student programs	1,284,320	667,261
Scholarships, prizes and awards	849,639	1,631,681
Plant improvements	42,557,046	73,687,956
Other programs	3,587,604	1,853,682
Total net assets subject to purpose restrictions	<u>53,430,890</u>	<u>83,232,018</u>
Net assets subject to spending policy and appropriation:		
Original gift amount	272,641,615	251,751,897
Pledges receivable restricted for endowment	15,050,067	16,263,335
Accumulated earnings	<u>135,354,306</u>	<u>105,028,264</u>
Total net assets subject to spending policy and appropriation	423,045,988	373,043,496
Net assets not subject to spending policy:		
Beneficial interest in trusts restricted in perpetuity	4,133,300	3,505,433
Beneficial interest in trusts held by others restricted in perpetuity	3,813,239	3,524,673
Beneficial interest in trusts	1,718,642	1,532,796
Loan funds	<u>11,127,749</u>	<u>10,462,195</u>
Total net assets not subject to spending policy	<u>20,792,930</u>	<u>19,025,097</u>
Total net assets with donor restrictions	<u>\$ 503,003,162</u>	<u>\$ 482,871,292</u>

Restricted net assets released from restrictions for the years ended June 30 were as follows:

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Restricted net assets released		
Faculty and academic support	\$ 6,348,095	\$ 6,769,855
Student programs	648,847	636,102
Scholarships, prizes and awards	7,758,494	6,633,472
Plant improvements	39,118,316	5,207,104
Other programs	2,982,070	2,182,087
Gifts pending donor designation	<u>-</u>	<u>7,500</u>
Total restricted net assets released	<u>\$ 56,855,822</u>	<u>\$ 21,436,120</u>

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Note 10. Liquidity and Availability of Financial Assets

The College regularly monitors liquidity required to meet its operating needs. The College has various sources of liquidity including cash and cash equivalents and investments. In addition to financial assets available to meet general expenditures over the next 12 months, the College strives to operate within a balanced budget and anticipates collecting revenues and using internal contingency funds sufficient to cover operating expenses. The College receives contributions restricted by donors, and considers contributions restricted for programs which are ongoing, major and central to its annual operations to be available to meet cash needs for general expenditures.

The College manages its financial assets available to meet general expenditures by operating within a prudent range of financial soundness and stability, maintaining adequate liquid assets and maintaining sufficient reserves to provide that future opportunities of a long-term nature can be acted upon. The College forecasts its future cash flows and monitors its liquidity and reserves on a routine basis. As described in Note 5, the College has a line of credit available for additional liquidity needs in short-term, emergency circumstances.

Financial assets available for general expenditure, that is without donor or other restrictions limiting their use, within one year comprise the following:

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 25,851,796	\$ 41,847,152
Investments	691,266,777	631,255,485
Accounts and interest receivable	6,033,928	5,533,213
Present value of pledges receivable	20,783,421	23,834,016
Loans receivable	3,545,393	3,797,142
Interests in charitable trusts	<u>3,813,239</u>	<u>3,524,673</u>
Total financial assets	751,294,554	709,791,681
Less assets not available for general expenditure within one year:		
Pledges receivable due greater than one year or restricted to long-term purposes	(17,099,020)	(19,043,167)
Cash restricted by donor for long-term purposes	(1,582,441)	(1,943,014)
Revolving loan funds not available for general expenditure	(3,545,393)	(3,797,142)
Interests in charitable trusts, net of anticipated distributions	(3,725,478)	(3,439,498)
Donor-restricted endowment funds	(407,995,921)	(356,780,161)
Cash and investments designated by the Board for long-term investment	(281,474,924)	(278,239,509)
Add approved appropriations from donor and board designated funds	<u>34,038,926</u>	<u>27,128,462</u>
Financial assets available for general expenditure within one year	<u>\$ 69,910,303</u>	<u>\$ 73,677,652</u>

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Note 11. Our Path Forward

In September 2017, the College received a \$75 million gift from an anonymous donor as part of the Our Path Forward campaign. This gift will be used to support the College's academic programs. Three major priorities for the original \$300 million comprehensive campaign include fundraising for endowed scholarships and professorships; support for internship and research opportunities, community-engaged learning and off-campus study; and increased capacity to adapt the College's campus for more innovative and collaborative learning and teaching. As part of the campaign, the West Quad Project will be a hub for 21st century learning and teaching and will allow the College to make significant progress toward a more physically accessible campus.

Coming during one of the most challenging times in memory, the generosity of 17,947 alumni, parents and friends has propelled the Our Path Forward campaign past its \$300 million goal five months ahead of schedule. The Our Path Forward to the Bicentennial campaign goal was then increased to \$500 million with a renewed emphasis on scholarships and financial aid.

The Our Path Forward to the Bicentennial campaign concluded on June 30, 2024 with \$532 million in gifts and commitments from 22,886 donors.

In January 2021, an anonymous donor verbally committed \$100 million to help fund construction of three apartment-style residence halls on South Campus, each with room for just over 100 students. As of June 30, 2024, the College has received \$72 million towards the gift and, therefore, \$28 million of the gift has not met the College's criteria to be recorded as revenue.