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**2010 ANNUAL REPORT**



*"If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more, you are a leader." -John Quincy Adams*

More than eighteen years ago when the first group of community leaders pursued the idea of a Cass County Community Foundation, I am sure there were some who did not believe it could be accomplished. During the years that followed and thanks to the actions of those first visionary board members, our Cass County Community Foundation has flourished. It has, in many ways, been built on the ideals of John Quincy Adams: **dream, learn, do, become.**

As a group of servant leaders, we **dream** of ways to create a better community in Cass County where people want to live, work and raise families. We are constantly **learning** from our donors, grantees, and community partners what is needed to move those dreams to accomplishments. We are actively engaged in **doing** the work that needs to be done and understand that even the best plans without action are meaningless. We are constantly evaluating and working hard to push ourselves and our partners to **become** better today than we were yesterday. This is our philosophy and it guides us as we work together to create the community we all want to call home.

*Deanna Crispen*



When I was approached about accepting a position on the board of directors of the Community Foundation, I gave the decision a great deal of thought before saying yes. It wasn't that I was hesitant to give something back to our community; it was more a matter of figuring out how I could make a difference. I accepted the opportunity at CCCF and in 2010 served as President of an organization that truly has leadership for the entire county. Our board is comprised of everyday people, just like you who care deeply about our community and its future. They are doctors, lawyers, farmers, educators, business people and bankers, just like me. They are men, women, young, and young at heart, those with families and some who live alone. Together, in the past year, we have been able to work alongside each other in many areas of the county to fulfill our mission and help create a better place for those who follow. My time on the board has shown me that our community has a tremendous desire and willingness to give. I thank you for your support of our efforts and hope you will continue to support the excellent work at CCCF.

*Jesse Robinson*



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The Community Foundation recognizes these remarkable volunteers for their selfless giving spirit in keeping the Foundation's dreams alive.

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## MARJORIE KIME MEDICAL ENDOWMENT SCHOLARSHIP

What in the world would inspire a person to leave almost their entire estate to fund an education for students they will never meet or know? For Marjorie Kime, the answer was simple: she wanted students at Caston High School to have the financial encouragement to go to college and become doctors and nurses.

Ms. Kime, a lifelong resident of the Caston area, was actually born on her family farm east of Twelve Mile. During her lifetime she worked for several local newspapers and as a nurse's aide at Memorial Hospital and had aspirations of becoming a nurse herself. She volunteered for local 4-H clubs and after the death of her father was left to operate the family business, Kime's Nursery. Marjorie though never forgot about her dream to be a nurse and her last wish was to establish the Marjorie Kime Medical Scholarship for Caston High School.

Marjorie's inspiring gift of almost \$500,000 was announced during the CCCF Caston food drive and the crowd of football fans fell momentarily silent as they realized the size and impact of her generous gift. The Kime Scholarship will initially provide a \$10,000 annual scholarship to be paid out over four years to a Caston student, with the first award announced in 2011. Students must be studying to become a nurse or medical doctor. It is hoped that the students receiving the Kime Scholarships will someday come back and practice in Cass County.



## KRISTOPHER FISHER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

It may appear to some that it is somewhat incongruent that a student who was so passionate about music, theater and performance would decide enlist in the US Navy, but it was also Kristopher Fisher's passion to make his voice heard in another way. He had a deep love of country and was driven to make a difference with all of his talents.

As a student at Logansport High School, Kris was especially known and loved for his active participation in music and theatre. He was a member of the Logansport Children's Choir, Chamber Choir, freshman choir and the Logansport High School Swing Choir. For six years he was also a member of the All State Honor Choir.

After graduating in the class of 2008 at Logansport High School, Kristopher joined the Navy. He was a Seaman Apprentice and a specialist in naval intelligence, stationed at U.S. Navy's Dam

Neck Training Center in Virginia Beach, Va., when he was tragically killed in an accident on May 7, 2010.

As his family struggled to find meaning in the loss of their son, the conversation always lead back to Kristopher's love of music and performing arts and soon plans were underway to establish a scholarship in his memory. The Kristopher Fisher Memorial Scholarship at CCCF honors his memory and will recognize and assist those students who share his love of performing arts.



## DANIEL BARRETT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

When bad things happen, we sometimes struggle to understand, to make sense of things that seem to be beyond our ability to understand. When Daniel Barrett lost his life in an automobile accident near Rochester on January 27, 2008, his family and friends were immersed in grief. Daniel, an Indiana State Police Trooper, had only been with the State Police for six months pursuing his dream of helping people. At approximately 10:45 pm that night, while attempting to catch up to a speeding motorist, his patrol car left the roadway and struck a tree on the driver's door. His injuries were fatal.

Daniel was only 26 years old and had his whole life ahead of him. He loved hunting, fishing, riding four-wheelers, and all outside activities. He was fluent in Spanish, a writer, painter, and a friend to those in need. His friends would describe him as charitable and good-hearted. It is no surprise then that as the family searched for a tangible way to remember Daniel, giving back became a priority.

In 2010, Daniel's brother, Matthew founded the Daniel Barrett Memorial Scholarship as a lasting tribute to his brother. In establishing the award, Matthew said it was not only to honor Trooper

Barrett's memory, but to also encourage the high level of dedication, commitment and bravery in a student, particularly those wishing to study criminal justice like Trooper Barrett.

The selection of the scholarship will be based on a student who displays many of the same qualities and attributes as Daniel. Applying students are asked to write an essay about their own special qualities and attributes and how those will enhance their chosen career.

We hope that students who receive this award will understand the love behind the gift and use their talents, like Daniel did, to make our community a better place to live.



# CARING

## FOOTBALL FOOD DRIVES

Fall in Indiana means time for high school football! Local rivalries are fierce as teams and fans anticipate the season and heated competition! There is one thing they all agree on: no one in Cass County should ever go hungry. To help our local agencies and food banks meet their growing needs, CCCF once again partnered with local high schools to host our annual "Football Food Drives!"

Football fans of all ages poured through the gates at Lewis Cass with their food or monetary donations in hand for the opening game of the season. The competition was fierce and fans choose the Pioneer black and gold rally towels or the red and blue of Cass. We were also at the West Central at Caston game where participating fans loaded the trucks and received a souvenir Comet rally towel in return for their contribution.

The food drives at the games provide a fun way to support your favorite team and school and to care about those less fortunate by donating food. All food and monetary proceeds benefited Emmaus Mission Center, the food bank at United Methodist Church in Royal Center or the food bank in Walton area.



# PROACTIVE

## FIGHTING GRAFFITI AND FINDING FRIENDS

As our community has grown in its diversity and the world has become more of a global marketplace, there are often opportunities for the Community Foundation to be a partner and encourage the exploration of new ways to build relationships.

We are pleased to once again sponsor the Diversity Club at Logansport High School. This organization works with the Family Opportunity Center to combat graffiti in our community and gives students the opportunity to be role models of good citizenship no matter what their ethnic background. The club also sponsors events and projects at LHS to promote understanding between diverse groups of students. Thanks to school sponsor, Joe Ness, Dean of Students, for assisting us in reaching out to this group.



We are also pleased to partner with other local government and business leaders to occasionally host International visitors. A visit of business and education leaders from China in October gave us an opportunity to share the resources and opportunities that our community boasts. We understand that as the world becomes more connected through technology, our relationships with global partners will play a significant role in the success of our community.



## A GREAT FIT: G.L.O.V.E. PROGRAM

It seemed it was almost a perfect storm brewing. The sluggish national economy and our own community's struggle with unemployment had set the stage for some very difficult times. During the spring of 2010, many local non-profits who were already operating on a shoestring faced declining sources of revenue at a time while the demand for their services was dramatically increasing. At the same time they were facing more budget cuts, reductions in staff, hours, and most importantly donations. Their ability to continue to provide desperately needed services was in jeopardy.

Switch focus to our college students who would be coming home soon. Due to the struggling job market many college students returning home for the summer were going to find summer jobs were non-existent. With layoffs and downsizing many local factories who in good times would hire students for the summer found themselves unable to hire a college student temporarily when their full time people were still laid off.

CCCF responded by working with the local nonprofits and initiated a creative program to address these very urgent needs: the G.L.O.V.E. Program. GLOVE, an acronym for Growing Local Opportunities for Volunteer Experiences was designed to give college students returning home for the summer a chance to earn a scholarship after completing at least 100 hours of volunteer service at local nonprofits in Cass County.

At the end of the summer, nine

students received \$1,000 scholarships for their participation and completion of the program. The students volunteered at organizations such as the YMCA, Emmaus Mission, Memorial Hospital, The Salvation Army, and AIM Park.

The Community Foundation believes this opportunity to promote volunteerism is win-win-win. Local organizations received the advantage of some very bright college student volunteers for the summer. The students received an opportunity to know the joy of giving back as well as gaining practical experience and contacts for their future careers and they had the chance to apply and receive a scholarship to help them meet the high costs of education.

Responding to community needs is just one of the many ways CCCF works to create the community we all want.





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# EDUCATING

## DEVELOPING COMMUNITY LEADERS

In response to the needs of the nonprofit organizations in our community, The Cass County Community Foundation sponsored a series of four free workshops for community leaders who volunteer within the nonprofit sector. Each workshop offered a unique topic with a nationally known presenter. Over forty people representing more than two dozen nonprofit organizations in Cass County attended these free workshops.

The goals of the series were 1) to increase capacity and community leadership of nonprofits within Cass County, 2) to provide participants with tools and ongoing education for establishing best nonprofit practices for lasting community influence, and 3) to enhance the ability of nonprofit boards to engage and communicate in a purposeful way for community projects and impact.

The first workshop was held on September 23 at the Cass County 4-H Fairgrounds Community Center. The afternoon featured Kent Dove, one of America's most successful fundraising practitioners and author of the

widely acclaimed Dove on Fundraising series, and Curtis R. Simic, President Emeritus of the Indiana University Foundation. Mr. Dove and Mr. Simic covered the topic of "Fund Raising for Good".

The second workshop was held on October 26, and featured Philip Purcell, Vice President for Planned Giving & Endowment Stewardship, Ball State University Foundation, who presented the program on "Legal and Ethical Issues".



"Board Roles and Responsibilities" presented by Helen Monroe, President of Endowment Development Institute, was the third workshop, held on November 10.

The final workshop on December 1st - entitled "Accounting, Fiscal Responsibility and Audits" featured Shannon Borden and Mike Gricius, Senior Audit Team, Blue & Company. This workshop was held at the Ivy Tech Community Room.

Organizations meeting specific CCCF criteria for representation at these sessions received CCCF mini-grants of \$500 each to help them implement the ideas gained from the sessions as well as to offset any expense from their members or staff's attendance.



Every year CCCF marks Valentine's Day with our signature fundraiser: Give Your Heart to the Community Foundation serenades. For a \$100 donation, local singers accompanied by guitarist Mike McCord visit area businesses, nursing facilities and loved one's homes singing traditional love songs and some newer, original arrangements. The day is long but the smiles and tears are always worth the effort and the gift of love shared is remembered for years. In addition to the serenades, CCCF also sponsors the fifth grade "Give Your Heart" essay contest and the awards the "Biggest Heart".



**2010 "GIVE YOUR HEART" ESSAY CONTEST WINNERS**

**1<sup>st</sup> place**  
**Cassia Scagnoli**

**2<sup>nd</sup> place**  
**Zoe Heishman**

**ALL SAINTS**

"Even though you might think it's hard, it's not hard when you're having fun while you're doing it."  
 – Cassia Scagnoli, All Saints

"I love to help the community. It gives me a good feeling and I am sure other people get that feeling too. I think it's wonderful to help the community and everyone should. Its amazing what people can do."  
 – Zoe Heishman, All Saints

"When my kids grow up I will tell them to help support their community."  
 – Joe Sell, Columbia

"When I help my community, I am giving it my heart. That means I am trying to make it a better place to live."  
 – Briannah Rohrabough, Columbia

**1<sup>st</sup> place**  
**Joe Sell**

**2<sup>nd</sup> place**  
**Brianna Rohrabough**

**COLUMBIA ELEMENTARY**

**1<sup>st</sup> place**  
**Adrianna Dague**

**2<sup>nd</sup> place**  
**Dalea Hubenthal**

**CASTON ELEMENTARY**

"The key to giving back to your community is finding something you like to do and share your talents with others. The great thing about helping others is the ripple effect it has on the whole community. It is like a pebble that is tossed into a pond. The initial act grows bigger and bigger as it goes outward. Now is the time we all step up and be that pebble."  
 – Adrianna Dague, Caston

"I have always thought that Cass County was the best community in the United States."  
 – Dalea Hubenthal, Caston

"I really like helping people that are less fortunate than I am. That is how I give my heart to Cass County."  
 – Nita Melton, Franklin

"This is how we can give our hearts to the community. We can go to a nursing home and spend time with the patients. We could listen to some great stories about their adventures in life. We could also tell them stories about our lives so far."  
 – Kelsie Ellington, Franklin

**1<sup>st</sup> place**  
**Nita Melton**

**2<sup>nd</sup> place**  
**Kelsie Ellington & Carlos Estrada (tie)**

**FRANKLIN ELEMENTARY**



**1<sup>st</sup> place**  
**Jesse Stokes**

**2<sup>nd</sup> place**  
**Lake Sabatini**

**LANDIS ELEMENTARY**

"If you want to give your heart to your community you can't make it all about you. It needs to be about other people too."  
 – Jesse Stokes, Landis

"Giving my heart to the community means that you should give some of your time to help the old people for no money or start a can food drive for all the people that can't afford food."  
 – Lake Sabatini, Landis



"You have to care and respect your community to make it better. Respect everyone around you. You don't have to like them, but still need to care and respect them."  
 – Kassi Hardy, Thompson

**1<sup>st</sup> place**  
**Kassi Hardy**

**2<sup>nd</sup> place**  
**Megan Jones**

**THOMPSON ELEMENTARY**

"Your community is not a community. It is an everlasting friendship."  
 – Megan Joes, Thompson

## BIGGEST HEART IN CASS COUNTY

Coach Jerry Hoover was officially named in February 2010 as recipient of the "Biggest Heart in Cass County". Hoover, nominated by his girls basketball team, was unable to accept the award at the time after undergoing heart surgery and missing the final games of the season. Finally in April, surrounded by his LHS basketball team, the beloved coach, now fully recovered, was finally able to accept his award.

The award, normally presented during the CCCF "Give Your Heart Campaign" is presented to a Cass County citizen who exemplifies through their life and actions what it means to give your heart to make the community a better place for all.

The nomination letter submitted and signed by the whole team read: "Coach Jerry Hoover has always had the biggest heart. When he first came to Logansport as the new girl's basketball coach, his goal was to improve the program. He did just that. Over the past few years Logansport has become one of the top girl's basketball teams in the state. All of the credit goes to coach Hoover. Summer after summer coach has allowed us to come to his

D-One camps in Fort Wayne. Those enduring, tough camps have really molded us into the players we are."

The nomination continued and stated, "Along with the camp opportunities, he has also taught us much about life and keeping our priorities straight. He gives girls, regardless of skill, the chance to part of the team."

Congratulations Coach Hoover for the award and for giving your heart to our community through your work with these great student athletes.



**1<sup>st</sup> place**  
**Lisa Rider**  
**GALVESTON ELEMENTARY**

"It's good to help the Earth because it's where we live and will only live forever."

– Lisa Rider, Galveston

**2<sup>nd</sup> place**  
**Sydney Combs**  
**GALVESTON ELEMENTARY**

"I'm glad that my community has a heart to volunteer for things like softball."

– Sydney Combs, Galveston

"To give my heart to the community is to do something kind and expect nothing in return!"

– Brandt McClain, Pioneer

"Helping out is a great feeling, and you know you've done a good deed after you've done it. So the next time you see someone or something in need, go up and ask if they need help, or just do it anyway."

– Brandilyn Sholty, Pioneer

**1<sup>st</sup> place**  
**Brandt McClain**  
**PIONEER ELEMENTARY**

**2<sup>nd</sup> place**  
**Brandilyn Sholty**  
**PIONEER ELEMENTARY**

"Giving your heart to the community means taking responsibility for you and others."

– Janette Sanchez, Fairview

**1<sup>st</sup> place**  
**Janette Sanchez**  
**FAIRVIEW ELEMENTARY**

**2<sup>nd</sup> place**  
**Alex Jones**  
**FAIRVIEW ELEMENTARY**

"We have a spectacular community, but it could be MUCH better! We have two wonderful rivers in our community. The problem is some people in our community don't think before they do things. So, next time you see somebody throwing garbage or other bad things in our river tell them where that garbage or other bad stuff goes."

– Alex Jones, Fairview





## 2010 LILLY ENDOWMENT COMMUNITY SCHOLARS

For two Cass County young women, believing in themselves and their dreams became a reality when they were announced as the 2010 Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship recipients. Sarah Cahalan and Susie Cox both of Logansport High School believed they were great candidates for the Lilly Scholarships when they applied but understood the competition was intense and there many qualified applicants. Both girls had worked diligently throughout their high school academic careers and participated in many activities; but still, it was almost more than they could imagine.

The competition was narrowed down from almost 30 applicants to six finalists. Sarah and Susie were joined in the group of six finalists by Ryan Bice and Evan Daily, of Pioneer High School, and Bryce Fawcett and Brett Davis, of Logansport High School.

The finalist interviews and essay were the last hurdles for the two outstanding young women and after months and years of effort, Sarah and Susie were surprised at LHS by CCCF Board President Jesse Robinson and their parents in late March to advise them of their award!

Sarah is the daughter of Tim and Susan Cahalan. She was a National Merit semifinalist, secretary of Student Council, a member of

the National Honor Society, Key Club, Student Rotarian, Show Choir and LHS speech team, where she has been a state qualifier. Sara is also involved in the community and state through 4-H, All Saints Church, the Hugh O'Brien Youth Seminar, Lugar Symposium and All-State Honor Choir.

Sarah will attend the University of Notre Dame where she will major in English in their honors program. She wants to work in publishing as a book editor.

Susie is the daughter of Douglas and Deborah Cox. She plans to enter Butler University's six-year pharmacy program so one day she can go into research to further developments in medication.

She was senior class president, vice president of the student council, a member of National Honor Society, vice president of Key Club and a member of Thespians, S.A.D.D., Sub Debs, speech and many other organizations. Susie was a three-year member of the Academic Super Bowl team, performed in school musicals throughout her high school career and as a vocalist with the Logansport Children's Choir. She participated at the state level as a Hoosier Girls State delegate, Lugar Leadership Symposium, Thespian finalist and 4-H Award winner in server categories.



## RECOGNIZING ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

Each year as part of the process in selecting the Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship recipients, the committee also names a small, select group of finalists. The finalists selected truly represent the most-qualified, college-bound seniors in Cass County. They are selected based solely on the criteria, which include academic ability, achievements, activities and citizenship.

At our annual Lilly Banquet the recipients, finalists and their families are recognized along with all past Lilly Scholars and families. This year's banquet was held at Desert First and featured entertainment by Al Rodriquez and special keynote speaker Rick Gunyon, Global Process Manager for Eli Lilly Company. We are proud of the outstanding achievements of this group of students and are certain that they will represent their schools and Cass County well wherever they may go.



## 2010 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

### Back Home Again in Indiana

Misty A. Biggs  
 Theresa Dexter  
 Michael A. Fry Jr.  
 Robert D. Gordon  
 Angela M. Jones  
 Amber D. Jordan  
 Randi Wecht

### Lionel Billman Memorial Scholarship

Glorisel Cruz-Logansport High School

### Blank Family Memorial Scholarship

Heather Smith-Pioneer High School

### Irma D. Bowyer Trust Scholarship

Kathleen Johnson-Lewis Cass High School

### Florence R. Buchanan Scholarship

Andrea Godoy-Logansport High School

### Richard W. Cassidy, Jr Scholarship

Nikolas Dusty Jones-Lewis Cass High School

### Cass County Memorial 4-H Scholarship

Kadee Dollar-Lewis Cass High School  
 Katelyn McKaig-Pioneer High School



### Frank and Rhoda Cook Education Scholarship

Danika Espinoza-Logansport High School  
 Ashley Hettinger -Logansport High School  
 Haleigh Johnson-Logansport High School  
 Jessica Record-Logansport High School  
 Robert Shepard-Logansport High School



### Kylan Ashlan Costello Memorial Scholarship

Austin Ault-Caston High School  
 David Hayden-Logansport High School

### Leo Crowe Scholarship

Anthony Bartling-Pioneer High School

### Al Dunn Memorial Scholarship

Tiffany Preston-Logansport High School

### William A. Frushour and Valerie M. Frushour Scholarship

Lauren Tam-Caston High School

### Gangloff Industries, Inc. Scholarship

Kadee Dollar-Lewis Cass High School  
 Jacob McCord-Logansport High School  
 Katelyn McKaig-Pioneer High School  
 Amanda Ousley-North Miami High School  
 Caleb T. Siders-Caston High School



### Richard W Gohl Track and Field Award Trust Scholarship

Morgan Brown-Logansport High School

### William C. and Margie L. Grusenmeyer Family Scholarship

Zaida Franco-Logansport High School

### Bernard R. and Frances E. Hall Scholarship

Matthew Metz-Logansport High School

### Bernard R. and Frances E. Hall County-Wide Scholarship

Glorisel Cruz-Logansport High School

### Bonnie L. Heckard Memorial Scholarship Fund

Baleigh Deitrich-Logansport High School

### Charles W. and Phyllis J. Kingery Scholarship

Austin Ault-Caston High School  
 Amanda K. Johnson-Pioneer High School



### Lewis Cass Scholarship

Adam Boyd-Lewis Cass High School  
 Cole Maxwell-Lewis Cass High School  
 Sarah Robertson-Lewis Cass High School

### Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship Recipients

Sarah Cahalan-Logansport High School  
 Susannah Cox-Logansport High School

### Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship Finalists

Ryan Bice-Pioneer High School  
 Evan Daily-Pioneer High School  
 Brett Davis-Logansport High School  
 Bryce Fawcett-Logansport High School



### Logan City Ice/Heckard Family Scholarship

Cameron Hamilton-Logansport High School

### Logansport High School Class of 1973 Scholarship

Dustin Reeser-Logansport High School

### Logansport Roosters Shawn Hensel Scholarship

Alison Senesac-Logansport High School

### John A. Marocco Memorial Scholarship

Ashley Hettinger-Logansport High School

### Clifford & Esta McKee Scholarship

Amanda K. Johnson-Pioneer High School



**Dorothy Moore Scholarship**  
Haleigh Johnson-Logansport High School

**Morris Family Logansport High School Traditional Scholarship**  
Julia Peattie-Logansport High School

**Morris Family Vocational Pass Through Scholarship**  
Ashley Knepper-Logansport High School

**Sue Moser Memorial Pass-Through Scholarship**  
Brittany Shidler-Pioneer High School

**Tamzen Myers Memorial Scholarship**  
Heather Smith-Pioneer High School

**Joe Patacsil Scholarship**  
Kegan Clark-Sanchez-Logansport High School

**Al and Ruth Pettit Basketball Scholarship**  
Jordan McGuire-Logansport High School



**Pioneer High School Scholarship**  
Tiana Babb-Pioneer High School  
Ryan Bice-Pioneer High School-Pioneer High School

**Max Quirk Family Scholarship in Memory of Birtie and Patricia**  
Jade Sarver-Lewis Cass High School

**Roberts-Gaal Family Scholarship**  
Stephanie Spencer-Logansport High School



**Frederick A. Sabatini Scholarship**  
Haleigh Johnson-Logansport High School

**Mary E. Sanderson Scholarship**  
Morgan Brown-Logansport High School  
Brett Davis-Logansport High School  
Madeleine Jay-Lewis Cass High School  
James Laing-Caston High School  
Brett Larimore-Pioneer High School  
Jacob McCord-Logansport High School  
Heather Smith-Pioneer High School  
Andrew Troutman-Lewis Cass High School  
Hannah Woodward-Logansport High School  
Steven Wright-Lewis Cass High School

**Brad Scott Memorial Scholarship**  
Cole Maxwell-Lewis Cass High School

**William Sellers Memorial Scholarship**  
Tyler Raisor-Logansport High School

**Oris Shanks Scholarship**  
Matthew Reichart-Caston High School



**Theda and Kenneth Sheetz Scholarship**  
Brynn Stewart-Lewis Cass High School

**Harriet L. and Glen R. Thompson Music Scholarship**  
Cameron Howell-Caston High School

**Kassandra M. Todd Memorial Scholarship**  
Miranda Piercy-Lewis Cass High School

**Frank E. Tolbert Prize in Public Speaking**  
Susannah D. Cox-Logansport High School

**Andrew Vermeersch Memorial Scholarship**  
Evan Daily-Pioneer High School

**Kandy Greer Vermeersch Memorial Scholarship**  
Kadee Dollar-Lewis Cass High School  
Sarah Robertson-Lewis Cass High School

**Tony Vesh Scholarship**  
Molly Williams-Logansport High School

**Mark Wolfe Scholarship**  
Gabrielle McIntire-Logansport High School

**G.L.O.V.E. Scholarship**  
Jessika D. Balasa  
April L. Daugherty  
Audrey J. Deitrich  
Brittany N. Jacobs  
Christopher M. Jacobs  
Jacob R. Peattie  
Caroline G. Sholty  
Jaclyn Slusher  
Danielle C. Whitlock



## 2010 COMMUNITY GRANT RECIPIENTS

Sharing resources with the community is the heart of our mission. Whether it is sharing our knowledge and expertise, providing leadership or improving the community and our local nonprofits through grants, the sharing of resources helps all of us in creating the community we want.

On August 26, 2010 CCCF awarded ten competitive community grants totaling over \$89,000. Funding for the community grants is made available through the generosity of donors to CCCF's unrestricted endowments. Anyone can make a gift to the unrestricted funds and share in the joy of building the community we want. The projects funded are listed below and will benefit our community for many years to come.



**ORGANIZATION**

- The Salvation Army
- Galveston Fire Department
- Logans Landing & Cass/  
Pulaski Comm. Corrections
- Lucerne Lions Club
- Logansport High School Music Boosters
- Royal Center Volunteer Fire Department
- Logansport Youth Baseball
- Emmaus Mission Center
- Walton Main Street Organization  
& Friends of Walton Library
- Grissom Air Museum

**PROJECT**

- Alarm system and ADA standard restrooms for new building
- Equipment Modernization
- Greenhouse and planter projects for downtown Logansport
- Basketball court in Lucerne Park
- Percussion Replacement
- Emergency Generator
- Safety Netting
- Complete Audit
- Equipment for Wi-Fi Service for Walton
- Paved trail around outside displays

## **FUNDS**

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### **UNRESTRICTED FUNDS**

Grusenmeyer Family Unrestricted Endowment  
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 Bill and Flo Edson Unrestricted Endowment  
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Jack and Mary Regan Fine Arts Award Endowment  
 Steinberger Construction Charitable Fund  
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 Welsh Family Endowment  
 The Kroeger Family Endowment  
 Duesterberg Memorial Family Endowment  
 Denham Family Endowment  
 Chapman Family Endowment  
 Security Federal Savings Bank Endowment  
 Platte Youth Philanthropy Endowment  
 Baker Family Endowment

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Cass County 4-H International Exchange Program Fund  
 Weekday Religious Education of Cass & Fulton Counties Endowment Fund  
 The AIM Endowment Fund  
 Cass County Reading Railroad Endowment  
 Mabel E. Patty Endowment

Tom Morris Family Endowment  
 Libby Hillis Tuthill Endowment  
 LAA Sydor Operating Expense Endowment  
 Michael A. Wolfe Endowment  
 Cass County Humane Society Endowment  
 Paul and Helen Young Endowment  
 Betty Scagnoli Memorial Woodlawn Center Endowment  
 LCSC Educational Enhancement Endowment  
 Edwin H. Becker Family Endowment for Cass County Family Y  
 Edwin H. Becker Family Endowment for Culver Education Foundation  
 Edwin H. Becker Family Endowment for First United Methodist Church  
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 Little Turtle Waterway Plaza Maintenance Endowment  
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 Cass County Family Y Endowment  
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 Chogas Family Memorial Flower Endowment  
 Four County Counseling Endowment  
 River of Life Christian Church in Memory of Ted Ingmire Endowment  
 Cass County 4-H Association Endowment  
 Friends of All Saints School Endowment  
 Cass County Solid Waste Management District Endowment  
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 Domestic Violence Task Force of Cass County, Inc. Endowment Fund  
 CCCF Operating Endowment  
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Cass County Roosters Club Pass-Through  
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 Four County Counseling Foundation Pass-Through  
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 Logansport Professional Firefighters Local #470 Pass-Through  
 Cass County Historical Society Pass-Through  
 Weekday Religious Education Pass-Through

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 DECEMBER 31, 2010 AND 2009

<b>ASSETS</b>		
	2010	2009
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 626,745	\$ 508,445
Certificate of deposit	29,178	29,178
Investments	10,536,208	9,233,600
Property and equipment, net	21,557	25,053
Restricted investments	745,451	689,510
	\$ 11,959,139	\$ 10,485,786
 <b>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>		
Liabilities		
Accrued expenses	\$ 2,243	\$ 1,907
Custodial funds	745,451	689,510
Total liabilities	747,694	691,417
Net assets		
Unrestricted	170,576	219,495
Temporarily restricted	10,890,715	9,424,720
Permanently restricted	150,154	150,154
Total net assets	11,211,445	9,794,369
	\$ 11,959,139	\$ 10,485,786

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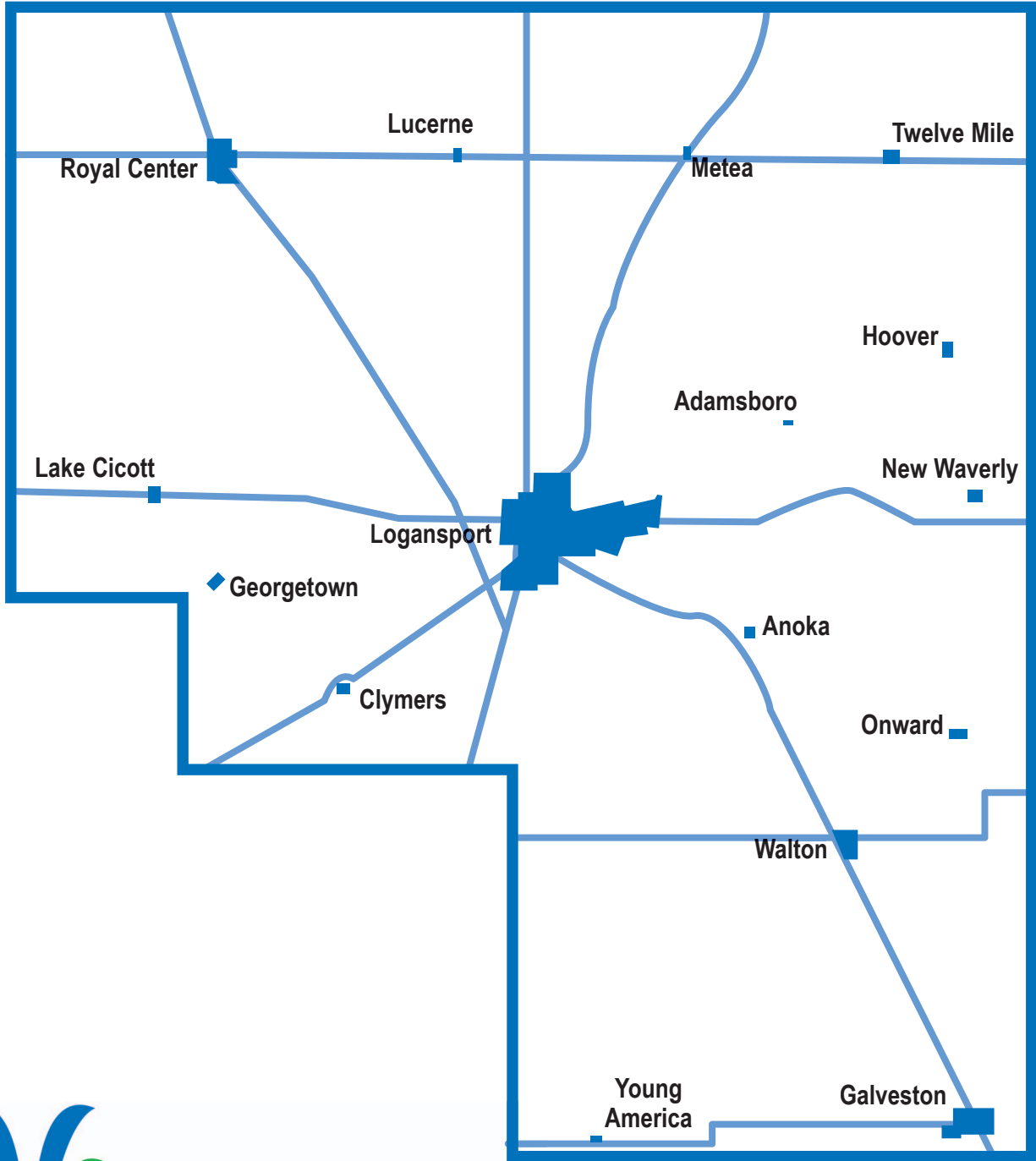
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