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# Steuben County Community Foundation

April 2013

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## Calendar:

Wednesday, April 24, 2013-  
United Way Day of Caring. For  
details see [unitedwaysteuben.org](http://unitedwaysteuben.org).

Saturday, May 11, 2013-  
Bike 101 Lakes Ride. For  
additional information visit  
[Bike 101 Lakes](#)

Wednesday, May 15, 2013-  
Steuben County Community  
Foundation Non-Profit  
Roundtable. Contact  
[Bill Stockberger](#).

Thursday, June 20, 2013-  
Steuben County Community  
Foundation Annual Meeting. Public  
invited. Call 260-665-6656 for  
additional information.

## Hello !

## Thanks to Our Donors

The Community Foundation would like to recognize and thank the following individuals, families, and organizations for their generous donations in the month of March. Your support is greatly appreciated!

### DONORS

Donations can be made online through the Donate Now button (in the side column to the left), mailed to 1701 N Wayne Street, Angola, IN, 46703, or brought into the office between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

## Lilly Endowment Community Scholar Announced

Sarah Clary, a senior at Angola High School was selected as the Steuben County Community Foundation's 2013 recipient of the Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship.

Friday, September 6, 2013- Margaritaville, the Foundation's annual fundraiser. Mark your calendar and watch for event details coming soon. If you wish to be a sponsor, contact the Community Foundation at 260-665-6656.

Saturday, October 12, 2013  
5th Annual Oaken Bucket 5K Run/2M Walk/1M Kids Event.  
[For information or to register](#)

### Did you know the Foundation has a Nonprofit Directory for Steuben County?

Visit [www.steubenfoundation.org](http://www.steubenfoundation.org) to check out the new Nonprofit Directory with over 30 organizations listed. Each listing includes the organization's mission, contact information, and needs whether it be volunteers, money, or supplies. Updates are always being made to ensure the most current and accurate information is listed, so check back often!



### Community Room Available for Non-Profit Organizations

The Steuben County Community Foundation offers local nonprofit organizations the opportunity to meet at our facility. Designed to function as a community meeting place, the Community Room is versatile enough to accommodate most small to medium sized gatherings with seating for up to 30 people, and may accommodate up to 50 if your organization chooses to bring

Sarah is the daughter of David & Julie Clary of Angola. She is the only girl in a family with two brothers, James and Nathan. Sarah has been very involved in her church, school and community, and through this involvement, has decided to pursue a degree in business with a focus on philanthropic studies at Butler University.



The number of Lilly Scholarship awards for any county is based on population size; Steuben County is allowed one recipient annually by the Lilly Endowment. Throughout Indiana, every county has a minimum of one award they are able to present.

Locally, applications are accepted from graduating seniors who are residents of Steuben County, and attend either Angola, Fremont, Hamilton or Prairie Heights High Schools.

The all volunteer review committee spent several weeks reviewing applications that had been blinded (all names and personal information removed), and selected the six finalists based on academics, school involvement, community involvement, and an essay. The six finalists then attended a workshop which gave them helpful advice to assist them as they advanced to the next review level. The final steps required the six students to write an impromptu essay, present a personal portfolio, and be interviewed by the review panel. All stages of the process are scored, and the highest combined scoring finalist is awarded the Lilly Scholarship. The remaining five finalists are awarded the Circle of Friends Scholarship.

Congratulations Sarah!

## Grant Cycles to Change Soon

Beginning July 1, 2013, the Steuben County Community Foundation will put in place their new grant cycle format, which was announced six months ago. Grants will be awarded quarterly beginning with the July 31, 2013 application deadline. Grant application deadlines for fiscal year 2013/2014 will be:

Human Services	July 31, 2013
Education	October 31, 2013
Health Care	January 31, 2014
Arts & Culture, Environment, Recreation, Community Development	April 30, 2014

Organizations who may have questions regarding the new grant cycles may wish to attend the upcoming semi-annual Non Profit Roundtable on Wednesday, May 15, 2013. The event will be held from 10:30 a.m -1:00 p.m. at 6 Autumns Restaurant in the Ramada Inn, Angola and is open to any non profit organization that is interested in attending. The main topic for this meeting will be

in extra seating. The board room is available at management's sole discretion.

To make reservations, please call the Foundation office at 260-665-6656.

For guidelines for usage and additional details [read...](#)

## United Way Community Calendar

For information on what's taking place in the non profit community, or to schedule an event, check out this useful site at [www.unitedwaysteuben.org](http://www.unitedwaysteuben.org)



The Steuben County Community Foundation now has a Notary Public on staff.

Should you have the need for a Notary, please see Sandy Ferrell, Office Manager, Mon.- Fri, 8:30 a.m.- 4:30 p.m



## Board Members

Dan Caruso, Chair  
Hope Korte, Vice Chair  
Jan Williams, Secretary  
Kevin Stoy, Treasurer  
Greg Burns  
James Burns  
Marylyn Ernsberger  
Dave Goodwin  
Sherry Holiday  
Jim Ingledue  
Phil Meyer  
Marla Toigo  
Julie Troyer  
Randy White

Internships, presented by Linda Bateman from Trine University. Lunch will be provided.

For additional detail or to make a reservation, contact [Bill Stockberger](#) at the Community Foundation at 260-665-6656. Maximum two representatives per organization please.

## IRA Charitable Rollover Benefit Has Been Extended

If you missed the opportunity to take advantage of the IRA Charitable Rollover in 2012, there is good news! Congress has extended this type of IRA distribution through 2013.

Simply defined, the IRA Charitable Rollover permits donors age 70 1/2 and older to make tax-free charitable gifts directly from their IRAs to a designated charity.

If you would like to learn more about how to take advantage of this benefit, please see [Charitable Rollovers](#).

## Humanities Fund Committee Awards Fine Arts Grants

The Community Foundation's Humanities Committee has selected eleven students to receive a 2013 Fine Arts Grant.

The purpose of the grant is to help pay tuition for middle and high school students who have an interest in attending a summer fine arts camp. Applicants may be pursuing this educational opportunity in areas such as music/voice, drama, dance, painting/drawing and creative writing. Applicants must reside in and attend a Steuben County middle or high school, show financial need, and be accepted for enrollment at a fine arts camp.

This year's recipients and camp selection are:

Karli Forte- Interlochen Fine Arts Camp  
Anna Armstrong- Interlochen Fine Arts Camp  
Janis Sarrazin- Blue Lakes Fine Arts Camp  
Emily Thompson- Blue Lakes Fine Arts Camp  
Jessica Miller- International Thespian Festival  
Andrea Tecsi- International Thespians Festival  
Caleb Carr- Interational Tespians Festival  
Joshua Jones- Interlochen Summer Arts Program  
Darius Hillman- Music For All Summer Symposium Drum Major Inst.  
Anna Wilson- Music or All Summer Symposium  
Morgan O'Beirne- Music For All Summer Symposium.

Proceeds for the Fine Arts Grants are generated in large part by money raised at the annual Bike 101 Lakes ride. This year's event is Saturday, May 11th and is a great family activity for both novices and experienced, dedicated cyclists. There are 5 measured routes for every skill level; 3.2 miles, 11.1, 36.8, 64.3 and 112.5. Each route

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Lisa, Bill, Jennifer & Sandy

allows you to see various parts of our community and beyond.

To register or for more information visit [Bike 101 Lakes](#), or call 260-665-6656.



Taken on 2012 route



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"It takes a noble person to plant a seed and grow a tree that will one day provide shade to those whom one may never meet."

Dr. Elton Trueblood, Earlham College

## Thank you!

Volunteer opportunities are always available. Please contact us if you have an interest in serving on a committee or in another capacity.

Sincerely,

Your friends at the Steuben  
County Community Foundation