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[SCCF Annual Public Meeting](#)

Thursday, July 17th, 2014

7:30 AM Breakfast at Timbers

RSVP by July 11th to

sclary@steubenfoundation.org

[F.I.S.T. Alumni Day](#)

Saturday, July 19th, 2014 at

6 Autumns Restaurant- Contact

[Pam Harger](#) for more information.

[Donor Appreciation Event with FW Philharmonic](#)

Sunday, November 2nd, 2014 at Trine

University- Contact

[Jennifer Danic](#) for more
information.

[Angola Balloons Aloft](#)

Friday July 11th through Saturday

July 12th, 2014 at the Tri-State

Steuben County Airport

SCCF is happy to be the fiscal
sponsor of this community
event. Click [here](#) for more
information.

Grant Cycle Calendar

Human
Services

July 31st

Hello !

Thank You Donors

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

[DONORS](#)

Donations can be made online through the Donate Now button, 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.

A Note from the CEO



1,000 days. One thousand. That's how long it's taken me to respond to the question: "How are you doing at your job?" Typical executives write exposes, blogs, (even books) about their first 100 days on a job, but it took me 10 times that time to figure out my response. "How am I doing at my job?" It doesn't matter what I think. Because what I'm doing at the Steuben County Community Foundation (SCCF) is a small piece of the full picture. Let me explain...[Read More!](#)

SCCF Welcomes New Fund: The Bobby Ernst Endowment Fund

On June 19, 2014, the Steuben County Community Foundation Board of Directors approved a new fund established by Fred Beck and Family in memory of his cousin, Bobby Ernst. Bobby Ernst suffered from epilepsy his entire life and was unable to hold a job, get a driver's license, or participate in other everyday activities. He lived with Fred Beck and his family and, unfortunately, was

Education October 31st
 Healthcare January 31st
 Other April 30th

[Grant Application](#)



Donor Acknowledgement Letters

Donor Acknowledgement Letters should be provided by all non-profits for contributions of \$250 or more. If a donor wishes to make a non cash contribution of \$500 or more, a receipt must be provided.

[Sample Acknowledgement Letter](#)

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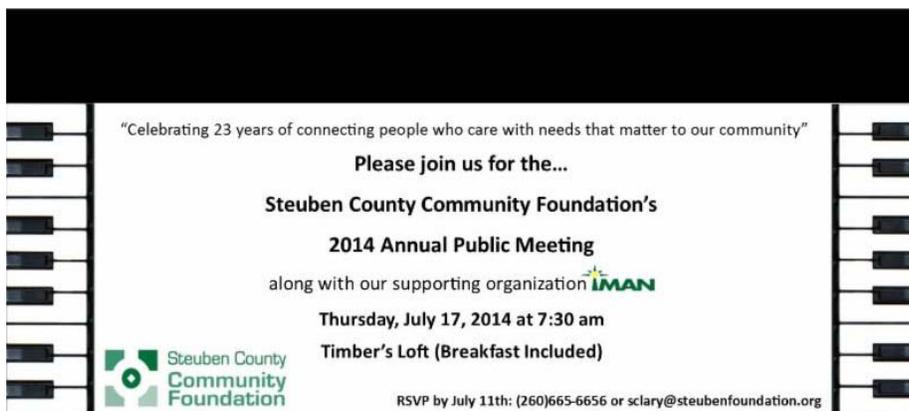


The Bobby Ernst Fund will support consumers at Rise Inc. suffering from epilepsy.

never able to live a very productive lifestyle. When Bobby Ernst died at the age of 60, Fred Beck's family received a portion of Bobby's life insurance payout. Wanting to memorialize his cousin by helping others with epilepsy, Fred Beck and his family decided to

establish a fund at the Steuben County Community Foundation. Earnings from the fund are designated to benefit [RISE Incorporated](#) in Angola, IN. RISE will utilize the annual grant to assist those affected by epilepsy through helping with the purchase equipment needed to minimize seizures in the workplace and providing opportunities to take computer, cooking, driving, and other lessons or classes. Thank you to Fred Beck and his family for helping to make a positive and lasting impact in Steuben County through establishing an endowment fund at SCCF.

2014 Annual Public Meeting of the Steuben County Community Foundation and iMan



SCCF to Host Facebook Photo Contest

The Steuben County Community Foundation announces a July Facebook Nonprofit Photo Contest! During the month of July visit the [Steuben County Community Foundation's Facebook](#) page to vote for your favorite Steuben County non-profit organization. Vote by "liking" their photo and the organization with the most votes by July 31st will win a \$1,000 grant! Non-profit organizations wishing to participate must submit a photo and a 100 word or less description of how the organization makes an impact in Steuben County. Entries will be published July 1st at 10am with the contest concluding July 31st at midnight. Contest participants must be incorporated as a 501c (3) organization. Questions? Contact Megan Stoy at mstoy@steubenfoundation.org or by calling 260-665-6656.



Welcome Summer Interns!

A grant from Lilly Endowment has provided the Steuben County Community Foundation with the

Sarah Clary
Intern

sclary@steubenfoundation.org

Megan Stoy
Intern

mstoy@steubenfoundation.org



The Steuben County Community Foundation has a Notary Public on staff. Contact [Sandy Ferrell](#) for details.

Steuben County Nonprofit Directory

Looking for a nonprofit organization to volunteer with or donate to? Check out the [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!



The [Baron Von Steuben Society](#) is based upon a donor making a provision for a specific charity or general gift through the Steuben County Community Foundation in his or her estate plans. This can be done through any of the following methods: will bequests, life-income vehicles, trusts, life insurance policies, or tax sheltered accounts (IRA, 401K). There are not any set restrictions or minimums.

If you are interested in becoming a member of the Baron von Steuben Society and creating a legacy impacting future generations, or would like further information about providing an estate

opportunity to hire two new interns for the summer. Megan Stoy and Sarah Clary are both graduates of Angola High School and both attend Butler University. Stoy will be entering her junior year majoring in Marketing and minoring in Management and Information Systems. She will mainly be working on launching the new website and assisting with the online scholarship program. Clary will be entering her sophomore year majoring in Business with a concentration on Philanthropic Studies. Her duties this summer include the monthly newsletter and the electronic grants filing system. Welcome to SCCF Ladies!



Clary and Stoy are excited about a summer at the community foundation.

FIST Seniors

Congratulations to our 3 youth pod seniors! Thank you for all you've done over the past 5 years and best wishes with your future plans!

Zoie Farnsworth
IUPUI
Neonatal Nursing



"I have had opportunities of a life time and made great memories while helping the community and growing into the philanthropist I am and hope to always be."

Jana Olson
Butler University
Business



"I would have never found my passion for volunteering if it wasn't for FIST. I'm blessed for all the opportunities that it has brought me and all my friendships it's created!"

Andrew Thomas
IUPUI
Philanthropic Studies



"I have gained all kinds of confidence. Let alone learning the specifics on how an organization works, including meetings, planning events and communicating. It hasn't just helped me choose my major but my entire life path. FIST has literally changed my life completely."

Check out the 2014 FIST Newsletter [Here](#)

Thank you for your continued support!
Donors make the dreams of Steuben County residents a reality.

Sincerely,

Your friends at the Steuben County Community Foundation



planning gift, please call or email
[Jennifer Danic](#) at (260) 665-6656.

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