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The Orange County Community Foundation Youth Council is now accepting nominations for the Golden Deeds Awards. Golden Deeds honors individuals of all ages who have gone unrecognized for great acts of kindness and service to others. Reward someone by nominating them for the Golden Deeds Award. Nomination forms are available at the Orange County Community Foundation office, Orleans Public Library, Paoli Library, and Melton Public Library. Nominations may be made through July 31, 2011 by 4pm.

Selected individuals will be honored at an awards ceremony in September organized by the OCCF Youth Council. Questions about the Golden Deeds Awards or the Recognition Ceremony should be addressed to Orange County Community Foundation (812) 723-4150.

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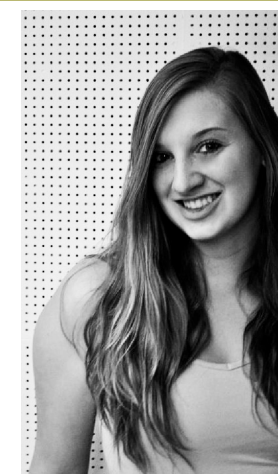
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NEW SUMMER INTERNS

Orange County Community Foundation is looking forward to spending the summer with our two new interns. Each student attends a university here in Indiana and will be a senior this coming fall.

Kelsey Roach will be a senior at the University of Southern Indiana. She is a major in Graphic Design with a minor in Advertising. Kelsey is also president of the USI Art Club and has contributed several artworks to the annual juried show at the McCutchan Art Center & Pace Gallery. Her summer goal is to help promote recycling in Orange County with the Go Green campaign.

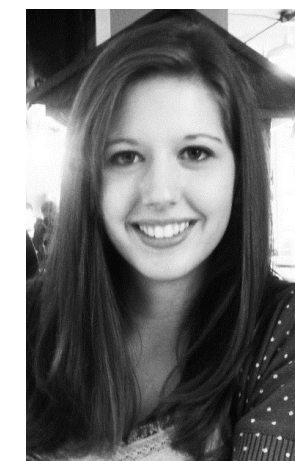
Kat Nelson will be a senior at Saint Mary's College, Notre Dame. She is an Ethno-Historical Identity and Communication major with an emphasis in Public Speaking and a Dance and Women's Studies minor. Kat is the president of Residence Hall Association and sits on the Student Government Execu-



Kat Nelson

tive Board and the Board of Trustees for Student Life. Her summer goal is to make scholarship information easier to obtain.

So far the girls have worked hard to create advertisements for the Beautiful Orange County Campaign, organize the scholarship information, come up with a logo for OCCF's 10th anniversary, have begun to create a



Kelsey Roach

website for the Youth Council, and chaperoned the end of the year Youth Council trip.

The girls have enjoyed exploring and getting to know the people of Orange County. They hope to help enhance the community through their contributions at the Foundation. Check out their video soon on our Facebook page!

NEW FUNDS

Want to know how you can help Orange County? Consider creating or contributing to funds that address an issue that matters to you. The Orange County Community Foundation is proud to announce the recent opening of

two new funds.

Memories of our Mothers (MOM) was created by the Steven Condra and Brenda Condra Cornwell families in honor of their mother and mothers-in-law. This scholarship will be available to gradu-

ating Seniors from the county, primarily in Paoli.

French Lick Artisans Group opened a new pass through fund that will encourage the display, or performance of locally talented artists.

COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

DYLAN STURGEON
Lilly Endowment Scholar

JORDAN DRAKE
Anita Bradford Art Scholarship

DAKOTA HUDELSON
Russell O. Doan Memorial
Scholarship

GRETA FARLOW
Anna Ham Scholarship

McKENZIE LASWELL
PHS Alumni Scholarship

KALEN TERRELL
Leon D. and Mary Newlin Lewis
Scholarship

PHILIP DURBIN
Newlin-Stout Scholarship

HOPE BUSICK
Arminta Sue Magner Memorial
Scholarship

TODD HAMMOND
Ray Gardner Memorial
Scholarship

TASHIA HESS
Rosetta Mae Atkinson Scholarship

HALEY STREET
Moore Family Scholarship in
Memory of
Sandra Moore Pearson

TODD HAMMOND
Justin Moon Memorial Scholarship

LACEY BRINGAR
Clarice White Bridgewater
Memorial Scholarship

KRYSTAL ECKART
Dr. Robert J. Cloud Memorial
Citizenship Award

LAUREN BERNING
George W. and Evelyn P. Sorrells
Memorial Scholarship

BEN STIDHAM
Charles and Violet Galloway
Scholarship

RILEY WIDDIFIELD
Keith Howard Memorial
Scholarship

EMILY CARNES
French Lick HS Alumni Assn.
Scholarship

KELSEY MOORE
Justin C. Mullis Memorial
Scholarship

KAITLYN SCHNEIDER
Alan Barnett Community Service
Scholarship

JADEN HINKLE
Joseph Crowder Memorial
Scholarship

JADEN HINKLE and DAVID ELY
Big Splash Adventure Scholarship

SAMANTHA THARPE
IU Paoli Hospital Foundation
Scholarship

MEGAN GUERRA
Delta Chapter Kappa Kappa Kap-
pa Scholarship in Memory of
Elinor Gardner

CHRISTINA OJEDA and AMAN-
DA EMMONS
Springs Valley Education
Foundation

LUKE WOOLSEY
James M. Thompson Memorial
Scholarship

FRED AND ETHEL CROWE EDUCATION AWARD

This year's Fred and Ethel Crowe Educator Award goes to a very special teacher, Rachel Wyatt.

When Principal Casey Brewster nominated Wyatt, he stated, "Describing this particular teacher's school involvement, community involvement, innovative ideas, cooperation and her students' achievements with common words is near impossible considering the profound effects this teacher has on her students, colleagues and our entire school community."

Rachel Wyatt serves her students, not only in the

classroom, but by overseeing the Spanish Club and Booster Club, and supporting them in after school athletic, fine art, and academic events.

Wyatt's service reaches even further than just to her students, but continues towards her fellow staff members with her creation of the Sunshine program and "The Rambler".

As the winner of this award Rachel Wyatt received \$500, to be used as she sees fit.

Past winners of the Fred and Ethel Crowe Educator Award have been Thomas

Stuckwisch (2009) and Martha Nice (2010).

The Foundation would like to congratulate Rachel Wyatt, as well as the past winners, on their many achievements in the field of education in Paoli.

CLEAN UP CAMPAIGN UPDATE

The Orange County Community Foundation continues to work on the Beautiful Orange County Campaign. The summer interns have worked hard to design an easy-to-use guide about recycling that will be available at all local banks, post offices, and the Foundation office.

An advertisement series for the local papers is also in process, along with a billboard. We ask for your support in helping Orange County go green.

One thing to mark your calendar for is the upcoming TV Amnesty Day. This day will provide a way for you to dis-



pose of your old televisions, computers and laptops properly at no expense to you. Watch local media and our website for announcement of the date for this event.

Orange County Community Foundation is also preparing to clean up another illegal

dumpsite in the French Lick area. This will be the second dumpsite that OCCF has helped eliminate, and among the many blighted areas the Cleanup Orange County group is hoping to address.

GRANT CYCLES

The Orange County Commissioners Supporting Organization is proud to announce another grant cycle, available to charitable organizations and projects in Orange County. Since its establishment in 2005, the group has funded charitable programs focusing on the arts and cultural activities, civic and historical affairs, education, recreation, health and human services, elderly and youth.

One of the primary goals of the Supporting Organization is to provide funding that will support nonprofits that address a broad range of critical needs in Orange County and offer much needed services to the county. The group does so in the hopes of making a difference and possibly changing lives of the citizens of Orange County.

Orange County organizations and agencies that are tax-exempt according to

Section 501 c 3 of the Internal Revenue Code and for-profit entities funding to charitable programs are eligible, pending review and determination by the selection committee. Population served by the program must be only within Orange County.

The Supporting Organization gives higher priority to programs which serve Orange County as a whole while reaching as many people as possible. Attracting volunteer resources and support, along with strengthening the private, non-profit sector will also be taken into consideration. Additionally, we encourage the applying program to collaborate with other organizations and address pressing and critical needs of our county.

Applications are available on the Foundation's website www.orangecountycommunityfoundation.org. Applications are also available at the Orange County Community

Foundation office, located at 112 West Water Street, Paoli.

All proposals must be submitted to the OCCF office by 4 PM on August 26, 2011.

For further information regarding the Supporting Org grant cycle, please contact Cyndi Goerres, OCCF Program Manager, at 812-723-4150 extension 102.

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on 2011 Crowe Educator
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