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KANKAKEE AREA YMCA 2013 IMPACT REPORT

# KANKAKEE AREA YMCA

## WHO WE ARE...

### MISSION

To put Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind, and body for all.

### PROMISE

Strengthening the foundations of community

### VALUES

Caring, Honesty, Respect, and Responsibility

### AREAS OF FOCUS

For Youth Development

For Healthy Living

For Social Responsibility

## CHARITY OF CHOICE

Since 1894, the Kankakee Area YMCA has been instrumental in addressing community needs. The Y is the Charity of Choice for so many because every dollar of each donation goes directly toward continuing the programs that make a difference in our community.

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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# WE'RE MORE THAN A GYM WE'RE A CAUSE

Not long ago, we asked a group of people to imagine our community without the Y. What would they miss most? What would be our community's greatest loss? They didn't mention treadmills, weights, pools, basketball/racquetball courts, sports fields or our beautiful facility that offers so much to the community. Like countless people throughout Kankakee County, this group knew the Kankakee Area YMCA. They talked about how there's so much more to our Y than meets the eye.

The Y is so much more than a gym. It's a cause dedicated to youth development, healthy living and social responsibility. From exercise to education, volleyball to volunteerism, preschool to preventative health, the Y doesn't just strengthen bodies – it strengthens communities and it builds relationships. And when our community faces obstacles, we seek opportunities to make a difference. We believe it is our responsibility to serve God and care for His people, and we are grateful to all of our volunteers, staff and donors who help us live out our mission and our promise. Together, we will drive academic achievement and inspire kids to reach their greatest potential, tackle our community's greatest health Challenges, improve quality of life, and ensure access/inclusion so that everyone has a chance to succeed.

May God bless each of you and continue to bless the work of our Y.

Together, we achieve so much more!

*Dirk Langfoss*     *Craig Rosenow*



**Dirk Langfoss**  
CEO

**Craig Rosenow**  
Chief Volunteer Officer



The YMCA Pioneering Healthier Communities (PHC) is a local initiative that works together with local governments, community organizations and social service agencies to promote physical activity and healthy eating for everyone living in Kankakee County. This is accomplished by coordinating existing resources and collaborating on the enhancement and development of effective programs and policies.

The PHC team of community leaders, chaired by Dr. Kay Green, was very active throughout 2013. Some of their efforts included the following:

- Assisted the City of Kankakee with the implementation of **Complete Streets Ordinance**.
- **Bike Doc Initiative:** This initiative encourages businesses and organizations to purchase branded bike docs for their place of business. The goal of this initiative is to encourage residents to use a more active mode of transportation to get around the community. Once the bike docs have been purchased, the communities of Kankakee, Bradley, and Bourbonnais will install the docs at no charge. To kickoff this initiative, Riverside Medical Center purchased 52 bike docs to be placed throughout the three communities. The PHC team wishes to thank the communities of Kankakee, Bradley, and Bourbonnais, and Riverside Medical Center for their very generous donations to foster healthy living in Kankakee County!
- Instituted the **Early Childhood Summit** to coordinate area preschool educators plans for nutrition and fitness that address childhood obesity.
- Awarded five **Mini-Grants** to local preschool programs that are addressing the youth obesity epidemic.
- Continued to expand the capacity of the **livehealthykankakeecounty.com** website to become a community resource in the fight against youth obesity.

## PHC TEAM MEMBERS

Dr. John Avendano – Kankakee Community College, President  
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**Comcast  
Cares**

On April 27, 2013 more than 120 Comcast employees, family members, friends and community partners helped with landscaping projects around the Kankakee Area YMCA. The volunteers worked exceptionally hard and the results of their efforts were outstanding! The Y is grateful to Stacey St. Louis and Comcast staff for leading this wonderful event. We also thank the volunteers who selflessly gave of their time and talents to improve their community.

Nationally, since Comcast Cares Day began in 2001, more than 500,000 volunteers contributed more than 3 million service hours to local communities.





# VOLUNTEER AWARDS

The YMCA is one of the world's largest volunteer organizations. The Kankakee Area YMCA values the time and care given by our dedicated volunteers. Each year we recognize outstanding volunteer achievements with the Ray Lindner Service to Youth Award and the Jerry Blitz Layman of the Year Award. Award recipients must be nominated and meet the criteria established by the committees for each award. The annual award winners are recognized at the Kankakee Area YMCA Annual Dinner.

## JERRY BLITZ LAYMAN OF THE YEAR AWARD

### EXAMPLE/LOYALTY/ENTHUSIASM/SHARING/DETERMINATION

1985 Jerry Blitz	1995 Irving Floress	2005 Hany Girgis
1986 Paul Blanke	1996 Rodger Macy	2006 Robert E. Rashkin
1987 Bob North	1997 Alan Curl	2007 Phil Angelo
1988 Rich Allers	1998 Bruce Payne	2008 Craig Shelanskey
1989 Virginia Gibson	1999 Kay Lindner	2009 Pam Debono
1990 J. Scott Swaim	2000 Chris Bohlen	2010 Kathleen Kennedy
1991 Al Meyer	2001 Craig Copper	2011 Grant Goosby III
1992 Dr. F.J. Bing Crowe	2002 Jack Charlton & Wes Walker	2012 Paula Jacobi
1993 Ray Lindner	2003 Marty Whalen	2013 Bobbi Kinkade
1994 Jaymie Simmon	2004 Dave Tyson	

## RAY LINDNER SERVICE TO YOUTH AWARD

### Y SERVICE CLUB HALL OF FAME

1975 Barb Volkmann	1988 Jean Zack	2001 Kathleen Kennedy
1976 Jerry Smith	1989 Carol Sue Painter	2002 Dale Wine
1977 Charles F. Mathney	1990 Ken Klette	2003 James Hudson
1978 John Wade	1991 Donna Golden	2004 James Riordan
1979 Joseph Ostrowski	1992 Paul McKinney	2005 Darlene Cipcich
1980 Larry Harris	1993 Paul Scheck	2006 Patrick B. Kennedy
1981 Bob North	1994 Theodis Pace	2007 Ken & Michelle Barrie
1982 Ray Lindner	1995 Dick Frey	2008 Scot Boudreau
1983 George Clark	1996 Wes Walker	2009 Tobe Fulford
1984 Denny Lehnus	1997 Dick Keethers	2010 Sandy Knight
1985 Kay Lindner	1998 Chris Bohlen	2011 Steve Mitchell
1986 Guisto Patinella	1999 Alan Curl	2012 Kay Green
1987 Dr. F. J Crowe	2000 Phil Angelo	2013 Jeff Bennett

# BOBBI KINKADE

If ever there was a friend of this organization, it was Jerry Blitz. In his short time on this earth, Jerry taught everyone how to live, laugh, and even die with effervescence. He enjoyed every day to its fullest and gave his time tirelessly, often without being asked.

Jerry was known for his honesty and for his wisdom. He was revered for taking projects by the horns and plowing full speed ahead. He often said, "Don't just sit there and talk about doing something. Either do it or don't do it."

The Jerry Blitz Layman of the Year Award is the highest "thank you" that the Kankakee Area YMCA can give to an individual. Award winners are selected and judged on 5 criteria: Example, Loyalty, Enthusiasm, Sharing, and Determination. These five qualities capture the essence of Jerry; his wisdom, his teaching, and his spirit.

When Bobbi Kinkade asked why she volunteers for the Y, she responded, "I believe in the work of the Y and I feel I can make a difference." That is why she has been a faithful Y volunteer for over 15 years. Her service to the Y can be described as highly organized and determined. Her organization lists are legendary, ranging from work, the Y, fitness training, family trips, golf outing and even down to the meals for the upcoming week. When she sets an objective, there is no stopping her! In addition to these exceptional attributes, Bobbi is very humble and willing to serve those in need.

During her tenure as a Y volunteer, Bobbi has faithfully served as a member of the Y Finance Committee. Her professional background in finance combined with a strong business acumen has helped the Y through thick and thin. You can bank on her being at the monthly meetings and providing meaningful direction.

In addition to serving on the Finance Committee, Bobbi has been an invaluable fundraiser for the Strong Kids Campaign. She has a great ability to articulate the mission and the work of the Y. When asked to describe Bobbi, Sharyn Hall (Strong Kids Campaign Coordinator) emphatically stated, "She is simply tenacious. No matter what the challenge is, the goal will be achieved!"

In 2013, Bobbi accepted the leadership of the Strong Kids Campaign. With the help of more than 370 generous donors, the campaign was able to raise a record of \$106,853. Bobbi's leadership and tireless efforts truly made a difference!

Bobbi represents the award's criteria of Example, Loyalty, Enthusiasm, Sharing, and Determination. She is an extraordinary volunteer and representative of the Kankakee Area YMCA mission.



**2013 JERRY BLITZ  
AWARD HONOREE**

# JEFF BENNETT

The Ray Lindner Service to Youth Award is given annually by the Area Y Service Club. It singles out an individual in our community who leads by example and devotes themselves when possible to further youth quality of life. Ray Lindner was such a man.

This award is meant to serve as an example and not a memorial. The Y Service Club, an International Service Club of the Y hopes you will feel challenged and inspired by the recipient and the award.

The 2013 award winner, Jeff Bennett, is a life-long resident of our community. Jeff graduated from Olivet Nazarene University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Social Sciences. He and his wife, Kimberly, raised five athletic daughters who have graduated from college and now enjoy five grandchildren, Nolan, Cole, Camille, Preston and Bryce.

As founder and president of Bennett Commercial LLC, Jeff Bennett has 30 years of experience in Community and Real Estate Development. Besides being a highly successful businessman and community leader, Jeff has been dedicated to the development of area youth.

Jeff was a familiar face in the Y gym during his teen and young adult years. He was mentored, coached by and coached with former Kankakee Community College Hall of Fame coach Denny Lehnus. Jeff is a former Y Board of Director member and continues to support the Y mission in Kankakee County. He has always lent his support to Y programs that positively impact area youth.



As the girls basketball coach at Bishop McNamara Catholic High School, Jeff's teams achieved great success. During his coaching career, Jeff's teams accumulated over 200 victories. In fact, some of his teams made history. From 2005-2008, the Irish reached the state tournament's Elite Eight in three of the four seasons culminating with the 2008 team reaching the final four. In addition to all these accomplishments, Jeff was recognized by the Illinois Basketball Coaches Association as the District 9 Coach of the Year for nine consecutive years.

Leaders are measured not only on what they achieve personally, but the lasting effect on those they mentor. Based on this measurement, Jeff is truly a successful leader. His players thought Jeff was tough, yet fair. Being a successful coach is more than just being masters of X's and O's. Basketball coaches are teachers, motivators and communicators. Jeff's players believe they not only became better basketball players, but better individuals by the example he set.

**2013 RAY LINDNER  
SERVICE TO YOUTH  
AWARD HONOREE**

Thank you Jeff for all your service to the youth in Kankakee County. You are an extraordinary volunteer and a very deserving recipient of the 2013 Ray Lindner Service to Youth Award.

# STAFF AWARDS

Each year, the Kankakee Area YMCA recognizes one of its employees with the S.P.I.R.I.T. Award in honor of Wes Walker. This individual personifies and embodies the outstanding values that Wes brought to the Kankakee Area YMCA as the executive director (1970–1995) and continues to bring as a volunteer and the YMCAs #1 ambassador in the community. Those values are Spirit, Professionalism, Integrity, Respect, Intellect, and Trust (S.P.I.R.I.T.).

1996	Susie Davidson	2004	Joe Giacchino	2010	Katy Leclair
1997	Oletha Grant	2006	Pam Gall	2011	Tom Beirne
1998	Jean Zack	2007	Sharyn Hall	2012	Ann Jumonville
1999	Paula Lindner	2008	Clyde Meents	2013	Bruce Casteel
2002	Marshall Scroggins	2009	Jasmine Evers		

## BRUCE CASTEEL

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The 2013 award winner, Bruce Casteel, embodies the values of this award. He shares the Y spirit every day with all Y members and staff. Not only does Bruce represent the highest qualities that we look for in our staff members, he also represents the finest characteristics that we see in our members. Always upbeat, Bruce never complains and is always willing to help out someone or encouraging them to join a yoga class. Members look forward to seeing him each day, and even compete who will get to sit next to him during special events because they enjoy and respect his company so much. Bruce treats everyone with kindness and respect. No matter what time of the day, day of the week, or week in the year, Bruce can be relied upon to be there.

Bruce started working at the Y in 2006, and in the last seven years has earned the trust of everyone. Responsible for getting the Y ready to open six days a week, fixing things we've broken and cleaning up after the many people using the Y each day, Bruce knows how to make things work and knows how to work with everyone to get the job done. If asked to take on more responsibilities or a special project, Bruce does not think twice about completing the task. Bruce does not boast or brag about the things that he has accomplished, and does not expect to be acknowledged for the work he has done.

This year's winner is truly a most deserving person, and we can't imagine the Y running without him.



**2013 WES WALKER  
SPIRIT AWARD HONOREE**



# 2013 STRONG KIDS CAMPAIGN DONORS

Proving once again that Kankakee County is the most caring, generous community in the region, we want to thank the 370 donors who helped the **2013 Strong Kids Campaign** exceed its goal by raising \$106,853. "Thanks to an incredible outpouring of generosity, this year's campaign reached new heights," said **2013 Campaign Chair Bobbi Kinkade**. "But the true measure of our success will be seen in the number of lives transformed by the Y's life-changing programs."

**Through the Y's commitment to Social Responsibility, more than 2,000 people benefit from the volunteer-led fundraising effort, which ensures that no one is ever turned away due to an inability to pay.**

The Y appreciates the 50 volunteers who dedicated their time to the Campaign. They worked tirelessly to make the gift of the YMCA a reality for those who are less fortunate. A special thanks goes to our Strong Kids Campaign chair, Bobbi Kinkade, whose leadership and tireless efforts truly made a difference!

The Kankakee Area YMCA wishes to thank the following individuals and companies who generously supported the 2013 campaign:

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# LONG-TERM MEMBERS

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Walker, Connie & Wes	43
Meyer, Alan	41

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Johnson Jr., James	25





# 2013 LAMPLIGHTERS CLUB

The mission of the Lamplighters Club is to enable men and women who share the YMCA's ideals and traditions to ensure that this valued heritage continues for future generations. The Kankakee Area YMCA Lamplighters Club's purpose is to encourage thoughtful gifts as a primary means of building a strong endowment capable of providing lasting support for the Kankakee Area YMCA's mission. We recognize the following members whose leadership, service, and devotion to the Kankakee Area YMCA have created this legacy. A special thank you to Cathy and Rich Allers for the strong leadership they provide to the Lamplighters Club.

Rich & Cathy Allers  
Paul & Joyce Blanke  
Bernice Blitz  
Chris Bohlen & Rosemary Pistorius  
Darlene Cipcich  
Craig & Kathleen Copper  
Dave & Judy Cox  
Dr. Bing & Bev Crowe  
Trudy Dickinson  
Irv & Lois Floress  
Joe & Julie Giacchino  
Dr. Hany Girgis  
Don & Kay Green  
Dennis & Georgia Hess  
David Jaffe  
Bill Johnson  
Terry & Mary Johnston  
Phil & Lynda Kambic  
Dirk & Sarah Langfoss  
Janet Leonard  
Kay Lindner  
Chuck & Shirley Matheny

Dick & Aline McHie  
Dave Means  
Al & Jane Meyer  
Bob & Diane Miller  
Peggy Oakes  
Jean Parlin  
Bruce & Nancy Payne  
Robert E. Rashkin  
Ron & Nancy Ruda  
Dorci Schoolman  
Dr. Sean & Alissa Schroer  
Harry & Jaymie Simmon  
Les & Susie Small  
Warren Stevenson & Margaret Johnson-Stevenson  
Norm & Jan Strasma Jean Thomas  
Dave & Gigi Tyson  
Wes & Connie Walker  
Kankakee Y Service Club  
Joe & Sandra Yurgine  
Tom & Bev Zwetchke

## RECOGNITION OF STAFF ANNIVERSARIES

Congratulations to these staff members for their years of dedicated service

### 5 YEARS OF SERVICE

Tiffany Castongia  
Gina Hendricks  
Valnika King  
Dan E Sobodas  
Christine Vaughn  
Scott Wagner

### 10 YEARS OF SERVICE

Sharyn Hall  
Ilija Stojcevski  
Lisa Witheft

### 15 YEARS OF SERVICE

Mary Beth Dorsey

### 20+ YEARS OF SERVICE

Jill St. Paul (29 years)  
Pam Gall (26 years)  
Kathy Mabus (26 years)  
Suzanne Boudreau (22 years)  
Cheryl Andersen (21 years)  
Oletha Grant (21 years)

### 30+ YEARS OF SERVICE

Marshall Scroggins (37 years)  
Darlene Cipcich (35 years)

### 50+ YEARS OF SERVICE

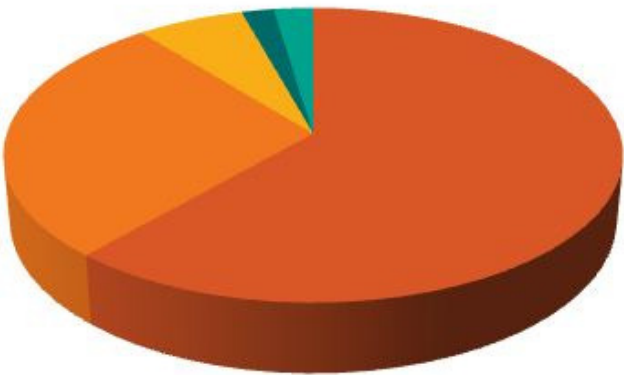
Jean Zack (52 years)



## YMCA STAFF LEADERSHIP TEAM

Jasmine Evers  
Sharyn Hall  
Ann Jumonville  
Dirk Langfoss  
Clyde Meents  
Kait Sutherland  
Lynn Zugenbuehler

# FINANCIAL & CONSTITUENCY REPORTS



## 2013 OPERATING REVENUE

Total \$1,654,416

Membership	\$1,016,727	61%
Program	\$459,490	28%
Strong Kids Campaign	\$106,853	6%
Other	\$39,510	2%
United Way	\$31,836	2%

## OPERATING EXPENSES

Salaries & Benefits.....	\$1,134,025
Other Operating Expenses.....	\$557,713
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$1,691,738</b>

## HOW MUCH DO WE RECEIVE BECAUSE WE ARE A CHARITY?

### CONTRIBUTED SUPPORT

Annual Campaign Revenue	\$106,853
United Way/Community Chest	\$31,836
Foundation Grants	\$14,542
Endowment Transfers to Operations	\$14,747
<b>Total Contributed Support Received:</b>	<b>\$167,978</b>

### VOLUNTEER SUPPORT

Program Volunteers	\$70,672
Policy Volunteers	\$30,996



## HOW MUCH DO WE GIVE AWAY BECAUSE WE ARE A CHARITY?

### DIRECT COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE

Healthy Living Assistance	\$187,972
Youth Development Assistance	\$3,722
Other Financial Assistance	\$3,216

### INDIRECT COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE

Facilities used by community groups	\$3,260
Outreach & community development support	\$13,400
Other community support	\$8,996
<b>Total Community Support Provided:</b>	<b>\$220,566</b>

### OUR COMMUNITY REACH

Total no. of Y members	8,794
Total no. of Y program participants	14,499
Total no. of Y members and program participants under 18	8,532
Total no. enrolled in before and after school programs	409
Total no. of full- and part-time Y staff	189

### OUR COMMUNITY SUPPORT

Total no. of program volunteers	221
Total no. of policy volunteers	41
Total no. of volunteer hours	8,642

### OUR COMMUNITY PARTNERS

Pioneering Healthy Community (PHC), River Valley Special Recreation Association, Easter Seals, Special Olympics, Olivet Nazarene University, Kankakee Community College, McNamara High School, Bradley-Bourbonnais High School District, Kankakee School District, Bourbonnais Elementary School District, Manteno School District, Unity Christian Church, Bible Witness Camp, Pembroke Township, First Taste, Girl and Boy Scouts, Arthritis Foundation, March Dimes, Relay for Life, Camelot Day School, United Way, KCHE Homeschool, Success by Six, Local Police Departments, Local Fire Departments, Local Health Departments, PNC Bank, Various Local Churches, Redeeming Grace Chapel Church, Kankakee Public Library



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