

2017-2018



ANNUAL REPORT

K CLUB MISSION STATEMENT

The K Club is the official booster club of Knox College Athletics. With the support of alumni, family, friends, and the campus community, K Club serves to create unforgettable experiences for student-athletes while supporting improvements to Prairie Fire facilities and student-athlete recruitment efforts.

MESSAGE FROM DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS

DANIELLA IRLE



In my first few months here, I've quickly learned that Knox is a very welcoming place, and that I've arrived at a pivotal point in time.

Recruiting is record-shattering for many of our programs, our student-athletes are involved and engaged, and our staff is hard-working and supportive. Five Prairie Fire teams—softball, women's tennis, men's basketball, women's basketball, and football—each had their best seasons in more than a decade. Men's golf has returned to our historical place near the top of the Midwest Conference (MWC), only losing by one stroke in the MWC Championships, where head coach KC Harding garnered MWC Coach of the Year honor. Both men's and women's soccer and the women's basketball team made their

conference tournaments, breaking numerous school records along the way. Women's basketball won their most conference games ever (11) in a season. First-year softball pitcher Tegan Doherty set a school record with nine wins in her first season, and senior Paul Sanders led the nation in stolen bases per game for the baseball team with a school record 38 steals in 33 games. Head baseball coach Jami Isaacson '92 won the 300th game of his career, and track and field broke 20 records between the indoor and outdoor seasons.

I'm equally proud of our student-athletes off the field and court. In March, we celebrated D3 week, a national initiative by the NCAA to promote and celebrate that in Division III, we truly focus on both sides of the word "student-athlete." Our athletes are both students in the classroom and active members of the community. Junior soccer player Annie Gerdes brought a chapter of ForeverU to campus, a small but nationwide nonprofit that strives to fight against bullying, division, and student-suffering. The Anything Is Possible Educational Foundation (AIPEF), founded by former student-athlete Charlie Harned '17 in 2014, is still thriving. Harned handed AIPEF off to current Knox students who continue to provide free tutoring and ACT preparation for local high school students and award a one-time college scholarship of \$1,000 to a local high school senior.

When our soccer teams return in August, they will return to a newly renovated Jorge Prats Field complete with turf and new fencing, while the new Schmid Golf Performance Center helped propel our golf team to their amazing season. When you return to campus be sure to walk through T. Fleming Fieldhouse or Memorial Gymnasium to see our new look. There will be no question that you are indeed at the house of the Knox Prairie Fire!

The time is now for Prairie Fire Athletics. I truly believe we are on the cusp of truly remarkable things to come. The Fire is Rising!


Daniella Irle
Director of Athletics

MESSAGE FROM **K CLUB COORDINATOR** **MARY CLARE SOBON**



As Prairie Fire student-athletes continue to find themselves throughout their collegiate journey, the K Club serves as a game changer. Through the time, talent, and treasure of alumni, friends, and family, the K Club shapes the athletic experiences of our current student-athletes by providing opportunities that keep Prairie Fire Athletics at a competitive level within Division III athletics.

Since arriving at Knox, I have had the pleasure of getting to know many of you who are the true backbone of the K Club. Your stories of how you came to Knox and the impact that athletics has played in your lives has inspired the growth of the K Club and the overall spirit of Prairie Fire Athletics. You've created unforgettable memories at K Club events, listened to and mentored our athletes, championed the cheering

section at home and away games, and donated over \$500,000 for Knox athletics.

Please, continue to #BeTheSpark! Your gifts for and your involvement with our student-athletes do make a difference.

I look forward to meeting many more of you on campus, at one of our away games, or at a reunion event.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mary Clare Sobon'.

Mary Clare Sobon
K Club Coordinator



PRAIRIE FIRE ATHLETICS

PERFORMANCE YEAR IN REVIEW



FOOTBALL

- The team finished 5-5 to give them their most wins since 2002.
- Combined, the team broke 15 individual records this year.



VOLLEYBALL

- The team finished with 11 victories, the most since 1995.
- Senior Rose Griffin '18 earned second team All-MWC honors and ended her career as the Knox all-time leader in attack percentage (.224), third all-time in kills (1,177), eighth all-time in digs (816), eighth all-time in service aces (105), and ninth all-time in blocks (103).

MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY

- First-year Arthur Santoro '21 (26:48.3) ran his best race of the season at the NCAA regional.

WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY

- Senior Rebecca Katz '18 set the sixth fastest mark in school history with a time of 23:52. She now holds the nine fastest times in the Knox record books for her historic career.

WOMEN'S TENNIS

- Their 5-4 MWC record and fifth place finish is the best for Knox since the 1998 season.
- Their seven overall wins are the most since 2002.

WOMEN'S GOLF

- Sophomore Samantha Nichols '20 earned third place at the MWC Championships and first-year Shelby Keen '21 had a strong showing as well finishing tied 11th overall.

WOMEN'S SOCCER

- The team had back-to-back NCAA Tournament appearances.
- The team has a cumulative 33-7-3 over last two years.

MEN'S SOCCER

- The team made their fifth straight appearance in MWC tournament.
- They finished as MWC regular season champs after a 13-3-4 overall record.

SWIMMING AND DIVING

- The women's team had the highest GPA (3.80) in the nation for the fall semester, according to the CSCAA, and was named to the Scholar All-American Team.
- The men's team also made the CSCAA Scholar All-American Team with a 3.22 GPA.



INDOOR AND OUTDOOR TRACK AND FIELD

- Track and Field broke 20 school records this season.
- First-year Rebekah Alexandre '21 broke the women's 200m record in two consecutive meets.
- The men's 4x400m relay team broke the record three different times during the season. Members of the record-breaking relay team were first-year Hunter Lee '21, senior Zach Barnes '18, first-year Arthur Santoro '21, junior Malik Hamilton '19, and senior Donnye Sommerville '18.

PRAIRIE FIRE ATHLETICS

PERFORMANCE YEAR IN REVIEW



MEN'S BASKETBALL

- The team won the most games (7) since the 2007-08 season.
- They defeated eventual MWC Champion Monmouth at home in an exciting 77-73 game.
- First-year Blake Godbold '21 finished fifth in the conference with 7.6 rebounds per game.



WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

- The team made their first MWC Tournament appearance since 1996-97.
- They had the most overall wins (16) since 1989-90.
- They also had the most MWC wins (11) in school history.
- Sophomore Jarrelyn McCall '20 was named 2nd Team All-MWC for the second consecutive year.



MEN'S GOLF

- The men's golf team finished in second place at the MWC Championships, two strokes shy of their first championship since 2008. It was also their best finish since 2008.
- Coach Harding was named the 2018 MWC Coach of the Year.



BASEBALL

- Senior Paul Sanders '18 set the Knox single season record with 38 steals, which led all of Division III and is a MWC record.
- Coach Jami Isaacson '92 picked up his 300th career win.

SOFTBALL

- The team won 10 games, their most since 2005. They also beat St. Norbert for the first time since 2005.
- It was a record-breaking season as 17 performances made the top-10 list for single-season accomplishments.
- First-year pitcher Tegan Doherty '21 picked up a record-breaking nine wins inside the circle. She also set the single-season innings pitched record (143.2) and tied for the most shutouts (3).

MEN'S TENNIS

- Every varsity player increased their UTR (Universal Tennis Rating) over the season.
- The team won five of six first-round singles matches at the Midwest Conference Championships.

MEET THE COACHES & STAFF

SENIOR STAFF



Daniella Irlie
Director of Athletics



Scott Sunderland
Assistant Director
of Athletics/Head Athletic
Trainer



Lexie Vernon
Assistant Director of
Athletics/Senior Woman
Administrator

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF



Kim Schrader
Title IX Coordinator/
SAAC Advisor and Event
Coordinator



Mary Clare Sobon
K Club Coordinator



James Clark '09
Sports Information Director



Andy Gibbons
Fitness Center Director/
Strength and
Conditioning Coach



Larry Welch
Midwest Conference
Faculty Athletic
Representative



Stephanie McMillan
Administrative
Assistant

HEAD COACHING STAFF



Emily Cline
Head Women's Basketball
Coach



Kenneth Harding
Head Men's & Women's
Golf Coach



Chris Haight-Thompson
Head Women's Soccer
Coach



Jami Isaacson '92
Head Baseball Coach



Ashley McDonough
Head Volleyball Coach



Randy Overby
Director of Men's &
Women's Cross
Country/Track & Field



Jonathan Powers
Head Men's & Women's
Swimming Coach



Erin Rutledge
Head Softball Coach



Tyler Sheikh
Head Men's Soccer Coach*
*Brian O'Connor will serve as
interim coach in Fall 2018



Damon Tomeo
Head Football Coach



Kevin Walden '02
Head Men's Basketball
Coach



Meredith Witherell
Head Men's & Women's
Tennis Coach

SOFTBALL HAS BANNER SEASON



The Prairie Fire softball team finished the 2018 season with their best record (10-26) since 2005. An influx of six talented newcomers joined a strong returning group to show improvement across the board. Head Coach Erin Rutledge believes leadership from her seniors paved the way for the successful season. “These women showed that they would not let the previous three years discourage them from having the season they were capable of having,” said Rutledge. “We have come a long way and still have a long way to go, but I am extremely proud of this group. This season is a testament to the strength of their will.”

The 2018 team won as many games as in the previous four years combined and broke many school records along the way. Senior Kristen Koviekis '18 ended her record-setting career by setting the single season record for hit by pitches (15). First-year pitcher Tegan Doherty '21 set the school record for wins in a season (9), most innings pitched in a season (143.2), and tied for the most shutouts in a season (3). Third baseman senior Emily Stevenson '18 became the first All-Conference honoree for the Prairie Fire since 2014.

Despite losing three seniors, a strong core remains with five returning starters, all of whom are sophomores. First-years Kenzie Funk '21 and Casey Hipp '21 were both among the leaders in hitting on the team, and Clare Hensley '21 and Cammie Stein '21 both had solid campaigns. Add sophomore Katy Coseglia '20, who led the team in batting in 2018, and Doherty in the circle, and the future looks bright for the softball team. Head Coach Erin Rutledge said, “You look at our team this year and see so much youth. We were strong because of our seniors, but they have laid the groundwork for these young players to continue where they left off. I am sad to see Kristen, Emily, and Val leave, but their legacy will live on and I am excited to see where these talented women can take us in the future.”

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K CLUB EVENTS



Knox- Lombard Athletic Hall of Fame

The Knox-Lombard Athletic Hall of Fame recognizes the achievements of Knox's greatest athletes and teams. Recipients of the award are honored at an induction banquet during Homecoming. Bronze plaques recognizing all Hall of Fame recipients are displayed in T. Fleming Fieldhouse in the Allan P. Christiansen Memorial Gallery, named in memory of Allan P. Christiansen '40, an outstanding athlete and long-time administrator at Knox College. This year's 2017 recipients were the 1978 Men's Soccer Team (pictured), Frank Adams, Kyle Anderson '93, and David Ladner '69.



Prairie Fire Tailgate

Chicago area members of the K Club set up tailgating at both the men's and women's soccer and football games at Lake Forest College.



The Ultimate Goal: Bringing Prats Field into the 21st Century

Alumni received a guided tour of plans for the renovation of Prats Field at Knox Homecoming 2017.



Basketball Homecoming

Knox alumni rang in the new year by reconnecting with teammates and current men's and women's basketball teams on January 13, as both teams played Lake Forest College. The fun-filled day included an alumni game and post game reception at Cherry Street restaurant with the current men's and women's basketball teams.



Men's Soccer Alumni Game

Men's soccer letterwinners had the chance to reconnect with old teammates and meet the 2017 Midwest Conference Championship Knox men's soccer team. Head Coach Tyler Sheikh hosted the annual end-of-year awards banquet. Alumni and friends also got the opportunity to meet new Director of Athletics Daniella Irlle.



K Club Golf Outing

Fully 62 Knox alumni, friends, and coaches enjoyed an afternoon of golf and an evening reception with Coach Harley Knosher at the beautiful Soangetaha Country Club in Galesburg. The day was filled with on-course games and prizes.

K CLUB BY THE NUMBERS

TOTAL DOLLARS RAISED

	FY17	FY18
Capital	\$149,206	\$287,481
Individual Teams	\$ 65,202	\$ 74,260
Unrestricted	\$158,447	\$141,291
	\$372,855	\$503,032

NUMBER OF DONORS

	FY17	FY18
Total	1,661	1,155
Alumni	562	459

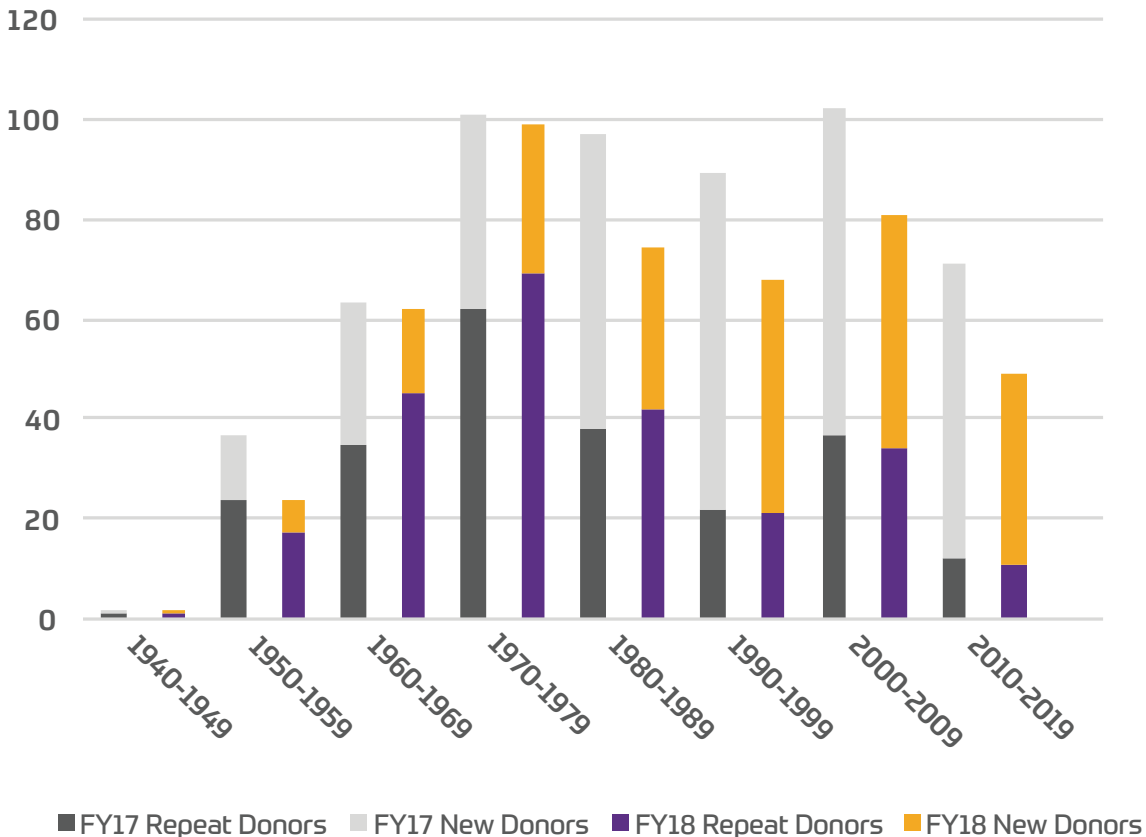
IMPACT OF GIFTS

This year K Club gifts made possible:

- Women's basketball travel to the MWC Tournament
- Renovations for the softball infield
- Renovations to the baseball outfield
- Prairie Fire recruitment and equipment budgets
- Prairie Fire branding in the entrance to T. Fleming Fieldhouse and athletic administrative offices
- Renovations to Jorge Prats Soccer Field

Knox Prairie Fire teams also raised \$54,000 through crowdfunding efforts. Baseball, women's soccer, men's and women's golf, softball, and men's basketball raised funds to support travel to spring and fall tournaments in California, Florida, and Georgia.

K CLUB DONORS BY CLASS YEAR



FACILITIES UPDATE



Prats Field

Renovations to Jorge Prats Field, home of Prairie Fire soccer, began in May and are on track to be completed in time for the fall 2018 soccer season. Upgrades include the installation of a state-of-the-art synthetic turf field and new fencing around the complex.

Fundraising for Prats Field is ongoing, with about \$300,000 remaining to complete Phase One of the field enhancements.

Phase Two of the project includes:

- Field lighting for early morning and night practice and play
- Windscreens added to the fencing
- Installation of a scoring table
- Installation of new bleacher seating
- A new scoreboard and sound system
- Landscaping and an entry arch to align Prats Field with other athletic facilities at Knox, including the Knosher Bowl and Trevor Field/Turner Track

Make a donation to the Prats Field renovation at www.knox.edu/prats today!



Schmid Golf Performance Center Ribbon Cutting Ceremony

The men's and women's golf teams held an official ribbon-cutting for the new state-of-the-art golf performance center located below Memorial Gymnasium. Thanks to the generosity of Robert K. '62 and Barbara Cady Schmid '62, the center allows athletes the opportunity to work on their game year-round and includes an indoor putting green and golf simulator that replicates real-life ball flight with a state-of-the-art camera system that helps players correct their swing.



Weight Room Renovation

The Cecil-Porter Free Weight Area was renovated with all-new equipment thanks to Charles "Chuck" W. '52 and Priscilla Porter. The area consists of 12 new racks, eight new benches, six new clean platforms, and all-new Rogue bars and bumper plates.



Prairie Fire Fieldhouse Branding

A new look welcomes visitors to the T. Fleming Fieldhouse. Updates include new Prairie Fire imagery in the foyer, athletics offices, and indoor track.

2017-2018 K CLUB

(Gifts received as of June 30, 2018)

CHAMPIONS

(\$1,000 and more yearly)

Junichiro '81 & Noel Dolan Adachi '82
Ray M. Albertina '79
Mark K. '81 & Peg L. Allen
Teresa L. Amott & Ray Miller
Thomas L. '66 & Sue Fuerst Anderson '71
Laurel J. Andrew '86 & Victor Onufrieff
Thomas S. '80 & Alexis D. Bannos
Gary E. '69 & Susan Barnhart
David A. Bauman '74 & Susan Howlett
Michael A. Boyd '86
Robert T. '65 & Judy Boynton
Reid R. '94 & Jennifer Quinn Broda '94
Chad A. Campanelli '97
Nancy Barrick Carlin '72
David J. Casper '92
Lynn A. Chasson '84 & Andrea Toselli
Lynda Cole
Carol Bovard Craig '89
Terry A. '71 & Mary Jannone Denoma '73
Gregory F. '68 & Peggy A. Duick
Tony Etz '83
Mia & Roy Fujii
Shelby L. & David J. Funk
Dennis '60 & Jeanne D. Geraghty
John Heyer '68 & Colleen Conway '71
Norman E. '79 & Kathleen A. Hillner
Thomas M. Isaacson
William C. Ives '55
Gary L. Jacobson '77 &
Christine M. Pasquinelli '78
Jeffrey E. Keefe '82
Daniel R. Keyes '74 & Dannette Shaw
James M. Sr., '70 & Sandra M. Kilts
Janet M. Koran '71 & Steven P. Handler
David B. '69 & Julie Stolarski Ladner '70
Todd A. Lanser '00 & Suzanne Holthaus
Steven A. '79 & Cheryl L. Laudel
James W. II '71 & Kim Leech
Ronald C. '57 & Judy Lowery
Patrick St. Aubyn Lyn '84 &
Craig Lyn-Overstreet
George J., Jr. '64 & Nancy J. Matkov
Dudley '72 & Elizabeth D. McCarter
David E. '74 & Dia G. McKillip
James C. Mott '74
Laurence J. Msall '84
Joseph R. Nichols D.D.S.
Office Specialists Inc./Randy & Jeanne Conlon
& Steve Gerstenberger
Amy Ragnini Olson '91 & Steven M. Olson '92
Derek F. Papp '01

Dushan '74 & Nancy Petrovich
Raymond & Dorothy Pollock
James R. '63 & Mary Jo Howe Potter '62
Jonathan G. Powers, Jr.
Jorge Prats
John D. Prats '93
Jordi C. '85 & Joanne Prats
Laura E. Prats-Aschheim
Jeffrey B. Radakovich '84 & Vicki L. Short
George S. '74 & Mary Marselus Rosic '76
Robert K. '62 & Barbara Cady Schmid '62
William H. Silver '77
Darren W. Smith '93
Dan J. '99 & Elizabeth Holmes Spaulding '99
Craig M. Steele '76
Topper '70 & Carol H. Steinman
Thomas R. '77 & Michele Salvino Stelter '78
Mary Ann Stone & Martin Stone
Mary Anne Strong
Robert M. '79 & Mary Szyman
Kenneth A. Turner '58
Steven R. Walton '74
Richard A. '57 & Joan Whitney Whitcomb '56
John J. Wozniak '99
Theodore S. Wright, Jr. '72
Yemm Chevrolet, Inc./Richard &
Jamie L. Yemm
Paul A. '78 & Susan Haerr Zucker '78

COACHES

(\$600 and more yearly)

Anonymous
William W. '72 & Joyce Tucker Allison '72
David T. '89 & Caryn Anderson
Kyle J. '93 & Amy D. Anderson
Anthony R. Balthazor '03 & Alison Balthazor
Amy B. Beuschlein '89
Valerie J. Blevins '86 & John Anderson
Gene S. Brandt '72
Chad '93 & Kathleen Eisele
Susan K. Flowers & James R. Hensley
Daniel E. '68 & Elissa Bonaventura Gunning '69
Steven S. & Nancy J. Hall
Michael L. Hollerich '93
Daniella J. Irle & Family
Melinda & John Janczur
Stanley L. Johnson, Jr. '84 & Saba Shibberu
Helen C. & Martin L. Katz
David R. Marquardt '08
Gregory Mendrek '79
Dustin J. '03 & Tiffany Delahanty Milliken
Jeffrey J. Stelpflug '98
Russell A. III '83 & Natalia Brennen Strong '83

PURPLE AND GOLD

(\$300 and more yearly)

Peter G. '74 & Lori Bailley
Jeffrey W. Baker '75 & Beth A. Zeiter
Bryinna L. Barnhart '03
Melissa A. & Timothy K. Bauer
Alexandra Epke Bird '18
Joel M. '00 & Jennifer Bradshaw
Richard T. Brown '83
Michael D. Burke '72 & Cindy Bowman
Ryan W. '99 & Amy Cannady
Sean E. Carmichael '09
Lynn W. & Charles M. Colburn
Caroline G. Burgland Cormier '97 &
Michael J. Cormier
Charles H. Crain, P.C.
Alice Davies
Stephanie A. Hasan Dettlerline '98 &
Alvin James Dettlerline IV
Lori & Richard Dramm
William E. '72 & Margaret E. Durall
Christine & Benjamin J. Ellis
William L. Fuerst '69 & Lisa L. Ottinger
Susan R. & Michael H. Garbin
Andrew J. Gibbons
Michael L. Gilbert '99
Carol A. Gislason '79 & Richard A. Kemp
William J. Goldberg '71 &
Brenda Liebling-Goldberg
John D. '61 & Laura Gorby
John F. Hawkinson '07
Jeffrey D. '81 & Laura Hockett
Beverly B. Holmes
Walter G. Larkin '55 & Susan E. Clare
Steven P. Luetger '75 & Joanne Rohn Luetger
Mark A. '72 & Lynn Strand McIntosh '71
Stephen N. '83 &
Linda Mugnaini McMillan '81
Dean J. Mento '81
Albert Messier
Tracy & Kenton Milligan
Robert H. Milner III '52
Harvey A. Moore '68
Charles L. Morin '69
Mary S. Newman & Donna Renaud
Vincent J. Pavilionis '02
Kurt E. Pearson '80 & Jodi McPhillips-Pearson
Martha J. & Eric A. Peterson
Gary A. '75 & Debbie Pokorn
Kristin J. & Keith A. Sanders
Tino H. '87 & Silke Schuler
Donald L. '64 &
Catherine Hardinger Shriver '66

Robert J. '79 & Mary A. Sprowls
Debra J. & Carl E. Strauch
James Thomas
Michael Tracy '72
Benjamin L. '98 & Stephanie Van Vlerah
Scott A. '95 & Katherine J. Welch
Lawrence E. & Beth Welch
Benjamin C. Wetherbee '12
Jane Wetherbee Wise '86 & James C. Wise
David L. '72 & Sandra Wood
Eric Y. & Shirley C. Yang
Geoffrey N. '03 & Joy E. Thiel Ziegler '01

FAMILY AND FRIENDS *(\$100 and more yearly)*

Anonymous
Monty '72 & Rachel Krause Abbott '72
James E. Alexander
Reed R. '00 & Katie Allison
Kristine M. Allmendinger-Goertz '02 &
Christopher K. Page-Goertz '03
Robert C. '80 & Patricia K. Alvarez
Robert J., Jr. '54 & Jean Kester Anderson '54
Jordan Bradley Anderson
Amanda Wollrab Archer '12 & Joel Archer
William V. '80 & Nancy A. Aslan
Susan Benn Attwood '76 &
Stephen A. Attwood
Kari Baderman & Jerry L. Mills
Elliot Bainbridge
Anthony Bainbridge
Thomas A. Bainbridge
William A. '92 & Blue Baker
Scott R. '81 & Melany Baldwin
Tina K. Barham
James Nicholas Barrington
Diana M. Beckman
Edwina Behling
Robert L. '60 & Lynne Marie Bennett
Marilyn J. Bennett
Martin Bergin
Kimberly A. Bird-Janulis & Mark P. Janulis
G. Neil Blevins '71
Theodore J. '70 & Linda Tyson Boecker '71
Sara Yang Bosco
Roselyn M. Bottke
Elizabeth A. Mushill Bozicevic '04
Roy R. Brandys '80
Daniel W. Breed '74
Barbara Brink
James H. '86 & Linda Brown
Fred C. Bucholz '77
Carol A. & Sherman H. Buetsch
Raymond V., Jr. '77 & Connie J. Burke
Judy Busch
Thomas R. '65 & Judy Butts
Todd Cahill
Daniel A. '77 & Janet Calandro
Hilary Castillo
Sherri L. & Mark S. Chainuck

Mark K. '81 & Terri Chelmowski
Cherry Street Restaurant
Susan & Yu-min Chou
Dawn Davies Clark '91 & Jeffrey D. Clark '82
Emily Cline
Bradley D. '92 & Christine Coats
Christopher William Colburn '18
William H. '77 & Kelley Andersen Colby
John Conner
James F. '76 & Lori Cooke
Russell W. Coon '08
Cindy & Patrick Coseglia
Charles H. '73 & Sue Kobler Crain '78
Charles E. '71 & Dana M. Creekmore
Don & Lisa Crocket
Grant Cromwell
Sarah E. Atkinson Custis '98 &
David J. Custis '98
Steven E. Czerwinski '82 & Selina C. Clow
Charlotte S. & Michael R. Davies
Charles W., Jr. '61 & Suzanne M. Davis
Victor J. Davis '86 & Vida Cross '88
Lena F. & Carolus J. de Jong
W. A. de Jong
Jen Shipley DeBuhr '01 & Cory A. DeBuhr
Deborah S. DeGraff '80
Kevin Deming
Colton J. Denton
Christopher J. '83 & Patricia A. DeWald
Michael J. '68 & Susan L. Dietz
Kelly A. Dobin
Tamara L. & Shannon M. Doherty
Deane E., Jr. '52 & Ann B. Doolen
David R. '99 & Aly Dooman
Arielle N. Dorman '13
Nathan S. Easley '03
David H. Eiss '64
Michael W. '03 & Karen P. Moravek Erwin '05
Adam R. Estergard '09
Howell L., Jr. '68 & Keiko Evans
Randy L. Feder '67
Austin T. Finley '15
Stanley R. Flood '65
Jim Flowers
Kathleen L. Jacob Fogo '91
Shari & Sean Follis
Laurin Ford
Larry Fox
Jodie Fox
Michele L. & Ronald L. Fretwell
Christy Gibson
Fiona B. O'Brien Gill
Arthur H. III '02 & Beth Conant Gilster
Sarah E. Lewis Gish '98 & Matthew J. Gish
Debra Glassman & Ian London
Lucille Reid Glassman
Elizabeth E. & Bryan D. Godbold
Jeffrey N. Gomer
Mark B. Goodwillie '70
Linda Grady

Kimberly A. Graham
Nancy E. Gruchala '96 &
Sonia M. Matthews '97
Sandra Guerra
Jeanine K. & Derrick M. Haase
Howard J. '79 & Pam Hagemaster
Rosemarie Hakopyan
Richard R. '80 & Kathryn Knosher Harden '80
Kenneth C. Harding
Harold J. Harrison '64
Diane & Greg Hatcher
Vycki L. Haught
Matthew P. Hayden '98
Chantal M. Heckman '14
Frederick L., Jr. '79 & Eleanor Schlafly Heger
Richard O. '73 & Linda Z. Hegg
Catherine Kucik Heimann '70
Chris Heimann '04 & Christina Rosier '05
Kerry Heimann
Kevin Heimann '02
Albert W. '57 & Marlene Pankow Hellwig '56
Lee D. Henderson '03 &
Katherine L. Heineman
Uleses Henderson, Jr.
Jeffrey J. '86 & Tracy Herr
Joyce M. Hertko '82
Caroline Margaret Hickey '18
Elizabeth & Christopher M. Hickey
Brian E. Hickey
Donald A. '53 & Jan Hines
Brenda M. & Scott J. Hipp
Eileen T. Hoey
Pete '66 & Marcia M. Holstrom
Ian Spencer Horne '16
Henry Nathan Horwitz '18
Daniel J. Hrozencik '83
James H. Hutchison '68
Cindy & Jeff Ifft
Aaron Ifft
James D. Irle
Andrew T. '99 & Holly Engelhart Isaacson '99
Patricia A. & Thomas M. Isaacson
Andrew James Jacobs '18
Cheryl Jager
Ed Janczur
Craig & Marcia Johnson
Susan C. Vitous Johnson '04 &
Chad N. Johnson
Jennifer Johnson
Steven D. Johnson
Lloy Brodnicki Johnston '94 &
Mark K. Johnston '93
Margaret E. Jordan '05
Ralph Kaneao
Jared M. Katchen '10
Rebecca Julia Katz '18
Sarah B. Kaul '77
Tina L. & Robert L. Keen, Jr.
Darren W. '94 & Tacy Iverson King '96
Edward R. Knapp III

Albert F. '65 & Patricia McCowen Knight '67
Harlan & Margaret Knosher
Bridget T. & Steven P. Koviekis
Laura L. Lane & Richard A. Stout
Michael P.A. '02 & Daisy Lane
Brent W. Lange '93
Gregory J. '02 & Patricia Lardi
Ronald William '81 & Barbara J. Laudel
Cammi Heimann Lawrence '95 &
Doug Lawrence
Julie E. Layer & Robert R. Marsden
Kathy S. Lee
Luis Mateo Liendo Patino
Deborah Lindel '78 & Craig R. Adam
Leann Liptak
Dale J. Litney '66
Richard S.'92 & Gina Clemmer Lufrano '93
J. David Lund '66
Neil R. Magruder '06
Allison Wenk Maki '99
Gloria Mallicoat
K. John Malmberg, Jr. '61
Heather Marshall & Kieran D. Pemberton
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