



# King's Daughters Circular

June 2022

*"Our circles of friendship are committed to the support and well-being of seniors in our community."*

## From the (New) President's Desk

I used to laugh when someone said, "Wow how time flies!" Now I am hanging on with both hands! It truly is hard to believe that two years have passed and now it is my turn to step into the position as President.



It is genuinely humbling to follow so many dynamic and creative leaders of **KDO**. Because of their innovation and willingness to take some chances, we are stronger than ever and can continue to give back to the community without hesitation.

The pandemic knocked us down a little bit but WE are on our way back. Circles are meeting again in person. The **Annual Luncheon and Style Show** "Back Together Again" is gearing up, and we are implementing the **Senior Hero's Breakfast**. We are in the process of enhancing our Web page and marketability to bring more attention to KDO, ideally increasing our membership.

I am so excited about our future and how we can continue to serve seniors. SO, it is time to re-engage and see each other again. Plan on socials, become a personal shopper, deliver **Daily Bread**, or join the Grants Committees. Lastly but most importantly, reach out to one of our members who needs a little encouragement to get going again to support our mission.

Our future is Bright! We have persevered and continue to make a difference in **Sangamon County!** I can't wait to get started...

Rising UP,  
Kim Cochran

and more from Kim, as **2021-2022 1st VP & Mission Chair ...**

## KDO Traditional Grants

On May 23, 2022, at the **Annual Meeting**, **KDO** awarded **\$185,000** in 18 grants to **15 not-for-profit organizations** throughout **Sangamon County**. It was so nice to see and congratulate everyone in person again, particularly, when we could fund 100% of their grant requests! I believe this is the first time KDO has been able to do this, and going forward, possibly the only time 100% funding will happen. Truly a historic time for our Organization.

I would like to thank the **2022 Grant Committee** for their time and commitment to ensure grant monies were awarded diversely throughout the community. **Sandy Bellatti** - President, **Misty Buscher** (MB), **Sally Cadagin** (MG), **Angela Capranica** (MP/N), **Marti Doyle** (FR), **Susan Fulks** (PR), **Katie Price** (PRO), **Jan Schramm** (WI), **Mary Ann Smith** (ML), and **Carolyn Stone** (GD). Your time and effort were truly appreciated.



Back row, left to right: **Capt. Jeff Eddy** (The Springfield Salvation Army Corps and Community Center), **Pastor Paul W. Davis** (Greater All Nation Tabernacle Church), **Trevor Orthmann** (Illinois Symphony Orchestra), **Justin Yuroff** (Senior Services of Central Illinois), **Cindy Drum** (Contact Ministries), **Eve Fischberg** (Joy of Movement).

Front row, left to right: **Kathy Garner** (Loami Food Pantry), **Bridgett Hammen** (The Parent Place), **Peggy Dyson** (Educational Center for the Visually Impaired).

## A Message from the Past President

**2022-2023**

### Executive Committee

**President:** Kim Cochran

**1st Vice President:** Cathy Boerke

**2nd Vice President:** Christie Goleman

**Secretary:** Laura Carmody

**Assistant Secretary:** Jane Locascio

**Treasurer:** Colleen Stone

**Assist Treasurer:** Sally Cadagin

**Past President:** Sandy Bellatti

### Board of Directors

#### *Friendship*

Sharon Heflin

#### *Grateful Daughters*

Brownie Anderson

Sandy Bellatti

Karen Little

#### *Margaret Garfield*

Sally Cadagin

Donna Jean Gibney

Teresa McElwee

Nance Woodward

#### *Marjorie Post-Nightingale*

Cathy Boerke

Angela Capranica

#### *Mary A. Lawrence*

Mary Ann Smith

Shirley Stoldt

#### *Mary H. Blackstock*

Laura Carmody

Christie Goleman

Amy Rasing

Brenda Staab

#### *Polly Roesch*

Jennifer Sylvia

Frances Tomashavich

#### *Progress*

Sally Cray

Diana Dedrick

Carol Sobeck

Diana Szczepanski

#### *Willing*

Kim Cochran

Jane Locascio

Colleen Stone

It has been my honor to serve as your president for the past two years. And this year has been amazing!

After almost 2 years of dealing with COVID-19 restrictions, last fall our circles were thrilled to be able to start meeting in-person again and also to start delivering **Daily Bread**. And by March, we were once again able to volunteer at the **Fair Hills Residence** --- with **Personal Shopper** twice each month, monthly **Bingo**, visiting our ladies and providing monthly



**Entertainment** for the residents. This is only one facet of what we do.

Our **Traditional Grants Committee** met in person at the **Community Foundation for the Land of Lincoln** (CFLL), and this year we were thrilled to be able to award over **\$185,000** in 18 grants to 15 not-for-profits who serve seniors in **Sangamon County**. These organizations provide the programs and structure to further our mission in so many ways that we could not possibly do all by ourselves. We love these partnerships and hope to be able to do even more going forward. **We have now granted more than \$2 million since 2008**. This is incredible ... give yourself a pat on the back! Thanks to the foresight of our leadership team back in 2007, our **Donor-Advised Fund** at **CFLL** will allow us to continue to make grants for many years to come!

In spite of the pandemic, our members have been able to continue volunteering and in April two of our members were recognized at the **14th Annual Good as Gold Volunteer Awards** reception at the **University of Illinois Springfield** — **Colleen Stone** (Willing Circle) and **Nance Woodward** (Margaret Garfield Circle). They are just two of the many wonderful women who make up our membership ... circle members who remained faithful, circle leaders and board members who continued to lead, and amazing women who served on our Executive Committee. These Executive Committee women, **Kim Cochran, Teresa McElwee, Sally Cadagin, Colleen Stone, Jane Locascio** and **Dee Dee Gain**) shared their insight and served with energy and enthusiasm. To them I say "thank you all for your service!"

And now I turn over the gavel to your new president, **Kim Cochran**. She is an exceptional leader. Be assured that she will lead us with confidence and grace.

**"May the Lord watch between me and thee,  
while we are absent one from the other."**

## Introducing KDO Leadership

The **2021-2022 KDO Nominating Committee**, chaired by **Brenda Staab** (MB), was faced with the challenging task of filling four open positions on the **2022-2023 KDO Executive Committee**. This task was made a bit easier when **Sally Cadagin**, who had reached her term limit in serving as Executive Secretary, gracefully accepted the offer to move to the position of **Assistant Treasurer**. Thank you Sally!!

Suggestions were solicited for those who could serve in the remaining three positions (**1st Vice President, 2nd Vice President**, and **Secretary**), and thanks to several exceptional recommendations, the positions were filled.

We are happy to welcome these three new faces to the **KDO Executive Committee**.

**Thank you ladies!!**

### **Cathy Sgro Boerke, KDO 1st Vice President**

Cathy is the **Director of Development for AgeLinc – Area Agency on Aging for Lincolnland**. She started serving the older and disabled population in 2016 for a local agency that provided home health, private duty, hospice, and assisted living services. Since transitioning into her role, she has been responsible for the Community Education Program, community engagement and media relations, marketing materials, the monthly newsletter and fundraising.



Recently, Cathy has become certified as a **Dementia Champion, Illinois COVID-19 Ambassador, a Heartland Continuum of Care Community Ambassador**, and recognized for **LGBTQ+ Inclusion**. She has been a member of the **Marjorie-Post Nightingale Circle** since 2017 and sits on the board for **Sojourn Shelter and Services** and her neighborhood association.

Cathy appreciates the meaning of living a dignified, meaningful, and independent life. She strives to serve and assist those who are 60 and older, disabled, and/or family caregivers by creating an awareness of aging and care giving issues and encourage the development and coordination of services to address these issues.

### **Christie Goleman, 2nd Vice President**

Christie is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker with a Master's degree in Social Work. She is currently the Medical Social Worker for **Advanced Healthcare Services, LLC**, a home healthcare agency. As a Medical Social Worker, Christie

assesses and evaluates the psychosocial status of patients, develops treatment plans, provides supportive counseling, links patients with information and referral services to meet their needs, and collaborates with community agencies to provide holistic care for the patient/family/caregiver. She has served as a social worker for the homeless, at-risk, medically frail, mentally ill, and geriatric populations. Christie also serves the Springfield community with her dog, Nash as a licensed pet therapy team. Christie is involved with many professional organizations including **Living Hope Counseling Center, Central Illinois Senior Celebration** and **Memorial Medical Center's Patient Advisory Committee**. Christie is currently the chairman for the **Illinois Council on Aging**, a council that is mandated to review and comment on reports by the Department to the Governor and to the General Assembly, and to review and comment upon the Department's State



Plan and on all disbursements of public funds by the Department to private agencies. Christie's passion is working with the elderly and acting as an advocate for vulnerable populations.

Christie has been a member of **Mary H. Blackstock Circle** since 2015.

# Introducing KDO Leadership

## Laura Carmody, KDO Executive Secretary

Laura was born and raised in **Springfield**. After graduating from **University of Illinois** in 1984, she moved to **Chicago, Atlanta, Ponte Vedra Beach, FL** and back to Springfield. Her personal mission is to honor God in all that she does.



Professionally, Laura sold software and robotic technology for over 15 years. In 2001, she started a sales recruiting and consulting business which she operated for 10 years.

In 2011, she purchased a **Home Instead Senior Care** franchise in Springfield. In 2016, she was proud to be named "**Small Business Owner of the Year**" by the **Springfield Chamber of Commerce**. Later that year she sold her business.

Laura purchased a **Spavia** franchise in 2017 and opened for business in late 2018. She is excited to be a part of the Spavia family and share exceptional spa experiences with our community.

For over 10 years Laura has been a member of **Mary H. Blackstock Circle**. She has served as **Leader, Co-Leader** and **Social Chairman**. She looks forward to serving as **Secretary** on the **Executive Committee**.

## And Welcome Back!

**Kim Cochran** (WI) -- moving up from 1st VP to Executive President

**Colleen Stone** (WI) -- continuing as Executive Treasurer

**Sally Cadagin** (PR) -- previously Secretary, now Executive Assistant Treasurer

## King's Daughters Organization 2022 - 2023 Executive Committee



## CIRCLE LEADERS

### *Friendship*

Cindy Lash, Leader  
Mary Harney, Co-Leader

### *Grateful Daughters*

Dee Dee Gain, Leader  
Karen Little, Co-Leader

### *Margaret Garfield*

Nance Woodward, Leader  
Wanda Keil, Co-Leader

### *Marjorie Post/Nightingale*

Angela Capranica, Leader

### *Mary A. Lawrence*

Kandy Grafton, Leader  
Mary Ann Smith, Co-Leader

### *Mary H. Blackstock*

Cathy Schwartz, Leader  
Kim McDonald, Co-Leader

### *Polly Roesch*

Jennifer Sylvia, Leader  
Barb Killian, Co-Leader

### *Progress*

Diana Szczepanski, Leader  
Alice Nelle, Co-Leader

### *Willing*

Colleen Stone, Leader  
Jeri Waldeck, Co-Leader

From Left to Right:

**Jane Locascio** (WI),  
Assistant Secretary,  
**Laura Carmody** (MB),  
Secretary,  
**Colleen Stone** (WI),  
Treasurer,  
**Christie Goleman** (MB),  
2nd Vice President  
**Cathy Boerke** (MP/N),  
1st Vice President,  
**Kim Cochran** (WI),  
President,  
**Sally Cadagin** (MG),  
Assistant Treasurer

# 2022 KDO Traditional Grant Awards

presented by Sandy Bellatti, KDO President, and Stacy Reed, CFLL VP of Programs & Marketing



## AgeLinc/Area Agency on Aging for Lincolnland \$25,000

To cover expenses not covered by Medicare, specifically hearing aids, glasses and dental expenses.

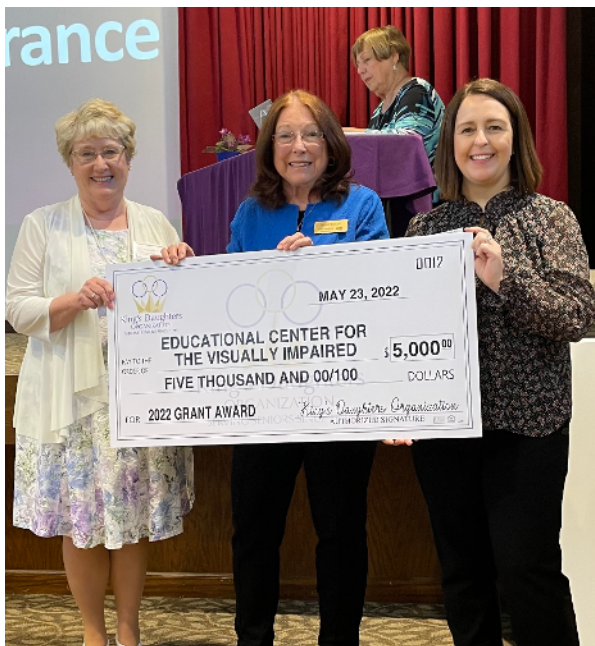
Accepting the check: **Caroyln Austin**



## Contact Ministries \$16,000

To provide \$10,000 in medical prescription assistance and \$6,000 in eye glass assistance to seniors 55 years of age and older living in Sangamon County.

Accepting the check: **Cindy Drum**



## Educational Center for the Visually Impaired \$5,000

To support the personal vision coach program, offering equipment and training to seniors who are visually impaired.

Accepting the check: **Peggy Dyson**



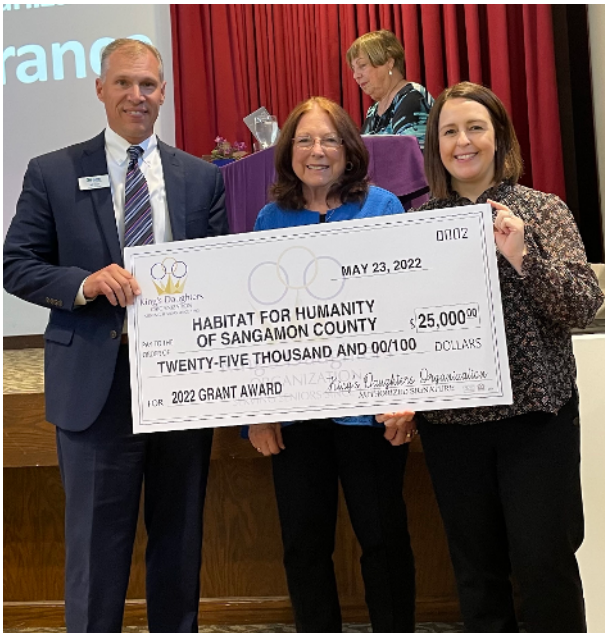
## Greater All Nations Tabernacle Church \$12,500

Launch of the Resource Navigation Program at their resource senior luncheons to assist seniors in identifying and connecting with resources available. The navigator will identify the need, confirm eligibility, and follow the senior, if eligible, through the application process.

Accepting the check: **Pastor Paul W. Davis**

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Accepting the check: **Jeff Raes**

## Habitat for Humanity of Sangamon County

**\$25,000**

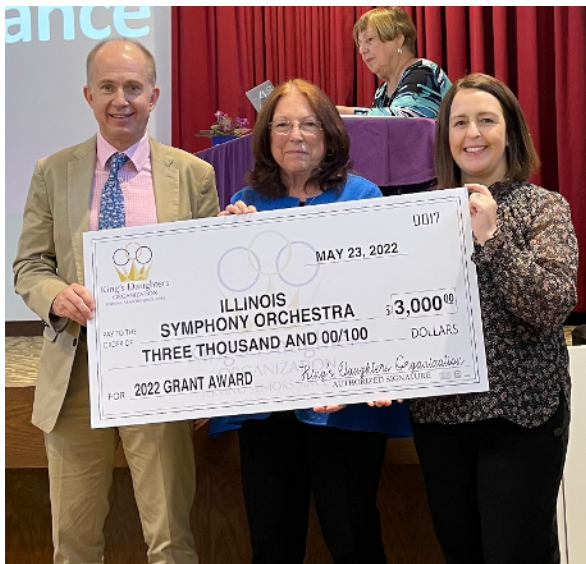
Support the critical home repair program offering clients assistance with home repairs necessary for health or safety issues. Repairs include roof replacement, HVAC work (air conditioning/heating), interior accessibility aides, foundation work, insulation installation for energy efficiency, replacement windows and doors, etc

**\$15,000**

Funding for wheelchair ramp installation program to install, utilizing volunteer labor, ADA and code compliant ramps to allow low income, senior homeowners to live in their home longer and allow them to "age-in-place."

**\$1,600**

To help seniors in need of furniture and household items acquire necessary items from the Habitat for Humanity Retail Store.

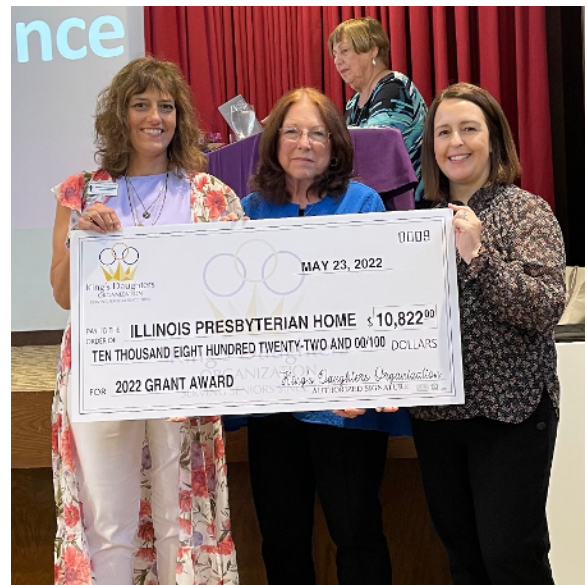


## Illinois Symphony Orchestra

**\$3,000**

To support the *Sundays at Six* recital series featuring small ISO ensembles performing at senior centers and streamed on the ISO YouTube Channel. These streamed performances will allow seniors to enjoy the engaging and inspiring ISO performances from the comfort of their home.

Accepting the check: **Trevor Orthmann**



## Illinois Presbyterian Home

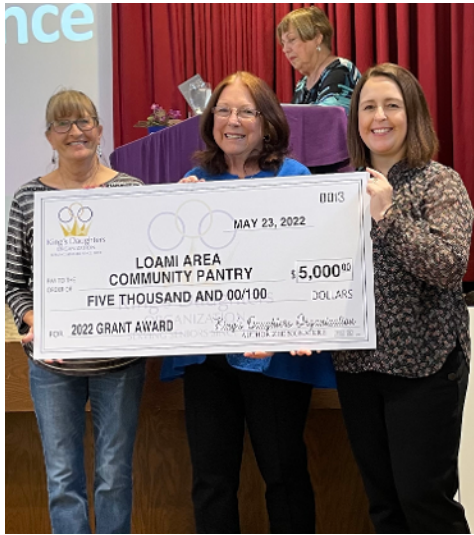
**\$10,822**

To Purchase senior-safe, outdoor chairs and tables for residence porches and patios.

Accepting the check: **Maryann Walker**

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**Loami Area Community Pantry**  
**\$5,000**

To purchase and provide senior clients with uncommon pantry items such as soaps, lotions, detergents for sensitive skin, blood pressure cuffs, incontinence products, etc.

Accepting the check: **Kathy Garner**



**MindsEye Radio**  
**\$5,000**

To support the *Broadcast Information Program* that uses technology and volunteer support to provide free broadcasts of printed material to seniors with vision loss. Broadcasts include local information - news, grocery store ads, and obituaries - that cannot be accessed elsewhere.

Accepting the check: **Angela Banks & Jason Frazier**



**Senior Services of Central Illinois**  
**\$11,610**

To support Senior Transport program by purchasing items essential to running an efficient and safe transportation program.

**\$5,000**

Support for the Emergency Fund program, which helps seniors in times of financial emergency to make rent or utility payments, avoiding eviction or shut-off.

Accepting the check: **Justin Yuroff**



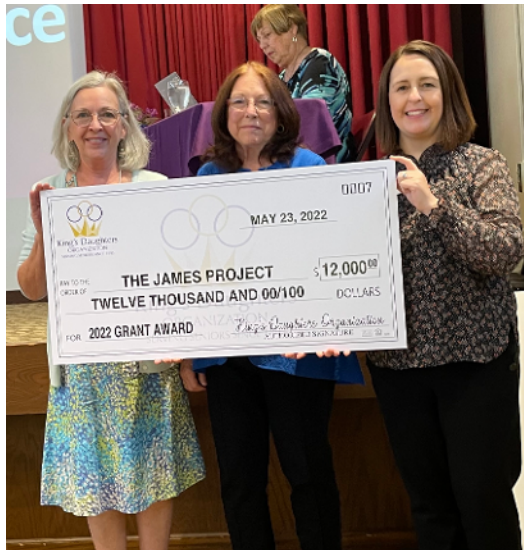
**Springfield Housing Authority**  
**\$5,132**

To purchase air mattresses, blankets, and pillows for incoming residents who have been homeless, are very low income, and cannot afford furniture or items.

Accepting the check: **Michelle Sargent**

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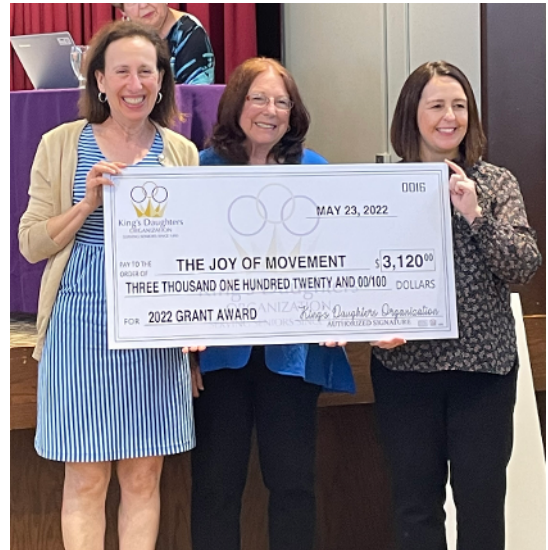
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**The James Project**  
**\$12,000**

To provide supplemental grocery expenditures for grandparents and other relatives, who are 55+, and find themselves in the role of foster parent, adoptive parent, guardian, or fictive kin for their foster placement.

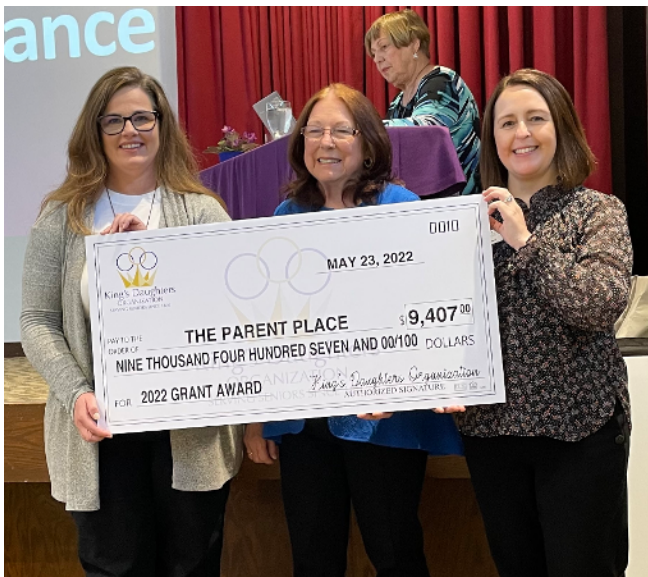
Accepting the check: **Terri Enno**



**The Joy of Movement**  
**\$3,120**

Support weekly adapted group dance classes for older adults with Parkinson Disease (PD) and their care partners.

Accepting the check: **Eve Fischberg**



**The Parent Place**  
**\$9,407**

To provide guardianship assistance, support meetings, and workshops focused on healthy family relationships for grandparents raising grandchildren.

Accepting the check: **Bridgett Hammen**



**The Springfield Salvation Army Corps and Community Center**  
**\$15,000**

Support for seniors raising their grandchildren, covering basic needs, such as housing costs, utilities, food, medication, school supplies, etc.

Accepting the check: **Capt. Jeff Eddy**

# 129th KDO Annual Corporation Luncheon and Meeting

submitted by **Jane Locascio**  
Assistant Secretary & Annual Meeting Chair

The **Annual Corporate Meeting and luncheon** was held on May 23, 2022, at **Westminster Presbyterian Church**, hosted by **Willing** and **Friendship Circles**.

As attendees arrived for the luncheon, **Grateful Daughters** member **Dee Dee Gain** provided lovely background music on the piano.



**President Sandy Bellatti** opened the meeting and introduced special guests from the **Community Foundation for the Land of Lincoln**: **John Stremsterfer**, President and CEO; **Stacy Reed**, Vice President of Programs and Marketing; **Sarah Helm**, Vice President of Development; and **Haley Wilson**, Director of Communications. President Bellatti also introduced those **KDO Advisory Board** members present: **Hugh Drake**, **Dr. Max Hammer**, **Donald O'Neal**, and **Maryann Walker** (FR).

**Cindy Lash** of **Friendship Circle** gave the invocation.

The luncheon was catered by **Pat Hymans** (GD), who regularly caters events held at Westminster. Members of the hosting circles served the food, taking the extra precaution of wearing gloves and masks due to COVID-19.



Representatives from each of the grantee organizations were present and were scattered at tables throughout the room, with at least one grantee seated at each table. This seating arrangement provided the KDO membership the opportunity to engage with and find out more about the organizations receiving KDO grant funds.

Master gardeners, **Diana Hetherington** (WI) and **Susie Risser** (WI) created the centerpieces with help from **Jo Bunn** (WI) and another master gardener. They arranged fresh flowers and greenery from their gardens, accented with yellow roses.

A special thank you goes to **Linda Wilson** (MG) from **Homescapes** for loaning the beautiful centerpiece placed on the food buffet, and special mention goes to **Todd Nelson**, owner of **Starcrest Cleaners**, for graciously donating laundry services for all the table linens.



Newly installed  
2022-2023 KDO President  
**Kim Chochran** (WI)

The event received numerous compliments. Members were excited and happy to be meeting again in person after having the last two Annual Meetings held virtually. Next year's meeting will be May 22, 2022.



President **Sandy Bellatti** (GD) being interviewed by Channel 20 News.



**Jane Locascio** (WI) conducting the Memorial Service. **Susan Beard** (MP/N) placing a yellow rose in memory of a deceased circle member.

## Circle and Member News

### **KDO and Circle Sponsored Activities Back in Action at the Illinois Presbyterian Home - Fair Hills Residence**



Richard Landry and Snowball with several of the Fair Hills residents.

Richard Landry and his bunny Snowball entertained on May 18th, sponsored by Willing Circle. Attending for Willing Circle was Jeri Waldeck, Colleen Stone, and Jo Bunn. Residents were included in his magic tricks, and all who wished got to pet Snowball! One resident told Colleen that she hadn't laughed that much in a long time. That is something we love to hear!

One of the residents getting a close look at Snowball. This time no one tried to sneak Snowball back to their room! (and, yes, that has happened in the past!!)



Bingo was successfully restarted by the Margaret Garfield Circle in April. It is held the second Wednesday of the month from 2:30 to 4 PM. Circle members call bingo and assist the residents in filling out their cards. The residents' response has been great, with a turn out between 26 and 30!! Nancy Blunk, Malinda Craig, Dianne Cycholl, Susan Madison, Cathy Tapscott, and Nance Woodward have been the circle "bingo ladies" thus far.

### **UIS Good as Gold Ceremony April 25, 2022**



Two of KDO's own, Colleen Stone (WI) (left) and Nance Woodward (MG) (right) received Heart of Gold Community Awards for their volunteer work over the years, both for KDO and for other organizations and causes near and dear to them. Congratulations Ladies and thank you for all your hard work enriching the lives of those in need in our community!!!

### **Marjorie Post/Nightingale Circle Meetings**



#### **March Meeting at Bella Milano**

L to R: Anne Russell, Carolyn Austin, Sharon Poytner, Pam Walters, Joanne Roderick, Vickie McHenry, Angela Capranica, Cathy Boerke.



#### **April Meeting at Loukinen's on 4th**

Above, L to R: Joanne Roderick, Cathy Boerke, Karen O'Beirne.

Left, L to R: Nancy Collantino, Sharon Poytner, Pam Walters, Vickie McHenry, Anne Russell, Angela Capranica.

## Celebration of Life

**In Remembrance of  
members who are gone  
but not forgotten.**

### **Current Members**

**Marjorie Post/Nightingale  
Circle**

Jeanette Sgro

### **Former Members**

**Marjorie Post / Nightingale  
Circle**

Elizabeth Saner

### **Welcome New Members!**

(February 9, 2022 to May 6, 2022)

### **Grateful Daughters Circle**

Brownie Anderson

Ruth White

### **Marjorie Post/Nightingale Circle**

Carolyn Austin

Terri Snider

### **Progress Circle**

Rosie Camille

### **Willing Circle**

Chiffonia White

### **Returning Member**

#### **Progress Circle**

Carole Ficke

### **KDO Associate Member**

Beverly Neisler

### **KDO Membership Roster**

Any members interested in receiving a digital copy of the roster may contact

**Teresa McElwee**, KDO Database Manager at [tmcelwee5@comcast.net](mailto:tmcelwee5@comcast.net).

REMEMBER: This roster is for members' personal use only and is not to be used or shared for any other purpose.

# 74th Annual Luncheon & Style Show

## **Back Together Again!**

**KDO Members** and **community supporters** will be back together again for the **74th Annual Luncheon & Style Show** on **October 10, 2022**, at the **Crowne Plaza Hotel**. Not only is our theme "back together again" but our two major sponsors are back with us as well! Each of these sponsors are known for making a positive difference in the Springfield community.

**Title Sponsor - Concordia Village.** Concordia is a retirement community in Springfield offering an outstanding variety of living options with first-rate services and life-enriching amenities for seniors.

**Event Sponsor - Spavia.** Spavia, located at 3110 West Iles Avenue in Springfield, is an award-winning, resort quality day spa that provides an exceptional experience with luxury in every detail.

More sponsorships are needed for the success of this event. They are available in a range of commitment levels. Tickets are issued to sponsors as a priority. If you are interested in being a sponsor, but did not receive a sponsorship invitation, please contact one of the Co-Chairs promptly. Sponsorships must be received prior to August 12 for priority seating.

Co-Chairs: **Kathy Mihelich** (815) 416-8794 [kmihelich5@aol.com](mailto:kmihelich5@aol.com)  
**Diana Szczepanski** (217) 381-8048 [diszcz@hotmail.com](mailto:diszcz@hotmail.com)

## **Won't you join us?**

The event will raise funds to assist in providing grants to organizations who serve seniors in our community. It will feature a run-way parade of models from local boutiques and retailers wearing fashionable apparel and accessories. Lunch will be served throughout the show and classic cocktails will be available at a cash bar.

A unique "**White Elephant**" shopping experience will open the event. Items for sale, including gently used along with some new, will include jewelry, purses, home décor, kitchen utensils, cookware, dinner ware, linens, and holiday decorations. Homemade bakery goods will be sold as well.

In addition to shopping, there will be an opportunity to bid on **Silent Auction** items and buy chances for the **Basket Raffle** or chances to win a portion of the **Split-the-Pot Raffle**. There will also be a drawing for four \$100 **Door Prizes**, courtesy of **Scheels**.

Follow **King's Daughters Organization** on **Facebook** for up-to-the-minute information.

## **Item Donations Needed**

**Gently used items** for the shopping experience are being collected now from KDO members and friends through August 17, 2022. Also, items for the **Silent Auction** and **Basket Raffle** are being sought. Please email [diszcz@hotmail.com](mailto:diszcz@hotmail.com) to donate.

A **Collection Coffee** will be held at the **Sangamo Club** on **August 17** beginning at **10 am**. Items for donation will be accepted, and sponsorship tickets will be available for pick up. Remaining single tickets for the luncheon will go on sale at this time.

**Thank You to these generous KDO members and friends who have made contributions to the King's Daughters Organization.**

### **GIFTS TO KDO TREASURY**

February 2022 to April 2022

#### ***Gifts in Memory of:***

**Elizabeth Saner**

Marjorie Post/Nightingale Circle

**Jeanette Sgro**

Marjorie Post/Nightingale Circle

### **GIFTS TO CFLL-KDO DONOR ADVISED FUND**

February 2022 to April 2022

#### ***Gifts in Memory of:***

**Nellie Jo Hasselbring Tarr**

Brenda Staab

**JoAnn Holton**

Charlie & Mella Goldman

**Dorothy Hood**

Mr. & Mrs. Kevin Schultz

David Hood

Alan & Mag Rolando

**Mary Staudt**

Brenda Staab

Mary H. Blackstock Circle

#### ***Donation Gifts:***

Sandy Bellatti

Terri Hempstead

Greg Ranalletta

Mary H. Blackstock Circle

In addition to supporting KDO fundraisers such as the **74th Annual Luncheon & Style Show** and the upcoming **Hero's Breakfast**, planned for Spring 2023, you may provide support for **KDO** and its **Mission** through donations to:

**KDO Treasury**, or  
**CFLL- KDO Donor Advised Fund.**  
(mailed to KDO, P.O. Box 2087,  
Springfield, IL 62705)



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*"Sharing Life in Circles of Care and Friendship"*

**Find us on Facebook or at [www.kdospringfield.org](http://www.kdospringfield.org)**

**VERY IMPORTANT -- WATCH FOR EMAILS FROM  
CONSTANT CONTACT!!**

KDO is using the email marketing application **Constant Contact** to keep in touch with its membership. It is **extremely important** that the **KDO Membership Database** has **up-to-date** email addresses for **ALL** members. Please notify your **circle leader** of any changes, or email **Teresa McElwee** at [tmcelwee5@comcast.net](mailto:tmcelwee5@comcast.net).

**Look for**

the **KDO Booth** in the **Illinois Building** at the Illinois State Fair.

**Mark Your Calendar!**

**74th Annual Luncheon & Style Show**

Monday, October 10, 2022  
Crowne Plaza

**Stay Tuned**

for more information about the **KDO Hero's Breakfast** coming in Spring 2023.

**IMPORTANT:** Distribution of the *King's Daughters Circular* is now primarily **DIGITAL**, either through email using **CONSTANT CONTACT** or on the **KDO WEBSITE** ([www.kdospringfield.org](http://www.kdospringfield.org)).

If you wish to continue receiving a **PRINTED** version, please contact **TERESA MCELWEE**.

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