FALL 2010 SCHOLARSHIPS

Amy Kummerow Scholarship
   Jennifer McDonald
Southwood Van-Es Scholarship
   Kelli Murphy
AgReliant Genetics Scholarship
   Nicholas Baker
   Ashley Yant
Agriculture Business Management Scholarship
   David Erickson
John and Marge Albin Scholarship
   Brooke Lannon
AMBUCS Respiratory/Occupational Therapy Scholarship
   Alicia Brown
Tonia Anding Memorial Scholarship
   Kelli Murphy
Astronomy Club Scholarship
   Marika Rosenberger
Bane Equipment Sales, Inc. Scholarship
   Charles Scheurich
Birkey's Scholarship - Forging the Future CNH Program
   Kody Bosch
   Ian Boyce
   Skylar Brown
   Adam Gilmore
   Harley Hawk
   Benton Isom
   Justin Jeffries
   David Kiser
   Chris Marion
   Andrew Smith
   John Steele
   Brian Tegeler
   Landon Tolley
   Luke Turner
   Jeremy Weitl
Julia F. Burnham Scholarship
   Matthew Brewer
Busey Bank Entrepreneurial Development Scholarship
   Marcus Butler
Busey Bank Scholarship
   Laura Jarrett
   Katherine Klindworth
   Nakila Moore
   Alexandra Pelmore
   Kayla Reed
   Richard Sumitro
Billy Byers Accounting Scholarship
   Jason Lamb
Carle Scholars at Parkland
   Mensah Adeke
   Frank Barber
   Mihaela Dicher Jacobson
   April Li-Hemshouvanh
   Jennifer Meinhart
   Emily Milburn
   Rachel Newcomb
   Kirstie Ruthstrom
   Jenna Swanson
   Diamond Williams
Marilyn Casey Scholarship
   Maria Carbajo
   Casey Wright
Champaign County Sports Car Club Scholarship
   Sabrena Ekstrom
   Eward Parsons
   Cory Webb
Champaign Rotary Vo Tech Scholarship Construction Technology
   Clayton Bosch
   William Myers Hospitality Award
      Melanie Domanski
      Jessica McCann
      Mark Misenthaler
   Marilyn E. Huckaba Alpha Xi Delta Scholarship
      Lauren Carter
   Catherine & Leo Huff Memorial Scholarship
      Matthew Brewer
   David M. Jones Memorial Scholarship
      Gabrielle Borries
      Cynthia Bradford
      Mark Eschbach
      Shelby Greger
      Magnolia Talavera
   David M. and Shirley A. Jones Student Art Award
      Natalie Fiol
   David Jones Award
      Sophie McMahan
   Don Lake Art Scholarship
      Eric Shine
   Norman Lambert Memorial Scholarship
      Aubrey Lucas
   Lykins Family Art Scholarship
      Anora Johnson
   Lykins Family Nursing Scholarship
      Kayla Brown
   John Mathews Memorial Agriculture Scholarship
      Leon Peters
   Maurer Family Scholarship
      Christy Green
   David Maxwell Memorial Scholarship
      Jennifer McDonald
   McGrain-Huff Scholarship
      Danika Hislope
      Kelli Murphy
      Erin Sellers
      Melanie Sheckles
   Metals Award
      Erin Rogers
   Bill and Anna Meitler Nursing Scholarship
      Melanie Sheckles
   Meyer Charitable Foundation Scholarship
      Matthew Brewer
   Randall A. Millas Theatre Scholarship
      Sidney Hastings
   Thomas James Neal & Lynnie May Rice Neal Scholarship
      Nicholas Baker
   Thomas James Neal & Lynnie May Rice Neal Scholarship
      David Erickson
   Don M. Nelson Ag Transfer Scholarship
      Chase Bryan
      Bryan Ideus
   Commander Leonard H. Nettmin Memorial Scholarship
      Candy Tampasis
   Richard D. Norris Student Government Scholarship
      Tyler Cravens
   Parkland Proud Scholarship
      Christina Brooks
      Noa Featherstone
   Brett Finke
   Breonna Greenwald
   Rory Lamkin
   Chris Mower
   Samantha Porter
   Erika Somo
   Jason Snyder
   Kelly Snyder
   Kyle Trinkle
   Nathan Williams
   Chrystal Woods
   Enos Phillips Memorial Scholarship
      David Erickson
   Robert P. Pope Scholarship
      Bethany Anderson
   Rantoul Community Scholarship
      Megan Casey
      Rebecca Hethke
      Erin Sellers
   The Rachel J. Schroeder and Vernie A. Schroeder Scholarship for Agriculture
      Nicholas Baker
   The Rachel J. Schroeder and Vernie A. Schroeder Scholarship for Nursing Students
      Sarah Havice
   Jimm V. Scott Memorial Scholarship
      Baille Golladay
   George Shapland Scholarship
      Yvonne Carter
      Korey Keenan
   Singleton Law Firm Entrepreneurial Development Scholarship
      Bethany Dowling
   M.G. & Gladys Snyder Scholarship
      Audrey Busby
   Timothy Stafford Memorial Scholarship
      Kelli Murphy
   Technology Scholarship
      Garie Mullis-Brock
   Theatre Production Award
      Ross Henry
   Charles Thomas Memorial Scholarship
      Alicia Brown
   Lauretta Turner Memorial Scholarship
      Danika Hislope
   University of Illinois Employees Credit Union
      Alicia Drook
      Alex Misdarfer
      Emily Roberts
   Underwood-Alger Scholarship
      Sergio Diego-Juan
   Vitoux Family Agriculture Scholarship
      David Erickson
   Vitoux Family LAS Scholarship
      Kelly McNellis
   Arthur Winakor Memorial Scholarship
      Jason Lamb
   Melissa Bailey Wolfram Memorial Scholarship
      Baille Golladay
   Gayle Wright & Owen LeGare Memorial Scholarships
      Philip Meyers
   William D. Yasley Memorial Scholarship
      Jason Lamb
AWARDS AND EVENTS

SURGICAL TECH 40TH YEAR!

On Wednesday, September 21, the Parkland College Health Professions department celebrated the 40th anniversary of the beginning of the Surgical Technology program at Parkland. Close to 50 former and current students attended the event held from 4 to 6 p.m. in the Gallery Lounge.

SHERI LANGENDORF WINS STATE AWARD!

Parkland College Adult Education instructor Sheri Langendorf recently won the 2011 Outstanding Part-time Faculty Member Award from the Illinois Community College Trustees Association.

Having taught a variety of adult education classes for more than 50 semesters including GED, pre-GED, and family literacy, Langendorf has taught English as a Second Language exclusively for the last 10 years. Her teaching philosophy recognized that adult ESL students must become acclimated, not only to a new language, but to a new environment and different culture as well.

“As students become acclimated, I also strive to be a community resource for them,” Langendorf, a resident of Urbana, said. “I try to instill confidence in each student’s ability to learn.”

According to Tawanna Nickens, Parkland Adult Education director, “Sheri is dedicated to teaching literacy as a tool that improves the lives of her students and their families. I have seen firsthand her diligence in ensuring that each class session provides a stimulating learning environment where students are fully engaged and eager to embrace the unknown.”
PARTNERS FOR PARKLAND
ANNUAL CAMPAIGN 2011

Enthusiasm has never been higher as we formally began the Parkland College Foundation’s Partners for Parkland Annual Campaign at our Kick-Off Reception at Worden-Martin on Thursday, September 8, 2011.

Wayne Weber, in his third year of leadership, has captured the energy of many community leaders along with the Parkland College administration and staff to surpass last year’s goal of $2.1 million. Additionally, we are very fortunate to have an excellent administration, faculty, and staff, as well as our new Foundation Board President, James Ayers. As you speak to our students, you will learn of the quality instruction going on at Parkland. Equally talented are the leaders volunteering to help us with the annual fund drive. We truly appreciate their efforts!

Division Chairs this year are Vance Barr, Dr. Mark Black, Bonnie Blair, Stuart Broeren, Dave Burns, John Clausen, Pat Dorsey, James Eichhorst, Laura Appenzeller Frerichs, Dr. Dana Gray, Donna Green, Chad Happersett, John Hecker, Kim Martin, Dr. David Morse, James Reed, Jerry Schweighart, Paul Tatman, Steve Tock, Marjorie Williams, and Dr. Martha Yallaly.

Your support is appreciated for scholarships and college program enhancements! Contact the Foundation at 217/351-2464 to make your annual gift by credit card or visit us online at https://pcweb.parkland.edu/foundation/donation.aspx.

Photo by Nick Washington/Prospectus News. From left to right, Carl Meyer, Executive Director of the Parkland College Foundation; Wayne Weber, Chair of the 2011 Partners for Parkland; James Ayers, President of the Parkland College Foundation Board of Directors; Dr. Thomas Ramage, President of Parkland College; and Donald C. Dodds, Jr., former President of the Parkland College Foundation Board of Directors.
Dear Parkland Alumni,

As you enjoy this latest issue of the Parkland Update, I’d like to remind you of a rewarding opportunity to provide scholarships for deserving Parkland College students. The 14th annual Parkland College Foundation Gala, “Festival of Cultures,” will be held on Friday, November 4 at the Champaign Country Club and promises to be an enjoyable evening of music, dining, and mingling, as well as a chance to take home several fantastic auctioned items. I look forward to seeing you there and expressing my appreciation for your continued support of this great community college and its student body.

I’d also like to thank those whose efforts and generous hearts have made the 2011 Partners for Parkland Annual Campaign a success thus far. Since its launch in September, the campaign’s outstanding chair Wayne Weber, its division chairs, and many business and individuals in our community have been working hard to ensure that programs and facilities at Parkland will maintain their excellence for many years to come.

Again, thanks for all you do for Parkland College through your gifts to the Foundation; we need and appreciate the help you give.

Thomas R. Ramage

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT
The 11th Annual Parkland College Foundation Golf Outing, presented by FedEx Ground and SuperValu, was sold-out again, and participants enjoyed a beautiful day at the Urbana Country Club. FedEx was the Corporate Team winner with golfers Jon Walden, Ross Parker, Matt Ashmore, and Dave Cook. Congratulations to all the winners!

Thanks to all those who played in the outing on Tuesday, September 13. Proceeds from the event are used to support Parkland College Athletics.

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- Wells Fargo Insurance

Low Gross winning team – First Bank – l to r: Erich Franklin, Damon Hackleman, Matt Carr, and Jamie Fairbanks

l to r: Parkland College President Dr. Thomas Ramage, Parkland College Head Coach Men’s Basketball Nate Mast, and Parkland College Foundation Executive Director Carl R. Meyer at the 11th Annual Golf Outing
Ever wish you were wealthy enough to donate a $100,000 gift to your favorite organization and leave a personal legacy? You are!

“Planned Giving” offers both current and deferred options that can benefit donors, as well as beneficiaries. For donors who cannot afford to write a sizeable check, say for $100,000, a deferred gift offers alternative solutions, such as: Bequests in Wills, Retirement Accounts, or Life Insurance.

Do I have your attention yet? If so, let me tell how one of these options allowed me to donate a far more sizeable gift to my favorite organization than I could have ever imagined!

Two years ago, I listened to a presentation from a local investment officer during a regular meeting of the Parkland College Foundation Board of Directors. Since the community college mission changed my life 25 years ago in another state, I have been involved in support of that mission. When I became affiliated with Parkland College, I helped with fundraising, became a Foundation board member, and wrote an annual check for $1,000 per year as a continuing donation. On my income, I considered this a fairly generous gift.

I always longed to do more, though…to be in a position to leave a substantial gift that would be a living personal legacy. That day, in that board meeting, I learned how to do just that! I now have a $100,000 life insurance policy, naming my favorite organization, Parkland College, as beneficiary, at a cost that is actually less than the $1,000 per year donation I was making before.

If you would like more information about affordable ways you can make a huge difference, then please contact the Parkland College Foundation office at 217/351-2457 or email mhagan@parkland.edu. If you would like to talk to me about how personally rewarding this has been, you can reach me at 217/721-4714 or at broker@marjwilliams.com.

VISIT US ONLINE!

Want information on Foundation scholarships that are available? Thinking of making a gift to support your favorite Parkland College program? Want to view past newsletters? Want to contact us by e-mail? Then visit the Foundation's webpage at www.parkland.edu/alumnifoundation/foundation.

You’ll find details, criteria, and deadline dates of all the scholarships that the Foundation offers to Parkland students, as well as an online donation form, information on our measurable successes, a snapshot of the Alumni Association, and past issues of the Parkland Update.

We're just a click away!