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Central Catholic Schools Foundation

## Hewlett Packard/John Slattery Computers and Equipment Gift

Central Catholic and the Foundation are proud to announce the arrival of a \$20,000 grant and matching gift from Hewlett Packard and GICC Alum, John Slattery '66.

This grant includes the following equipment:

- 9 HP ProBook 4510s Notebook PC
- 14 HP Compaq dc7900 Ultra Slim PC
- 14 HP L1950g 19-inch LCD Monitor
- 2 HP LP2475sw 24-inch Flat Panel Monitor

Three generations of Slattery's have attended and graduated from Saint Mary's and Central Catholic in Grand Island. Proudly, the John Slattery Family including his daughter Kristin Michelle Slattery Cagle, who attended Central in the early 80's, have crafted a gift to GICC that includes a match from John's company, Hewlett Packard.

John is the Client Sales Executive for the Manufacturing, Energy and Life Sciences Industries with HP.

## The Crusader Band of Angels Appeal

For the last ten years the Central Catholic Foundation has been proud to contribute \$225,000—\$327,000s through Endowment Earnings. Because of the downturn in the economy, the Endowment has not produced the funds deemed necessary by the school for the 2009/2010 school year.

*The Crusader Band of Angels Appeal* was launched in late March to subsidize the Endowment Earnings portion of the school's budget. It is GICC's stimulus package enabling the tradition of quality education to continue at Central Catholic.

***If you haven't already... Join the Band of Angels!***

Angel gifts to date are:

**\$116,298 to date Representing 127 gifts**  
**\$183,702 to reach \$300,000 goal**

**Does your halo need some shining?**

## October Memorials

David Michael Caffrey  
James Donald Caffrey  
Frances Francis  
Eileen Dowd Ganser  
William Holder  
Pat Jones  
George & Irene O'Brien  
Mary Pileggi  
Larry Schafer  
Robert Wagner  
John & Florence Wagoner  
Tom & Cecelia Wagoner

*Stop by the Foundation Office to see the Crusader "Book of Memories".*

*These albums remind us of those we have loved and honor.*

## IRA Charitable Rollover Provisions Last Chance!

The IRA Charitable Rollover provision is about to expire at the end of this year. The provision allows you to make a very generous contribution to Grand Island Central Catholic from you IRA, with NO tax bill.

Keep in mind:

- ◆ Donors must be 70.5 or older
- ◆ Donors cannot donate more than \$100,000 in a year from their IRA.

Your contribution could make a difference in the lives of young people for years to come.

Contact the Foundation Office with any questions. (308.382.5499)

## Central Catholic Foundation Board

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Central Catholic Board Members serve three-year terms with a maximum two terms.

Thanks to our Foundation Board Members for their unwavering dedication, care and concern for Central Catholic.

**\$10,000**

### Crusader Lottery Calendar Winner:

**Carol Knauss**

An additional \$7,200 will be paid throughout 2010...watch your mail!

**Race to the Finish  
Line...  
Building the Faith**



**Challenge Goal \$4,000,000**

**Pledged or Paid to Date \$ 3,717,611**

**To Complete Challenge \$ 282,389**

**648 Pledges to Date**

Do you and your loved ones have your "brick" yet on the Crusader Wall of Honor?

## Foundation News

- ◆ Alumni are encouraged to mark their calendars for December 26th. That's the day set for the new Holiday Alumni Tournament. Coach Bill Gavers will manage the tournament. All proceeds will be used for tuition assistance.
- ◆ Check out the GICC Foundation website for past Foundation Reports (like this), Update Newsletters, a link to Central Catholic Schools, as well as much more Crusader information.

**centralcatholic-development.com**

**Parents and Friends of Central Catholic are invited to join us for Mass each Wednesday at 8:15 am.**

**Contact the Foundation Office for a first semester Mass schedule!**

## The 2009 Knight in Paris Dinner & Auction

This was not just any night... the GICC Knight in Paris was an event to remember. Thanks to Ryan and Laura Dexter, Greg and Kim Jarecke, Jerald and Laurie Sindt and Aaron and Michelle Kelly with their amazing committee and a team of Crusader workers and volunteers. The Knight has made Central Catholic an event unlike any in the mid-Nebraska area.

Also thanks to the bidders at the Knight who raised the Fund an Item to \$23,750 for our 2009 project, "No Teacher Left Behind." These funds will be used by our faculty for unanswered prayers in their classrooms.

### 27 Corporate Tables including:

Ag Express Electronics and Ron's Music 3 years  
 Agricultural Services Inc/Gil and Mary Kuntz 12 years  
 Bank of the West/Jeremy Mueller /Home Mortgage Consultant 5 years  
 Chief Industries, Inc. 5 years  
 Case IH--and Hy-Vee 1 year  
 Credit Management 1 year  
 Dan Govier--Wells Fargo Advisors 4 years  
 Eakes Office Plus/Terry Pfeifer-Edwards Jones Inv. 1 year  
 Equitable Bank 12 years  
 Exchange Bank 6 years  
 Five Points Bank 11 years  
 Dr. Thomas Nabity, Dr. Richard Goble and Dr. Timothy Knudson 2 years  
 Grand Island Physical Therapy 1 year  
 Gro-Rite Minerals 3 years  
 Home Federal Bank 11 years  
 Hooker Brothers Construction Co. 3 years  
 Global Industries, Inc. 9 years  
 Nebraska Fire Sprinkler Corporation 5 years  
 Northwestern Mutual Financial Network--Steve Ryan 7 years  
 Platte Valley State Bank and INSUR, Inc. 4 years  
 Staab Management Company 12 years  
 Saint Francis Medical Center 10 years  
 The Pinnacle Agency--Justin Shavlik 1 year  
 Tier One Bank 11 years  
 Tom Dinsdale Chevrolet, Cadillac, GMC 11 years  
 U-Save Pharmacy 11 years  
 Wells Fargo Bank/Mike Schuster and Brad Bell 12 years

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