Welcome to the 4th edition of the Kishwaukee College Foundation (KCF) newsletter.

The Fall 2019 semester has officially started. Students and faculty are back and the campus is a flurry with activity. The Foundation is gearing up for a busy fall with numerous events; we hope you will join us.

Golf Outing Registration Now Open

Registration now open for the 2019 Foundation Golf Outing on Monday, September 23 at the Kishwaukee Country Club. Shot-gun start at noon. Registration includes lunch, round of golf, two drink tickets, and post round social.

Dutton Short-Term Training Grant Recipients

The Dutton Short-Term Training Grants recognize outstanding student achievement in select health care related short-term training programs. Short-term training programs prepare students for a variety of entry-level positions in a wide range of career fields. They are also a
great way to explore a career before committing to a degree program.

**The Spring 2019 recipients were:**
Blaine Edwards - Phlebotomy Technician Program
Reyna Ortega - Sterile Processing Technician Program
Allison Paone - Pharmacy Technician Program
Nikki Wuestefeld - Dental Assistant Program

Each student received a $500 award.

George & Betty Dutton played an important role in the town of Sycamore and across DeKalb County. George became president of the National Bank & Trust Co. in 1977 and served as President until his retirement in 1981. George and his wife Betty were always active in the community and education was a love of theirs.

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**Gala Save the Date**

Save the date for the [Gala on November 2, 2019](#). Event will be held at Kishwaukee College and provides an opportunity for donors and friends to come together for a fun evening, benefitting the Foundation and our students. One of the highlights of the evening is the Silent Auction. We are now soliciting items for the auction. For more information contact Sara Hall, shall@kish.edu or 815-825-9803.

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**Wine Walk A Success**

The 2019 Wine Walk on August 1 was a huge success, with over 150 people in attendance. Thank you to those that came out and enjoyed the beautiful evening with us. Click over to our [Wine Walk webpage](#) to view photos from the event.

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**Floral Design Students Attend National Competition**

Kish floral design instructor and AIFD chapter advisor, Janet Gallagher, and three students, attended the American Institute of Floral Design (AIFD) National Symposium held in Las Vegas last month. Students Hayley Krull (DeKalb), Peyton Lamps (La Salle), and Abby Martin (Oregon), received support through the Ruth Ashelford
Pollock Horticulture Internship Scholarship to offset the cost of travel to the event. The Kish students participated in various competitions. Overall, the Kish team placed sixth in the national competition.

Join Us for the Library Grand Re-Opening

The Library received some much-needed TLC this summer. Please join us on Tuesday, September 10 for an open house from 4-5:30 pm as we celebrate the remodeled space. The area includes upgraded facilities and the incorporation of tutoring services, with new group study spaces.

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