

MATCH ANNIVERSARIES

9 years

Dora/Kimberly Franklin

5 years

Alissa/Kathy Miller
Dominic/Tom Falb
Ian/Rick Cavalier
Katelin/Theresa Cavalier

4 years

DaJ'a/Marie Sanders
Alonzo/Jeremy Harmon
Austin/Jerril Jones
Trina/Stephanie McGovern

3 years

Adam/Randi Senciboy
Alyssa/Vickie Wilks
Danielle/ Laura Lenington
Keith/Joshua Strausbaugh
Lanna/Ashley Bennett
Lauren/ Amber Jackson

2 years

Austin/Karleigh Zygmund
Abby/Christy Erzinger
Ashley/Angela Harrell
Cardez/Gordon Terhune
Charlie/Jacob Rey
Cody/Andrew Bailey
Devon/Jared Thouvenot
Elizabeth/Megan Mosbacher
Jacolby/Eric Smith
Jasmyne/Casie Arentsen
John/Matt Mormann
Justin/Kassi Farmer
Kayla/Abbie Redohl
Keegan/Elizabeth Henderson
Kyla/Crystal Duckett
Madelyn/Laura Berry
Marlie/Caitlin Nappier
Mia/Ellie Boyer
Michaela/Kinsey Mordini
Mikell/ Madelyn Munsell
Rachel/Alyssa Miles
Raine/Brianna Whittington
Rebecca/ Haylee Artinger
Continued to next line.

Russell/ Jakob Kraft
Taylor/Abbie Rolland
Tiffany/Berit Ericson
Tyler/Dillon Painter
Tyler/David Wetterlin
Tyrone/Gregory Bean

1 year

Aaron/Taylor Brewer
Abbie/Kasondra Jarvis
Abbigail/Hannah Alexander
Abby/Cassie Kaiping
Adam/Ryan Burrow
Adianna/ Nicole Johnson
Adrian/Joe Blanchard
Adriana/Katelynn Shields
Adrianna/Lyndsie Lappe
Aidan/Brittany Reinhardt-Killy
Aimee/Amanda Blankenship
Alex/Dominic Antonacci
Alexandra/Lisa Tong
Alexis/Charish Howard
Alyssa/Katelin Wisdom
Amaurie/Courtney Schomaker
Anna/Catherine Ward
Anthony/Cameron Watters
Ashli/Courtney Drennan
Austin/Tony LaFata
Austin/Zack Martychenko
Autumn/Amanda Haffer
Brandi/Kandy Timmermann
Brandon/Catherine Hawn
Brendan/Rebecca Ries
Brittany/Brandy Rodenberg
Bryce/Jenny Faus
Cade/Dave Merrill
Caleb/Josef Freehill
Cassidy/Taylor Tucker
Chance/Steven Dorris
Chandler/Haley Fisher
Charles/Troy Blakely
Chelsey/Kelsey Renschen
Christopher/Charles Brown
Claire/Rebecca Krebel
Colton/Cameron Lofton
Connor/ Allison Snodgrass
Corey/ Nick Grapperhaus
Continued to next line.

Dakota/Austin Michael
Damian/Heather McCoy
Daria/ TaNay Morris
David/ Nathan Wilson
Davonta/ Sydney Novsek
DeAndrez/Patrick Moore
Denzel/Mark Curze
Delavan/Brian Rudd
Elijah/Megan Hrdlicka
Elizabeth/Taylor Maglasang
Eric/Kyle Feldker
Erikson/Cole Goldschmidt
Ethan/Kaitlyn Carstens
Ethan/Paige Donoho
Gavin/Taylor Caplinger
Grant/Andrew Dumstorff
Haylee/Taylor Rae Hornberg
Heavenly/Alex Boker
Henry/Halie Parker
Isabella/Rachel Hampton
Isaiah/Kimberly Nalley
Jacob/Brandon Book
Jacob/Steven Schultheis
Jacob/Stefan Menchaca
Jade/Haley Purcell
Jessie/Brianna Zimmerman
Joe/Jimmy Quinones
Jonathon/Isaac Dodd
Jordan/Lauren Falk
Jordan/Jessica Rakers
Jordan/Steve Hoernis
Julia/Amy Rzepczynski
Kaitlyn/Heather Woodrome
Kapria/Alexandria Hornberg
Karla/Ashley Bushong
Kassandra/Lydia Heimann
Kassandra/Makala Boyles
Katie/Katie Wilson
Katlyn/Madeline Schmitz
KayLynne/Janice Pittman-LaRiviere
Keyion/Samuel Keck-Flory
Kieran/Catherine Funderburk
Kiya/Molly Rexilius
Kristin/Jorden Guldner
Kylah/Paige Wilkerson
Kyle/Christopher Isenhower
Kylie/Nicole Ripperda
Continued to next line.

Kylie/Alyssa McCarthy
Lamadj/Katherine Bennett
Lance/Kelcie Comley
Lauren/Rose Gear
Lauren/Kristine Martin
Lexie/Kelli Klepac
Lindsey/Jean Weier
Lisa/Judith Hoeffken
Mackenzie/Sarah Pollmann
Maddy/Rose Knebel
Madeline/Courtney Eschmann
Makenzie/Courtney Kern
Martin/Tessa Amsden
Megan/Jamie Vaught
Monica/Taylor Scheibe
Nathan/Jordan Ledbetter
Oliver/Alec Trout
Olivia/Lindsay Winkeler
Payge/Taylor Junker
Payton/Kayla Kistner
Renata/Paige Barker
Robert/Jacob Hall
Ronnie/James Heafner
Ryan/Kelly Hacker
Samantha/Rahkel Martin
Samantha/Lala Fornaszewski
Shelby/Emily Mccowan
Selena/Paige Whipple
Shandra/Jenna Huels
Shavonda/Veronica Seabaugh
Skylar/Erika Laux
Stefanie/Logan McCray
Taylor/Kamara Cox
Taylor/Savannah Dill
Taylor/Jessi Ungerer
Thomas/Caitlyn Gushleff
Tom/Nathan Leingang
Toni/Jennifer Hightower
Totte'Nika/Marla Cleveland
TuPac/Joel Sarmiento
Tyler/Danielle Knox
Tyler/Olivia Hunter
Tyrone/Rebekah Cripe
Zachary/John Hemann
Zachary/Binca Aguayo
Zack/Lindsay Storm



The Newsletter of Big Brothers Big Sisters of Southwestern Illinois

A Message from the CEO

Barbara Cempura

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It's back to school time for hundreds of our Little Brothers, Little Sisters and High School Volunteers. I wish each of them a successful and fun school year.

It is only September, but we are hard at work on the **2012 Bowl For Kids' Sake and Cops For Kids Campaigns**. We've added a new, exciting feature for 2012. Participants will have the opportunity to register online to bowl and their sponsors can make pledges online. Jessica Schuette, our Community Partnership Manager, is working to set up this new option called "Sphere."

For those bowlers who prefer printed

material, we will provide our usual paper sponsor sheets. More details later...

We welcome two new additions to the agency – both are VISTA volunteers who will be with us for the next year. VISTA is part of the Corporation for National Service and is an acronym for "Volunteers in Service to America." **Bernadette Marty**, who started in July, is part of our school program team. She works with schools in Belleville, Columbia and Millstadt. **Cher Wiltsie** joined Big Brothers Big Sisters in August. She works with our community program throughout St. Clair, Clinton, Monroe and Madison counties. They are a great addition to our program staff.



Little Sister Travels To China

Several months ago, we learned that one of our Little Sisters had the opportunity to visit China if she could raise the funds needed for the trip. With some hard work and the help of a lot of friends, Erykah Harris succeeded in raising the money needed for the trip.

late Erykah on being selected to take the trip as a result of her outstanding achievement in Chinese language classes. The photo shows Erykah standing in front of the Forbidden City. She enjoyed the trip and each of the places she visited. The group from Governor French was one from several different schools on a special tour.

The group of students that traveled with Erykah received several compliments about their group's behavior and their ability to speak Chinese. It was a great opportunity to learn about another culture.

Erykah joined seven other students from Governor French Academy on an eight-day trip to China. We congratulate

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

September -

- 5 - Labor Day - Office Closed
- 8 - United Way Campaign begins
- 29 - HOUSE RAFFLE DRAWING - 6:30 pm
St. Clair Square Shopping Center - Fairview Heights

October -

- 31 - Happy Halloween

November -

- 4 - QUARTER AUCTION
- 26 & 27 - Office Closed - Happy Thanksgiving!



Congratulations to the \$1,000 Early Bird Winner Sandra Sue Campbell of Fairview Heights!

If you haven't purchased your House Raffle ticket yet, call us at (618) 398-3162 or order online at www.bbbsil.org.



Combined Federal Campaign

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Southwestern Illinois participates in the Combined Federal Campaign. We invite federal employees to consider designating their CFC contributions to Big Brothers Big Sisters by selecting CFC Number 60665. The agency serves youth in St. Clair, Madison, Clinton and Monroe counties.



A CLASS ACT!

Thanks to **Radio Disney, GCS Federal Credit Union & the members of RASI REALTOR Association of Southwestern Illinois** 225 children started the school year with a new backpack filled with school supplies!



OLD NAVY

Old Navy in Fairview Heights hosted several teens in our program for a fun day of learning. They received hands on training and coaching to understand what it would be like to work at the retail store. Managers taught them everything from how to run a cash register to folding clothes, as well as good customer service skills.



QUARTER AUCTION

We are looking for businesses/individuals who would be interested in donating a basket for us to use for a prize at our upcoming QUARTER AUCTION set for Friday, Nov. 4th. Please contact Jessica at 398-3162 if you are interested in donating a basket for this event.

Got A BIG Appetite?



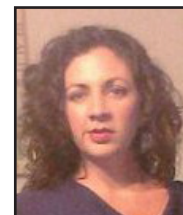
Attention Big Brothers & Big Sisters, Amarillo Tex's Steakhouse in Alton would like to invite to come eat at their restaurant and bring your Little. Please call your Match Support Specialist or Missy at 398-3162 to get a coupon to receive a discount for your Little's meal purchase.



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Our kids love the RAMS, Cardinals & the Grizzlies.

Pictured is Big Brother Gordon and Little Brother Cordez. They really enjoyed watching a pre-season RAMS game at the dome. If you or the company you work for would like to donate tickets for our matches to attend community and sporting events, please contact Barbara at 398-3162.



Welcome Cher Wiltsie

Cher joined Big Brothers Big Sisters in August, through the AmeriCorps VISTA program. She works with our community program. Cher received her Bachelor of Fine Arts from Webster University and her MA in Professional Counseling from Lindenwood University. Cher resides in Belleville with her three children; Claire, William and Colin and has lived in Belleville for most of her life. She came to Big Brothers Big Sisters to continue her mission of helping to bring communities and individuals out of poverty.



Welcome Bernadette Marty

Bernadette Marty is the newest addition to the Big Brothers Big Sisters staff. She is an AmeriCorps VISTA volunteer and will be with the agency through July 2012. Bernadette is working in schools as a mentoring coordinator in Columbia, Millstadt and Belleville. Bernadette is a recent graduate of SIUE where she studied the social sciences and the humanities including sociology, child psychology, and art.

The 11th annual Clinton County 4-person Golf Scramble to benefit Big Brothers Big Sisters was held on July 29 at Governor's Run Golf Course in Carlyle. The tournament sponsors included **The Mike Donnewald Foundation, Hogan Motor Leasing, Manpower, K&J Chevrolet.**



Organizers of the event were **Bruce and Cindy Benhoff, Jeff and Alicia Strieker, John and Gloria Baro and Floyd Trame. Wiegmann Woodworking** was also on hand to cook up sandwiches and serve the golfers from their display trailer. Winners of the tournament: First in A Flight with a score of 63 was **Ryan McGaughy, Mike Wilson, Nick Hejna, and Joe Hennesy.**



Pictured is the first place team in Championship Flight with a score of 54. They are Dirk Garrett, Jeremy Shubert, Al Warnecke and Kent Jones from Central Community High School.



Pictured is the first place team in Mixed Flight with a score of 55 (L to R) Bob Donnewald, Tina Donnewald, Cindy Benhoff and Bruce Benhoff.

New Matches

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| Abigail/Kimberly Winkler | Jewelnel/Heather Gade |
| Alauna/Jamila Dawkins | Lloyd/Greg Nester |
| Alyssa /Tiffany Marsh | Madison/Pam Lauf |
| Haille/Leslie Dippel | Maija'e/Regina Schottel |
| Jade/Cynthia Smalley | Makyla/Jackie Freeman |
| Jason/Jennifer McKinney | Nakeitra/Lauren Hayes |
| Jazzmine/ Tristin Atwood | Peter/Shawn Schukar |
| Jewelnae/ Sylvia Barrett | Tiffani/Erin Echelmeyer |



2011 Allsup Classic - 1st Place Team

A Flight

- 1st Place – 54 Steve Short; Rob Howe; Mike Riley; Tim Riley.
- 2nd Place – 56 Dennis Weisenborn; Brandon Weisenborn; Mike Mueller; Mike Siebrers.
- 3rd Place – Glenn Albers; Tim Evers; Phil Caravia; Randy Phillips



We appreciate the generous support of Allsup Inc. as well as the many sponsors of the tournament. Thanks to the work of these committee members, the tournament was a great success: **Dan Allsup, Dave Bollone, Carol Pappenberg, Rebecca Ray, Glenn Albers, Doug Peters, Al Orelt, Bob Kenny, Chris Bugger and Jessica Schuette.**



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