

FOUNDING FATHER *Receives* COMMENDATION



▲ Chuck Roemer and his wife Denise with Juliann Jankowski after the commendation from the Common Council

THE SOUTH BEND Common Council recognized Leadership Founding Father, Chuck Roemer, with a special resolution commending him for his “dedicated service to our community and in particular his vision in founding the South Bend/Mishawaka Leadership program”. The council room was filled with Leadership participants and graduates as Councilman Randy Kelly, Class 34, presented the resolution. “Leadership was founded on the premise of servant leadership and Chuck Roemer embodies that heart, mind and soul”, said Executive Director Juliann Jankowski in support of the resolution. Through his work co-founding

the Community Foundation of St. Joseph County, his work with Hospice, the many years he spent running Leadership South Bend/Mishawaka as well as his work with many other organizations in our community, it is evident that Chuck has truly made a phenomenal impact in our community. Chuck is still active with Leadership and most recently shared his enthusiasm and positive – can-do attitude with Class 34 at their orientation. Thanks to Chuck Roemer Leadership South Bend/Mishawaka is the oldest Leadership program in the state training over 1,200 community leaders. Congratulations, Chuck!



▲ Burkhardt Advertising surprised Chuck Roemer with a billboard thanking him for his many years of service to our community.

CLASS XXXIII MENTORS MAKING A DIFFERENCE

ONE OF THE community issues Leadership addressed last year was violence in our community. Participants in the Leadership program had the opportunity to hear from many groups helping to address this issue and curb the increasing incidences of violence plaguing our community. At the Juvenile Justice Center’s Central Academy, several youth spoke about their experiences and deeply touched the hearts of many individuals in the class. As class member, Mike Charbonneau, listened to the stories he could not help but think, “What would my life be like today if I had grown up under the same circumstances?” He felt a strong connection with one of the speakers



▲ Students from Central Academy with their Class 33 mentors.

and asked program coordinator Vicki McIntire what he could do to help. Vicki told Mike that they discourage one on one mentoring due to the possibility of more disappointments if the mentor is not able to always make scheduled visits, etc. but if he could get a group of people together who would like to mentor a group of five or six youth from Central Academy then she would definitely work with him to set it up.

CLASSMATES Kelly Ball, Sara Kassen, Jim Lopez, Mike Stack, and Sarah Stockton enthusiastically volunteered to help Mike start a mentoring group. In September, the group officially kicked off their

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MENTORS MAKING A DIFFERENCE, cont.



Mike Charbonneau keeps score as the students and their mentors play a game of "Catch Phrase".

relationship by going to the Chamber's Business Expo. Since then, the group has been to a live WSBT news broadcast, to the College Football of Fame, the Notre Dame football stadium, and bowling among other activities. The group generally meets twice per month, once for lunch at the school and then another time for an activity. Many of the mentors also attended parent teacher conferences.

THE MENTORS feel they are definitely getting as much out of the relationship as the youth and value the strong relationships they have built with one another and with the kids. As Mike Charbonneau explains, "I really feel this is one of the best ways to impact our community's future. There are a lot of immediate returns, as it is incredible to experience the relationships being built, the kids opening up and seeing the individual things you can help them with but you must think about it long and hard before you decide to become a mentor. It is a long-term commitment and you must go into it wholeheartedly."

YOU can make a difference too! Central Academy and Leadership South Bend/ Mishawaka would like to form more mentoring

relationships. Groups of five to six adults are preferred. If you would like to become part of a group, please call the Leadership Office at 574.234.0051 ext 383.

A SPECIAL thank you to NIPSCO for becoming a sponsor of the group's mentoring activities.

"I appreciate what my mentor does for me. She gives me good advice for my future. Every time I meet up with my mentor we go do something together and I learn something new from her. I feel like she is my big sister that I can talk to about anything. I would love other people my age to be as lucky as I am to have a mentor."

-Sasha

"My mentor is fun and cool. We do things together like go out to eat and we even went to the Chamber of Commerce Expo. We learned about lots of jobs and careers. My mentor is a friend and a role model."

-Dominique

"To me my mentor is someone who is there for me to talk to. I feel she helps me to make good decisions. She is there for me to help me with my homework. She always gives me advice so I can make better choices for my future. She is very helpful."

-Kari

"I feel I can talk to my mentor about anything. I've had problems that I can't talk to my parents about, but I have always been able to talk to my mentor. He has helped me make better decisions for myself."

-Matt

"Mentoring is a lifesaver for these kids. It's all they talk about. These mentors are their role models, their friends, the people who care about the child no matter what. It is said, no one can make it in this world without one person who believes in them. Believing, just believing and being there. That is the very important role a mentor plays. We are so grateful for these mentors and would love for every child at Central Academy to have one."

-Vicki McIntire, Director of Central Academy

THOUGHTS FROM THE PRESIDENT



Leadership Board President
Mindy Todd, Class XXVIII

I JUST came from a very insightful and thought provoking Leadership Alumni Association seminar on Leadership and Ethics led by our very own Class 33 graduate Carolyn Call, PhD. She led the group in a discussion on why we make the decisions we do, what influences our decisions, and the outcomes of our decisions. We, as a

society, go about our daily lives with our own set of ethical principles, and we assume others have the same. She explained that ethics is a social contract for maintaining external harmony. We assume everyone will uphold the contract at the same level.

AH, but they don't. And it is not that one is "more ethical" than the other. It is the influencers in our daily lives that create the situations that cause us to "justify" our decisions. We are (and this was my favorite term) "addicted to justification." (I know I am. I can always justify a new purchase - "...but this necklace is sooo different from my other ones.") How addiction to justification relates to ethics is a little different. We justify our ethical -- or not

so ethical - decisions because we can (no one will notice), or we hurt (we were treated unfairly), or simply because we want, really want, something. These are the reasons why people justify making unethical decisions.

I WAS faced with a decision within four hours of attending the seminar. I noticed that a parking pass to a certain garage still worked after six years of inactivity. WOW! It worked! But I also knew that it really should not work and that I should pay for a new one. I could justify not buying a new one (hey, they should keep better records) or fess up and let them know that there was a mistake.

AT THE seminar, we broke into mini-groups and discussed certain situations and it was downright painful sometimes. Making a good decision is not easy. Maintaining your core principles and values can be very difficult, but in the end, you'll be happy if you uphold your principles. If you bring your moral principles to a situation rather than letting that situation drive your principle, you are sure to do what you believe is right every time.

NOW, where is the number for that parking garage?

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Juliann Jankowski,
Class XXIV

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR UPDATE

AS I take the opportunity to reflect upon 2007, I feel blessed to have had another year to learn from an amazing group of people and see their passion take action to make a difference for others. See the mentoring story for a great example!

FROM an organizational standpoint our biggest accomplishment last year was the completion of a five-year strategic plan focusing on the "connectivity" of our alumni and the impact the organization can have on the community.

A CONCERTED effort to connect our alumni started last May with the launch of the Leadership Alumni Association whose purpose is to engage alumni by providing continuing education, service and networking opportunities. In its first eighteen months, the association has offered over thirteen continuing education and networking opportunities for alumni. Some of the money raised from the association has also been used to fund scholarships for deserving adults and youth in our community.

UNDER community impact, the board is looking at ways to expand our offerings and "extend the reach" of Leadership into our community. We are also actively working to provide organizations with people and materials that can be used for leadership training and community leadership initiatives.

THOSE involved in Leadership are also striving to ensure that our signature programs, Adult and Youth Leadership, are relevant to community needs. Two years ago, we added a Mind, Body, and Spirit day to the curriculum and it has quickly become one of the most popular program days. This day allows us to take an inward look at ourselves and how we need to continue to grow and prosper as individuals if we are going to grow as leaders. This year, we continued to build upon the day by adding a spirituality segment where we discussed, based on a task group project from Class 33, what people thought a spiritually healthy community looked like and how we integrate our own spiritual beliefs in our leadership. Panelist Rabbi Siroka from Temple Beth-El posed the question, "who is wise". The answer according to scripture: "the one who learns from all others".

FROM the evaluations, it was evident class members appreciated hearing from a diverse group of leaders who may have differing opinions but all believe in the power of learning from others

and symbolically "walking in their shoes" through the sharing of experiences. As Lou Nanni, Class 19, said so well in his passionate talk on servant leadership at the December program day for youth and adults, : "You must displace yourself, seek to put yourself where you are a minority – this will lead to compassion for others". From these exercises and experiences we realize it is hard to hate another person when you know their story.

AS we begin 2008, please take the opportunity to share, to learn and to appreciate diversity of all kinds. To truly be a transformational leader, we must be willing and able to understand others viewpoints.



† Father Chris Cox—St. Adelbert's Catholic Church, Jack Magruder—Granger Community Church, Rabbi Siroka—Temple Beth-El, Pastor Shirley Gaston—Emanuel Community Church, and Minister Martha Carroll—Southside Christian Church, join Board Member Carolyn Call for the Spirituality Panel discussion.

A SPECIAL thanks to Class 33 members, Carrie Call and Alan Steele and programming chair, Christian Davey for putting together the Spirituality panel and helping Program Director, Pam Newman, facilitate the discussion. Although class members were slightly apprehensive when seeing this topic on the agenda, the resulting evaluations praised Leadership for the courage to address a topic that is so important but not widely discussed in the workplace.

VISION:

Leadership South Bend/Mishawaka will build a community of leaders with the skills, awareness and motivation to help create opportunities and prosperity for others.

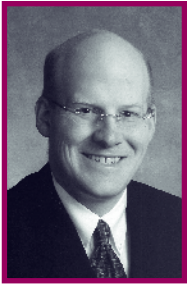
GUIDING PRINCIPLES:

- Community leaders can be developed and leadership development, like all learning, is a lifelong process.
- Civic engagement and community service by graduates is necessary to obtain the desired result of a stronger, more prosperous St. Joseph County.
- Collaboration among the business, government, nonprofit, education and religious sectors is essential for a strong, vibrant St. Joseph County.
- The diversity of our community is respected and valued.
- Change and innovation are embraced by the organization.

CELEBRATE COMMENCEMENT 2008

THURSDAY, MAY 15 • 11:30 AM – 1:15 PM

ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT MARK ANDREWS, CLASS XXX



Mark Andrews

A NEW member of the Leadership Board of Directors, Mark played a key role in launching the Leadership Alumni Association last year and will serve as the alumni association's co-chair in 2008.

people Mark sponsored for membership sponsored other members and helped the alumni association to grow and prosper.

SERVICE

Mark is very active in our community serving not only on the Leadership Board of Directors but also as Treasurer of the South Bend Regional Museum of Art, on the Board of the Michiana Estate Planning Council, his neighborhood association, and in the Downtown South Bend Rotary Club. Mark is also active in his church.

THE PERSONAL SIDE

Mark and his wife Tammy have been married for 10 years and have two children, Maggie – age 6 and Richie – age 3. Mark attended the University of Nebraska where he received a B.S. in Business Administration as well as a law degree.

FINAL COMMENTS:



Natalie Mast

Don't miss out – join the Leadership Alumni Association and Go Big Red!

THANK YOU

Natalie Mast!
A special thank you to board member, Natalie Mast, for serving as the Alumni Association

Chair for our first eighteen months! Natalie helped build the organization from a small group to over 150 members!

WHY LEADERSHIP?

Mark was introduced to Leadership through Barnes and Thornburg attorney David Kibbe, Class 29. The two now work together at 1st Source Bank where Mark is a vice president and trust officer. Mark had just moved to the area from Nebraska and wanted to learn more about the community, meet new people and get more involved.

REWARDS

Establishing lasting relationships with classmates and getting to know the community were the most rewarding aspects of Leadership. Not to mention the fun times Class 30 had at retreat and during the thought-provoking program days.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Mark greatly missed the friends and experiences he had during his Leadership year, so he was thrilled to be able to help lay the foundation which he and the Leadership Alumni Association committee continue to build upon. Mark also started "gift memberships" to the alumni association – a great way to pay it forward. Many of the

APPLICATIONS NOW AVAILABLE FOR CLASS XXXV

Call 234-0051 ext. 383 for more information or visit our website at www.sjchamber.org/leadership.

Deadline for applications is June 5.

- **Marcus Barlow, YL Class 2**, is press secretary for newly elected Indianapolis Mayor Greg Ballard.
- **Becky Anson, Class 20**, is now director of human resources for Martin's Supermarkets.
- **Mike Leep, Class 26**, will be serving as an honorary co-chair for the March for Babies walk.
- **Ryan Matthys, Class 27**, has joined the board of the Public Education Foundation for South Bend Community Schools.
- **Elonda Wilder-Hamilton, Class 29**, received a community service award from the Martin Luther King, Jr. Foundation.
- **Shery Purkeypille, Class 31**, is the new chief executive officer of Allied Physicians of Michiana.
- **Peter Gillin, Class 31**, has been named a partner at the law firm of Baker & Daniels LLP.
- **Mark Wobbe, Class 31**, has been named vice president and stockholder at Gibson Insurance Group.
- **Jean (Redinger) Wolfe, Class 31**, is the student services training manager for Davenport University.
- **Miguel Salazar, Class 32**, is now president of Insurance and Benefit Advocates.
- **Gershom Davis, Class 33**, was elected to the Dismas of Michiana Board of Directors.
- **Oliver Davis, Class 33**, is the new South Bend city councilman for District 6.
- **John Foegley, Class 33**, has been elected to the board of directors for the South Bend Civic Theatre, Fernwood, and the building and grounds board for the Northern Indiana Center for History.
- **Maria Kaczmarek, Class 33**, was appointed to the St. Joseph County Community Advisory Board.
- **Dan Tychonievich, Class 33**, has been promoted to counsel at Baker & Daniels.

Congratulations to Leadership thespians...

- **Andrea Talkington, Class 25; Steve Fay, Class 33; and Scot Purkeypille, Class 33** for fabulous performances in *A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum* at the South Bend Civic Theatre.

"Celebration of Life: A Tribute to Gladys Muhammad"

March 9 at 3 pm at Century Center.

Contact Jessie Whitaker at 574.289.1066 ext 204



* Lennie Gentner, Matt Money, Patty Collingwood, Jennifer Davenport, Shawna Thomas-Neilson, Kimber Abair, Amy Hill, Sarah Stockton, and John Foegley at the Leadership orientation at the Summit Club.

Leadership South Bend/Mishawaka Salutes the Founding Members of the Leadership Alumni Association! **THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF LEADERSHIP!**

Class 1

- Virginia Calvin
- Don Cressy
- Karl King
- Chuck Roemer-(H)

Class 2

- Geoff Newman

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- Claude Renshaw

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- Gladys Muhammad

Class 9

- Rebecca Bonham

Class 10

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Class 12

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- Mark Leblang
- Lou Nanni

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- Faye Draper
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- Jane Mason
- Tim Sexton

Class 25

- Mark Eagan

- Sara Miller
- Chris Taelman
- Andrea Talkington

Class 26

- Jim Holland
- Kathy Ann Reinhardt
- Tim Ryan

Class 27

- Maria Harding
- Ryan Matthys
- Jessica McManus Warnel
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- Carsten Schmidt
- Nate Zolman

Class 28

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- Christian Davey

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- Pam Newman-(H)

Class 30

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Youth Leadership Alumni

Class 1

- Dana Goldberg

Class 2

- Cara Brook

Class 13

- Liz Brach

Community Leadership Alumni

- Rolla Baumgartner
- Gene Bruce
- Joyce Stifel

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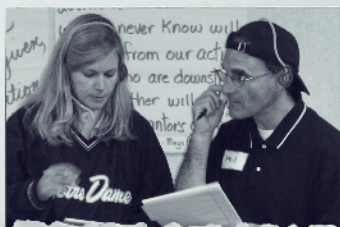
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ADULT LEADERSHIP CLASS XXXIV

From the orientation at the Summit Club to the opening retreat at Pokagon State Park, Class 34 has been busy learning about our community history, our local government, collaboration, the arts, and of course, servant leadership.

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Program Director, Pam Newman, poses with emotional intelligence presenter Byron Stock (left) and health and nutrition presenter, Captain Mike Neller (right) during the January program day devoted to Mind, Body, and Spirit.

◀ Phil D'Amico and Amy Phelan provide "play-by-play" commentary of their "book on Leadership".



Eric Ytterberg, Sean Frederick and Tommy Lee demonstrate the importance of teamwork in sports during the Leadership retreat.

◀ Class 34 participants, Beth Harsch, and Heather Tonk (back row), Kimber Abair, John Bell, Michael Shinnick, and Brent Bohan, take a short break from their group discussion.





REFLECTIONS ON YOUTH LEADERSHIP CLASS XV

"I feel very blessed to be a part of this program. Every leadership day is something to look forward to. I always learn something new that I will be able to carry with me into the future. Being a leader is such a powerful testimony to life. Without leaders, this world would be of little value. Leading, involves great work and time but in the end, it essentially pays off in a way never expected."

I will never forget the day when the adult and youth leaders came together. This day was amazing because it gave me the opportunity to meet some people of great character. Seeing adult and youth leaders made me realize that there are people who are called to serve.

In conclusion, this program has had a positive impact on my life. I have been blessed to have met new people. Everyone in this program has a gift of serving. I will be able to apply the lessons and opportunities in this program to my life. I hope that through my desire to serve this world, it will create a greater good for the years to come."

- Monica Murphy, YL Class 15



"The Wall" at Camp Friedenswald continues to be a favorite team building activity.

YL participants work on their leadership skills during this puzzle activity.

YL participants enjoy the fresh air and the popcorn during the retreat campfire.



■ Alicia Banicki
Penn High School

■ Aaron Bulger
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Adams High School

■ Spenser Swihart
St. Joseph's High School

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Washington High School

■ Kelsey Timmer
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Washington High School

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Marian High School

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■ Mariah White
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Marian High School





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NOMINATIONS ARE NOW BEING ACCEPTED

CRITERIA INCLUDE:

- Alumnus of Leadership South Bend/Mishawaka
- Nominee must hold the community in trust
- Have a desire to serve first and only then to lead
- See the big picture and act for the common good
- Empower those served
- Have a vision to strengthen and transform the community
- Current members of the board of directors are not eligible

PAST DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI:

- Dr. Virginia Calvin, *Class I*
- Pat and Don Cressy, *Class I and Honorary Class XXIII*
- Gladys Muhammad, *Class VII*
- Patrick McMahon, *Class IV*
- Sharon Scuzzo, *Class VIII*
- Lou Nanni, *Class XIX*
- Karl G. King III, *Class I*
- Ed Henry, *Class XVI*
- Luther Taylor, Sr., *Class XXIX*
- Claude Renshaw, *Class IV*
- Rex J. Rakow, *Class XVII*

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