



# Downers Grove 8th graders honored at Education Foundation’s ‘Select 58’ Banquet



**O’Neill Middle School Honorees**



**Herrick Middle School Honorees**

April 24th marked a very special night for 58 eighth-graders in Downers Grove Grade School District 58, along with their proud families and teachers, as they were honored at the annual Select 58 banquet sponsored by the Education Foundation.

All were treated to a musical performance by the Downers Grove South Madrigal singers, as well as inspiring speeches about leadership by former Select 58 winners Hannah Schober, formerly from Herrick Middle School, now a drum major at Downers Grove North High School; and Pat Lahey, formerly from O’Neill Middle School, now a senior baseball player at Downers Grove South High School who has signed on to play at Lewis University. Select 58 contributors were Aramark, which provided dinner; Holy Cow Sports, which donated sweatshirts; Miles Boone, who donated photography services; Scot Press, which donated the programs and invitations; and Deb Kimminau, who created the Select 58 cake decorated with each student’s photo.

## SELECT 58 HONOREES

Scott Binter  
 Scott Blessing  
 Delaney Bondi  
 Aleisha Bozek  
 Christine Campagna  
 Katherine Campagna  
 Paul Carlquist  
 Amanda Cervantes  
 Caitlyn Collett  
 Devin Collett  
 Kelsey Collett  
 Anne Marie Coultrap  
 David Crosman  
 Anthony Diguilio  
 Andrew Donnelly

Becca Fursteneau  
 Erika Galloway  
 Meg Goodell  
 Thomas Goodell  
 Jessica Grimmer  
 Hannah Henson  
 Michelle Hsu  
 Rachel Jacaway  
 Molly Kettlehut  
 Mariya Kovalchuk  
 Anna Krainc  
 Andrew Krupin  
 Jeff Kunjammattil  
 Ellen Kussmann

Kaitlyn Lapen  
 Danny Leach  
 Casey Lee  
 Meghan Lyda  
 Mitchell Lydon  
 Malorie Masek  
 Jill Matthies  
 Jack McKinzie  
 Michelle Mitchell  
 Autumn Moberg  
 Cory Mosiman  
 Brendan  
 O’Sullivan  
 Elizabeth Owens  
 Darcy Ozer

Hannah Pawlicki  
 Allison Proffitt  
 Evan Pruett  
 Angela Prusa  
 Monica Resh  
 Sophia Robinson  
 Sam Santa Maria  
 Nicolas Tysiak  
 Matt Wagner  
 Erin Walsh  
 Rachel Wasielewski  
 Cara Wicklein  
 Camryn Williams  
 Mariusz Witek  
 Hannah Young



## Congratulations 2008-2009 Grant Recipients

### *Read Naturally*

A program of instruction, that improves the reading fluency of all readers to be implemented in El Sierra, Lester, Hillcrest and Bell Aire Schools. This grant request was submitted by Lucille Carney.



### *Everyday Math for Everyone At Anytime*

Online access to additional support and practice for the Everyday Mathematics textual materials, in school, at home, at the library or anywhere internet access is available. The program is to be implemented at Pierce Downer Elementary School and the grant proposal was submitted by Lisa Mondale

### *Using The Learning A-Z Suite of On-Line Reading*

A program to provide online access, resources and training to implement guided practice and independent study at school and at home in the areas of ready, science and social studies. This program is to be implemented at Belle Aire and Hillcrest Elementary Schools and was submitted by June Green and Donna Amidon.



This is what it is all about! The Foundation and all our dedicated supporters look forward to making a difference in the lives of students for many years to come.

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## *The Foundation Plans Second Annual Welcome Luncheon*

The second annual luncheon for all new District 58 employees has been scheduled for August 13<sup>th</sup>. The luncheon will feature introductions to important information about the District, presentations by the Fire and Police Departments, and a review of the mission and activities of the Foundation. Of course the centerpiece is the opportunity to network with others. Watch for a forthcoming announcement of exact time and place.

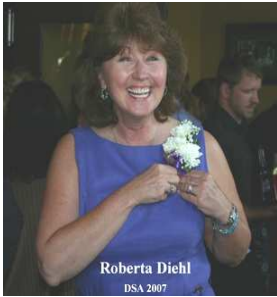


## Distinguished Service Award 2008

May 21

3:30 PM

**Emmett’s Ale House**



*Roberta Diehl*  
*2007 DSA Recipient*

*Please join us to honor this year’s Distinguished Service Award Recipient and all the nominees.*

The Distinguished Service Award recognizes an employee in District 58 who has provided distinguished service and exemplifies excellence in their job.

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## *Cash for Kids*



The Foundation thanks all who have contributed to this year’s “Cash for Kids” initiative. Contributions in the amount of \$1,701 from the employees of the 13 District 58 schools.



It’s not too late! If you would like to make a contribution through “Cash for Kids” contact Executive Director Mark Frankart at [mfrankart@dg58ef.com](mailto:mfrankart@dg58ef.com).

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# Reminders

Staff Development Grant Applications are due May 19th  
Visit [www.dg58ef.com](http://www.dg58ef.com) for applications

DSA Award given May 21th, 3:30 P.M. at Emmett’s Ale House

Kelly Miller Circus is scheduled for September 30th

Sneak Preview is scheduled for August 12th, 13th and 14th at O’Neill and Herrick middle Schools.