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"Building Character... Changing Lives" is our job!

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2010 GRANT AWARDS

Thank you for your dedicated support!

CED TEAM

Back Row: Amanda Cottrell, Theresa Northouse, Norma Denlinger (Grantor), Lesley Sullivan, Jean McDonald

Front Row: Kristin Woodward, Adam Menning, Susie Smith, Becca Johnson,

Ann Johnson
Not Pictured: Beverly Graves and Mary Pat Ament



Dear Two by Two Friends,
Another year is behind us, but there are many wonderful memories to celebrate and share as we move into the New Year. Throughout our Winter Issue, we will take you through our version of "A Year in Review...Celebrating Character!" We began with our generous donors and grantors that have made our work in character education possible! Twelve different grant awards were received for a grand total of \$41,533.94. In August, we welcomed another group of Partnerships to begin the school year. Students were greeted by furry companions that brought a legacy to life. Agnes de Mille, a new Pet Legacy, came to life in a child's eyes as she learned about the meaning of companionship. Agnes de Mille continues her legacy as she teaches second grade students about compassion, empathy, and responsibility. As 2010 came to a close, we thanked our Community Character Partners at our Appreciation Event. Character Partners and Grantors were presented with a gift of *Community Character Cards* to pass along personalized notes to those who should be recognized for all the good deeds they do in our community. So pause a moment and enjoy our "Year in Review... Celebrating Character!"

With warm regards,
Kristin Woodward
Educator and Founder of Two by Two



Alliant Energy Foundation
Fourth Grade Fiction/Non-Fiction Book
Set and Student Travel Logs

Mosaic Lodge No. 125
Fourth Grade Fiction/Non-Fiction
Book Sets

The Norma Denlinger Character Education Development Grant
Character Education Development Team
Book Sets

Dubuque Racing Association
Kindhearts Kids Materials
for Tri-State Area

Schoen Family Charitable Trust
Outdoor Display Case

Henry Family Foundation
Expert Educators for the Kindhearts
Kids Program

Theisen's More For Your Community Grant
Kindhearts Kids Materials
for Bellevue Students

Kiwaniis of Dubuque
Fourth Grade Fiction/Non-Fiction
Book Sets

US Bank
Expert Educators for the Kindhearts
Kids Program

Woodward Foundation
Multimedia Grant

Lancaster Community Foundation-Schacht Family Fund
Kindhearts Kids Materials
for Lancaster Students





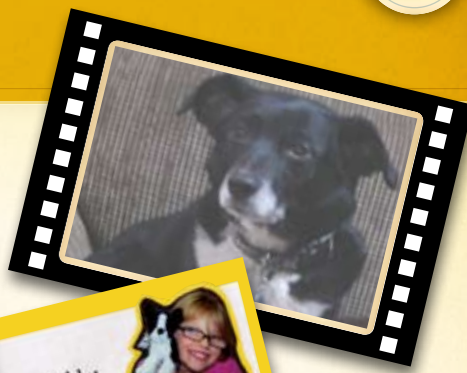
LEGACIES IN ACTION

Where kindness begins in the classroom...
Provide a Gift of Education and a Tribute to Your Pet

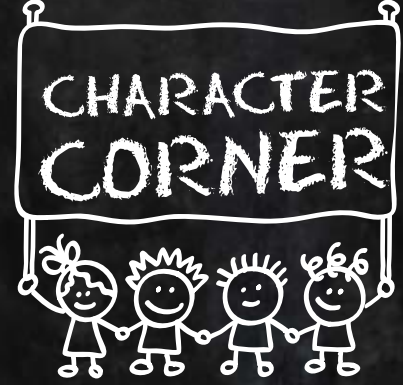
Imagine... a second grader excitedly opening up a pet carrier to find an adorable stuffed dog or cat peering up at them AND it resembles YOUR furry friend! With awe, they quickly open up their Pet Journal to read all about YOUR dog or cat! Throughout the next five weeks, this child takes on the role of a Foster Pet Parent and practices being responsible, respectful, and appreciative of their new pet (YOUR PET), other animals, and each other.

For only \$100 per month or \$1,200 annually your pet's legacy will become part of the *Kindhearted Kids* second grade program. To be one of the Legacy Pets for the 2011-2012 school year, reservations are being accepted through June 2011.

All donations are tax deductible.



Second grade student, Gabby, writes an acrostic poem about her Pet Legacy Pet Agnes de Mille.



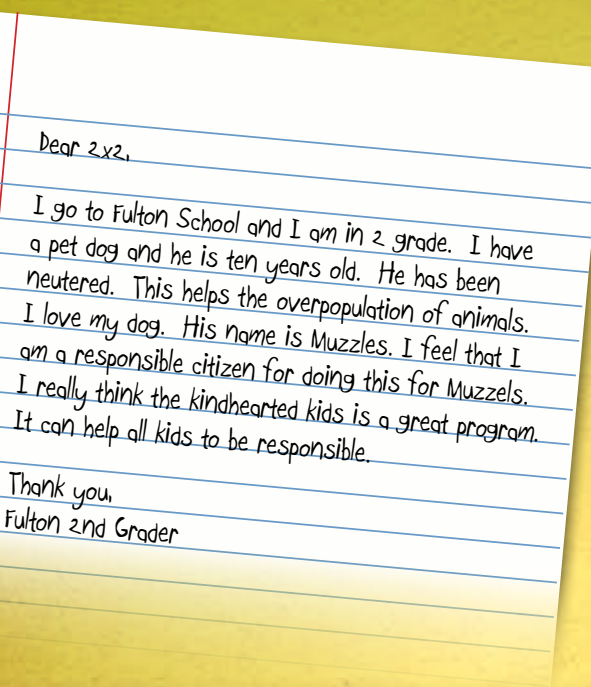
PERSEVERANCE

"Don't be discouraged. It's often the last key in the bunch that opens the lock."

Author Unknown

COMMUNITY CHARACTER CELEBRATION!

Two by Two celebrated Character in our Community on Tuesday, November 23. Two by Two partners, grantors, and supporters were welcomed with delectable appetizers from our cookbook, *Building Character Meal by Meal*, while listening to enthusiastic second graders from Bryant Elementary School. Bryant students shared a **THANK YOU** acrostic poem, as well as a celebratory video of their learning while in the Kindhearted Kids class. For a video clip showcasing Bryant students, visit our website at www.twobytwoeducation.org/about/partners. The evening concluded with a heartfelt letter from Fulton Second Grade Student about his personal experience in Two by Two. This letter proves how your generosity and support is truly making a difference among our youth!



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COMMUNITY CHARACTER CARDS COMMENCE

GIVE THANKS!
Gratitude! Appreciate!

Ever notice how the small things in life go unrecognized? A neighbor shoveling your driveway, a young child holding a door for an elderly person, an employee smiling and saying hello to a customer. Well, here is your chance to give someone in your community the recognition they deserve for showing great character! Two by Two and our partners have joined together to send personalized messages to people demonstrating great character! If you would like to recognize good deeds in our community, call our office at 563.513.0059 to get your very own Two by Two Community Character Cards.



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"INTELLIGENCE PLUS CHARACTER...
THAT IS THE GOAL OF A TRUE EDUCATION"
-MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.

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