

# KANDU Connection



August 31, 2016



## KANDU Family Fun Day

Everyone had a great time at KANDU's annual Family Fun Day event on Sunday, August 21st at the Best Events Banquet Hall. Clients, staff, board members and their families enjoyed Hawaiian-themed games, activities and live entertainment by steel drum musician Bahama Bob. Prizes were awarded to game winners and raffle drawings were available throughout the afternoon. Best Events provided food and refreshments. Thank you to everyone who's collaborative efforts made this fun event possible! [Click here](#) to view more photos from Family Fun Day.



*(Pictured left to right: Jim McMullen, KANDU Development Director; Christine Kluge, Grainger Manager - Collections; Gary Bersell, KANDU Executive Director; Kari Gates, Grainger Supervisor - National Facility Service Center; Brian Anderson, KANDU Board President)*

## **Thank You, Grainger Foundation**

KANDU Industries, Inc. received \$5,000 from The Grainger Foundation, an independent, private foundation in support of KANDU's Supported Community Employment program. This donation was recommended by Kari Gates, Supervisor - National Facility Service Center of W.W. Grainger, Inc.'s Janesville location.

KANDU's Supported Community Employment program works with area businesses to help identify and develop employment opportunities in the community for persons with barriers to employment. This offers them the opportunity to pursue greater independence to meet their full potential. Program participants receive one-on-one employment preparation, job coaching and on-going support and assessments once matched with the ideal employer. For more information regarding this program, [click here](#) or call (608) 755-4123.

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# SAVE THE DATE

## EVENING BRIDAL EXPO

THURSDAY  
OCTOBER 6th  
6:00-9:00pm

Pontiac Convention Center  
2809 N Pontiac Dr. Janesville  
608.531.0284



### WINNERS Golf Outing

On Thursday, August 4th, KANDU's 14th Annual WINNERS Golf Outing was held at the beautiful Glen Erin Golf Club in Janesville. Guests and golfers experienced a blast from the past with "Throwback Thursday Golf" themed food and décor, along with informational materials noting milestones and photos from the past 55 years of KANDU's mission. Teams of four participated in 18 holes of golf along with a putting contest, men's and women's longest drive competition and four opportunities for an extravagant hole-in-one prize. For the first time in 14 years, not only did one of our participating golfers skillfully shoot a hole in one, but on a prize-winning hole! Congratulations to Don Cherry for scoring your second lifetime hole in one and earning a \$3,000 Brothers Main shopping spree! A delicious lunch and dinner were provided by Best Events and following the game, golfers indulged in a relaxing round of hors d'oeuvres and camaraderie. Evening festivities included a live and silent auction, raffle and an awards ceremony. Traveling trophies were presented to the winning foursome from Crossroads Counseling: Jim Tullis, Caleb Brieske, Joe Clough and Brian Brieske.

Other prizes were awarded to the following contest winners:

Longest Drive (Men) – Mike Phillips

Longest Drive (Women) – Amy Carrey

Longest Putt – Kaleb Woods

Putting Contest – Joe Jimenez

Congratulations to all of our winners and a special thank you to all of our generous sponsors, golfers and volunteers who made this event such a success. [Click here](#) for more photos from WINNERS Golf Outing.



## *Volunteer of the Month*

### **14<sup>th</sup> Annual WINNERS Golf Outing Volunteers**



*Thank you for  
donating your time and  
energies to ensure the  
success of this event!*

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### **Upcoming Events**

#### **Rock County Senior Fair**

*Friday, September 16th from 9am-2pm at Janesville Holiday Inn Express*

Stop by KANDU's Day Services/Memory Care booth during this free informational event for seniors and loved ones.

[Click here for more information](#)

#### **Beloit Senior Fair**

*Tuesday, October 4th from 9am-1pm at The Eclipse Center*

Visit KANDU's Day Services/Memory Care booth, among over 60 other exhibitors, offering free information to seniors and their loved ones.

[Click here for more information](#)

