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A Note from the *Chair....*

Betsy Bond, 2014-2015 Leadership Board Chair

John Quincy Adams said, "If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more, you are a leader."

This community is extremely lucky to have so many leaders who inspire others every day. These leaders are in our schools, our churches, our workplaces and in our neighborhoods. Leadership Hopkingsville-Christian County serves as a springboard for the future leaders of our community.

LHCC is also a commitment. It is a big commitment, not only for the participants, but for their employers, the program coordinators, the day coordinators and the countless community representatives that share their lives, year after year. We are grateful for all of our leaders and for the ones yet to come.

Betsy Bond

Announcements & Events

2014-2015

30th Anniversary of Leadership Hopkingsville-Christian County!

January 1 - February 13

"Legacy of Leadership" alumni award nominations accepted -

Please see website for details and nomination form at:

<http://www.christiancountychamber.com/pages/Leadership/>

February 26

Business After Hours Leadership Alumni Event at 5:00 pm at the Pennyroyal Area Museum where the "Legacy of Leadership" award recipient will be announced

March 6

Adult Leadership Class Presentations 7:30-9:30 am at the Pennyrile Electric Community Room. A \$1000 grant from the Al W. Wettstein Fund will be awarded to the local non-profit agency featured in winning presentation.

The 2014-2015 *Leadership Alumni Directory* will be released soon!

LEADERSHIP CLASS OF 2014-2015

2014-2015 Class Schedule

<i>August 14-15</i>	Opening Retreat
<i>September 5</i>	Agriculture Day
<i>October 2</i>	Military Day
<i>November 7</i>	Education Day
<i>December 5</i>	Government & Justice Day
<i>January 9</i>	Health & Human Services Day
<i>February 6</i>	Business & Industry Day
<i>March 6</i>	Community Life & Social Diversity Day
<i>April 17</i>	Arts & Heritage Day
<i>May 1</i>	Closing Retreat
<i>May 14</i>	Graduation



The 2014-2015 Leadership Hopkinsville-Christian County class was introduced during the "Business After Hours" in July at BB&T. The new class of 20 participants attended the opening retreat at Pennyrile Forest State Park on August 14 and 15. This is a very dynamic class boasting a professionally diverse group of individuals.

The program coordinators for the class are DeeAnna Yates, Communication Liaison with the Jennie Stuart Medical Center, who is a 2011 graduate of the Leadership Program, and Melissa Sellers Spurr, Director of Finance and Business at Hopkinsville Water Environment Authority, who is a 2009 graduate of the Leadership Program.

After a successful retreat, Agriculture Day, and Military Day the class is gearing up for Education Day and Government and Justice Day in the months of November and December. The class has been divided into groups of five and are currently working on projects for four worthy community agencies. The groups will make their presentations in March. In addition, the class plans to conduct a volunteer day during the closing retreat in May.

The class is looking forward to learning more and gaining a greater understanding about the community in which they live and work. Hopkinsville and Christian County will benefit tremendously in the years to come from the leadership roles these individuals will assume.

Class of 2014-2015

Natalie Adams Calhoun and Associates CPA	Terrence Davis Boys and Girls Club	Marian Mason Christian County Chamber	Kendriana Price Christian County Extension Office
Zirconia Alleyne Kentucky New Era	Thomas Estes Higgins Insurance	Ryan Milauskas Heritage Bank	Adam Smith Hopkinsville Police Department
John Braun Hopkinsville Community College	Mark Giltner Pennyrile Electric	Nate Pagan City of Hopkinsville	Melissa Stevenson Hopkinsville Community College
Sharon Butts Economic Development Council	Jerod Kaufman Robinson Construction	Delecia Palmer Aaron McNeil House	Amanda Vinson Planters Bank
Sharon Chilton Metalsa	Heather Lancaster Christian County Public Schools	Amy Peters United Southern Bank	Crissy Upton City of Hopkinsville

YOUTH LEADERSHIP



Forty youth were chosen to make up this year's Hopkinsville-Christian County Youth Leadership Class from an overwhelming number of applications submitted! The youth in this year's class are sophomore, junior, and senior representatives from the two public and two private high schools. We also have a participant who is home-schooled.

The youth are led by Program Coordinators, Ruth Lynch, District Discipline Coordinator for Christian County Board of Education, class of 2003-2004, and Sandy Grogan, Vice President and CFO for Pennyriple Rural Electric, class of 2004-2005.

The class started the year off in August with an Opening Retreat at the Dawson Springs 4-H Camp. The group will continue to develop a better understanding of the community with Arts and Humanities, Agriculture, Community Issues, Government & Justice, Social Responsibilities, Industry & Economic Development and Ft. Campbell Military Day.

The class will be engaged in a community foundation project that will allow them to explore connecting generosity with need. This project challenges the members to become actively involved in working through United Way Agencies to bring about lasting change and improve lives. Culminating activities will conclude with a closing retreat and class graduation in May 2015.

Youth Leadership 2014-2015 Class Schedule	Date	Event
	August 20-21	Opening Retreat
	September 18	Arts & Humanities Day
	October 23	Agriculture Day
	November 13	Community Issues & Community Service Day
	December 5	Government & Justice Day
	January 15	Social Responsibilities Day
	February 12	Industry & Economic Development Day
	March 12	Fort Campbell Day
	April 16	Closing Retreat
	May 5	Graduation

Class of 2014-2015

Student	School	Grade
Bailey Barnett	CCHS	11
Cora Brown	UHA	10
Elizabeth Buchanan	CCHS	11
Kadie Bumpas	CCHS	10
Chloe Cannon	UHA	10
Annie Clark	HHS	10
Tatum Eller	UHA	11
Logan Ferrell	CCHS	11
Graceson Fowler	UHA	11
Jonathan Garnett	HCA	10
Garrett Gee	UHA	10
Harrison Grogan	HCA	10
Kayla Haddock	CCHS	11
MaKayla Harris	CCHS	10
Kaitlyn Hayes	HHS	10
Caroline Heltsley	HHS	10
Reid Heltsley	HHS	10
Keihah Hieb	HS	11
Jordyn Hornbuckle	HHS	10
Stephen Humphries	UHA	11
Kayla Jones	CCHS	11
Montraele Jones	CCHS	12
Madison Kelly	HCA	11
Meredith Kessler	HHS	10
Alex Lancaster	CCHS	11
Macy Oatts	HHS	10
Meredith Pace	HHS	10
Mary Glenn Powell	HHS	10
Jenna Puckett	HHS	11
Davis Pyle	HHS	11
Ryan Pyle	HHS	10
Audrey Self	HHS	11
Aaron Shaw	HHS	11
Jenna Snyder	HHS	11
Elizabeth Stalker	HHS	10
Alivia Stewart	HHS	10
Danielle Thompson	HHS	11
Katelyn Thomson	HHS	10
Morgan Watkins	HHS	11
Allyson Wilson	UHA	12

**LEADERSHIP Alumni
Membership
Contribution**

\$35.00	Single Membership - Alumni Circle
\$50.00	Couple Membership - Alumni Friends
\$100.00	Alumni Ambassador
\$200.00	Alumni Heritage Club
\$500.00	Alumni Corporate Gift

It's time to renew your annual membership! Your continued financial support of the Leadership program enhances the experience of current class members and makes future alumni networking events possible. Please consider upgrading your membership today!

Please make checks payable to *Leadership Alumni*, or provide credit card information below.
Send to: LHCC, 2800 Ft. Campbell Blvd., Hopkinsville, Ky 42240, or email to: LWilson@christiancountychamber.com

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