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JOHNSON COUNTY
at FRANKLIN COLLEGE
LEADING EDGE—MARCH 2018



QUALITY OF LIFE PROGRAM DAY



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Thank you to our March Program Day Underwriter



- Congratulations to **Angela Morris ('04), Lisa Jones ('12), Tar a Payne ('16), and Deidra Baumgardner ('10)** who were featured in the Southside Business Exchange Annual Women in Leadership Issue. [Click here](#) for the link to all these incredible women leader interviews!
- Congratulations to **Dr. Rich Arkanoff, ('09)** Superintendent of Center Grove Community School Corporation, who was presented the Citizen of the Year award on Tuesday, March 13, 2018. The Veterans of Foreign Wars VFW presented him with this honor at the VFW and Auxiliary's annual Community Service Awards program.
- Congratulations to The Franklin Rotary Club who presented the proceeds from its 22nd annual Jim Rhoades Memorial Hog Roast at a club meeting on March 6, 2018 to the Johnson County Good Cheer Fund and

the Interchurch Food Pantry of Johnson County. The club raised proceeds totaling \$34,179.11 from the event, which were equally divided between the two non-profit organizations. Pictured LJC Alumni include from left: **Doug Lechner ('97), Jake Sappenfield ('15), and Deidra Baumgardner ('10).**

- Congratulations to the 2018 Marty and Carolyn Williams Volunteer of the Year award winner, **Jim Martin ('97)**. Thank you for all you do to make the City of Franklin great by volunteering your time and talents.
- Congratulations to **Lee Ann Wilbur ('07)** who was recently selected as the Franklin College Women of Distinction award winner in the community category.



Meet the Class of 2018



Tiffany Ankney

Account Specialist with Farm Credit Mid America

Family – Husband - Andrew, Daughter - Cadence, Dogs – Odie, Sampson, Griffey, Cat - Roscoe, and 3 pigs - Ruby Sue, Bertha and Peaches

Where do you live—Trafalgar, IN

What is your favorite LJC moment or lesson to date—I really enjoyed the Myers Briggs portion. It was fun getting to learn more about ourselves and our classmates.

Favorite quote—“Knowledge is knowing a tomato is a fruit, Wisdom is not putting it in a fruit salad!”

Hobbies and interests outside of work—working alongside my husband and daughter with our show pigs. My daughter is a 4 H member who shows pigs and we breed a couple as well. We currently have two that are pregnant. I enjoy traveling to take Cadence to jackpot shows and watching her show at the Johnson County Fair. I have enjoyed seeing how much these pigs have taught our daughter about responsibility and discipline.

Something on your bucket list—I would love to “island hop” all the islands in the Caribbean.

What is your favorite restaurant—Ruth’s Chris

Name one word to describe yourself— Saved!



Joanne Sergi

Director of Alumni Engagement at Franklin College

Family—Son, Brad-24 Daughter, Margo-22 Two Dogs, Lily-15, Ollie-8

Where do you live— Franklin, IN

What is your favorite LJC moment or lesson to date—I really enjoyed meeting all the people our first weekend and finding out so much about everyone.

Favorite quote - Ora et Labora (pray and work) My dad attended St. Meinrad seminary to explore the priesthood. He left after two years but adopted the teachings of St. Benedict his entire life and it became a motto in which we lived in our family.

What movie are you looking forward to seeing and why - Mary Poppins Returns. My daughter and I always like to pick a movie over the holidays to see together and since she attends school 8 hours away, it is our “date night” when she comes home. She loved the original movie as a child so that is why we chose it.

When have you been most satisfied in your life - My son and I took an amazing trip over to Spain after my daughter’s study abroad semester ended last May. We then traveled to Italy and spent a week there. We made our home base at a villa and then traveled daily by train to surrounding towns. It was truly the best quality time I’ve spent with my children.

What is your favorite restaurant - My favorite restaurant is Mesh on Mass Ave. They change their menu seasonally and I’m never disappointed. And did I mention, they make the best dirty vodka martini?!

Name of a local business you utilize personally or professionally that provides an outstanding service - I like to use JP Parker florist for all my flower needs personally and at the college. I have worked with the same person for years and we have such a great working relationship and she knows what I like. She is creative and yet works within my budget. I am never disappointed with her final product.

Meet the Class of 2018



Nick Stainbrook

Staking/Fiber Optics Engineer

Family: Talan, Son, 11

Where do you live: Franklin

What is your favorite LJC moment or lesson to date: the opening retreat was great all around.

What is innovative in your field of work: We are on the fore-front of technology in utilizing fiber optics to be more efficient at providing electricity to consumers.

Number one skill you practice that makes you successful:
Confidence, Never Quit

Favorite quote: I have 2, sorry! "I've failed over and over and over again in my life. And that is why I succeed."
Michael Jordan

"Live like no one else, so later you can live like no one else." Dave Ramsey

Hobbies and interests outside of work: Playing guitar, coaching my son in his many sports, woodworking/trim/crown molding.

Name one word to describe yourself: Driven

LJC Graduation Scheduled for

May 9th, 2018

Be sure to mark your calendars to attend the LJC Class of 2018 graduation on Wednesday, May 9th at 5:30 p.m. at Franklin College. Cost to attend is \$25 and tickets may be purchased through Andrea Gash at agash@franklincollege.edu.

LJC received 59 completed applications to the Class of 2019 Signature Program. Thank you to all of our graduates for sending in your nominations to participate. Contest winners will be announced in the April newsletter.

You are cordially invited to attend the



Graduation - Class of 2018

*Wednesday, May 9, 2018
At 5:30 p.m.*

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Franklin College

101 Branigin Boulevard,

Franklin, IN

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RSVP: Please return the enclosed response card by
May 1.*

No cancellations will be accepted after May 1.

We hope that you will be able to join us!

Annual Chamber Celebration

Thursday, April 26, 2018 | 11:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

The Nest Events

400 Byrd Way | Greenwood, IN 46143

[RSVP HERE](#)



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Franklin Chamber Luncheon

Thursday, April 12, 2018 | 11:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m.

Compass Park

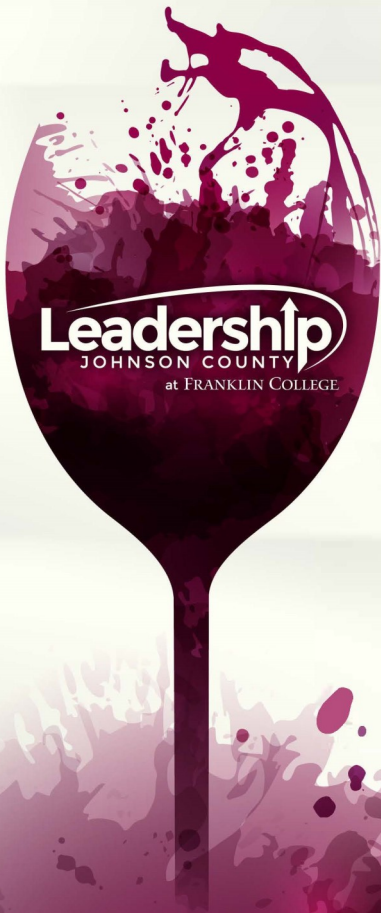
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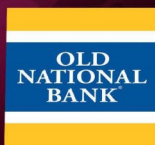


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Thank you to each of our sponsors, donors, and attendees for making the annual LJC Wine Event a huge success! Together we raised \$67,000!



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Johnson County Community Events



Relay For Life Team Cancer Stinks

Daddy Daughter Dance

Relay for Life team Cancer Stinks will have their annual Daddy Daughter Dance to raise money for the American Cancer Society on April 21st from 6:00—9:00 p.m. at Indian Creek High School. Daughters of all ages are invited and will enjoy raffles, finger food, drinks, cancer stinks merchandise, princess crowning, and complementary pictures by LeAnn Rehm Photography. Tickets in advance at First Merchant Bank, Trafalgar or purchase at the door. \$20/couple and \$5 per extra daughter. Day of the dance \$25/couple and \$5 per extra daughter. [More information here.](#)



SATURDAY, MAY 12th, 2018

10a.m. - 2p.m.

A Family Event at the Johnson County Fairgrounds

A unique, interactive, outdoor family festival to allow children to climb on, explore, and discover their favorite big trucks & vehicles! Each truck will have a driver present to answer questions, help kids sit in the truck, and let kids honk the horn. Bring your camera for lots of fun photos! Entry into event is \$5 a ticket for an ages. All children must be accompanied by an adult.

Questions? Contact beatsforbristol@yahoo.com or call (812) 391- 3588.



Help LJC Project Casa Crusaders raise funds and awareness for Casa through Rock the Block!

April 21st, 2018

Center Grove High School

Sign up to run for Leadership Johnson County/CASA Project!

[Click Here](#)

Class of 2018 Casa Crusaders

members: Lisa Kress, Adam Norman, Joanne Sergi, Kevin Service, Nick Stainbrook, Tiffany Wilson, Elizabeth Worley

JOHNSON COUNTY SHERIFF CANDIDATE FORUM

The Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce will host a Johnson County Sheriff Forum on Thursday, April 12, 2018 from 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM at The Sycamore at Mallow Run.

The Johnson County Sheriff's Office provides service to over 139,000 residents. You're invited to join an evening networking reception where you can meet Duane Burgess, Kirby Cochran and Stoney Vann who are all running for Johnson County Sheriff. During the Sheriff's Forum, you will have the opportunity to interact with each candidate, ask questions regarding their intentions, and learn more about the person who might become the next Johnson County Sheriff. Cost to attend is \$15 and includes the programming, heavy hors d'oeuvres, and soft drinks.

[Register Here!](#)

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Join us for a day of innovation, creativity and growth as Leadership Johnson County presents the annual Power of Innovation Symposium. Day includes breakout and keynote speakers.

TOPICS INCLUDE:

- Rethinking Performance Evaluations
- Fixed vs. Growth Mindset
- Innovation Through Creativity
- Much more!

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