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#### **Financial aid deadline approaching**

March 10 is the deadline for families file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid, also known as FAFSA. "Meeting the March 10 deadline is critical for Hoosier families," said Stan Jones, Indiana's Commissioner for Higher Education.

To be considered for the largest possible amount of state and federal financial aid, anyone attending college this fall needs to submit the FAFSA by deadline. Submitting the FAFSA also is necessary to be considered for the majority of government-backed loans.

Last year, the federal government gave out \$83 billion in college financial aid. In addition, Indiana provided more than \$233.5 million in state financial aid through nearly 73,000 grants. Simply because they did not file on time, 150,000 Hoosiers missed out last year on \$230 million in free cash for college.

To download Indiana's Guide to Paying for College: Step-by-Step Tips to Help High School Seniors Apply for Financial Aid and view other helpful resources, visit [www.learnmoreindiana.org/cashforcollege](http://www.learnmoreindiana.org/cashforcollege).

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#### **Wiley Class of '64 plans reunion**

Wiley High School Class of 1964 is planning a class reunion July 24-25. The class will gather at 6:30 p.m. July 24 at the Landing and there will be a dinner at the Plumbers & Steamfitters Building on July 25.

If anyone knows the whereabouts of any of the following people listed, please contact Mary Jean Charters at (812) 533-1261, Russell Floyd at (812) 234-9608 or Judy Short at (812) 535-3827.

Patrick J. Roberts, Stanley E. Guy, Danny L. O'Bannon, David Ludwig, Madolin L. Sparks (Hackett), Dennis L. Borders, Rod E. Heien, Michael Kelley, Carole V. Foltz, Georganna Cheek (Eggleston) Linn Davis, Ann Wolnick (Lindeman), Patricia R. Madigan (Carlson) Nancy R. Witham (Maxwell), John W. Moody, Donnetta K. Booker (Norris), Karen A. Allen (Rost), Gary L. Oglesby, Rebecca S. Stewart (Milburn), John T. Anderson, Kathy J. McCoy, Raymond A. Miller and Sue E. Chesley (Haberstadt).

Also, Diana D. Anderson, Connie Ashby, Gary Bays, Carolyn Cannon, LeRoy Carter, Donald Caterson, Joe Connerley, John Cooper, Pamela Ellis, Terry S. Englehart, Carol A. Fisher, Carol Greenwood, Nancy Gwin, Susan Hankins, Charlene Hauk, Randa Hollis, Adrienne Hurst, David Jewell, Roscoe Jones, Linda I. King, Sandra King, Diana Lane, Margaret Means, Daniel Mickschl, Sue Ellen Moses, Ron Otis, Mark K. Payton (Sadowski), John Rhodes, Noreen Rieger, Janet L. Sanders, Carol Shouse, Hugh Taylor, Martha Thompson, Roger L. Tredway, Marilyn K. Underwood, Nancy Welch and Gretchen Wilson.

### St. Mary-of-the-Woods

#### **Woods Day Care receives gift**

The Sisters of Providence of St. Mary-of-the-Woods have announced receipt of a gift from the estate of Ed and Mary Dede, former Terre Haute residents, who have bequeathed money to support Woods Day Care/Preschool.

Woods Day Care/Preschool is a sponsored institution of the Sisters of Providence. The gift is \$560,000, the largest ever received by the day care.

Ed Dede was a Terre Haute businessman and began a business named Dede Tool and Die Co. in Terre Haute in 1945. He also was very active in farming, coal and oil in Illinois. Mary died in December 1996 and Ed died in December 2007.

Woods Day Care/Preschool is nationally accredited by the National Association for the Education of Young Children. It is a state-licensed facility. For more information, call (812) 535-4610, or visit the Web site at [www.woodsdaycare.org](http://www.woodsdaycare.org).

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