

News



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YMCA–YWCA Capital Campaign Update 26

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SUNDERLAND FOUNDATION GRANT

Our “Your Y” campaign has received a large \$80,000 grant from the Sunderland Foundation from Overland Park, Kansas. They were especially impressed with our innovative collaborative approach to this project and the combined reach into our community that will result in one out of every six people being served. Special thanks to **Kent Sunderland**, Foundation President and his board for their generous support

ANONYMOUS FOUNDATION GRANT

We have just been informed that thanks to an anonymous recommendation of one of their trustees, a new foundation will be contributing \$30,000 to our campaign to benefit our North Y.

JENSEN DISTRIBUTION SERVICES GIFT

We are grateful to also acknowledge and thank **Mike Jensen** for his generous \$25,000 gift to our campaign from **Jensen Distribution Services**.

WE ARE SELECTED AS BLOOMSDAY CHARITY

Special thanks to **Don Kardong** and the Bloomsday Charity Committee and Board of Directors for selecting our “Your Y” project as the official Bloomsday charity for 2009. As they indicated in their notification to us, “There were a number of reasons for this, but the long-term support of both the YMCA and YWCA in providing health and fitness opportunities for families of all socio-economic groups was a key factor.” We look forward to working closely with them in preparation for the May 3, 2009 Bloomsday race.

OUR NEW CAMPAIGN TOTAL

This brings our new, up-to-the-minute campaign total to **\$31,664,333** or **78%** of goal!
Happy Thanksgiving!