



# Foundation News

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## Meet Celia

Celia was born in 2007. She is a fun loving little girl from the state of New York.

At the age of 5, she enjoys going to school, reading books, coloring and drawing. In her spare time she enjoys playing outside, taking a swim, and dance lessons.

Celia uses a myo-electric or passive limb depending on the activity.

When Celia grows up she plans on becoming a teacher.

After battling with her insurance company for more than a year, she has recently become the newest Inner Wheel Recipient!

Celia and her family are truly grateful for all the help Inner Wheel has provided them.



## Trustees Meet with Hanger in San Antonio

The Foundation Trustees and the IWUSA Governing Body held their fall meetings in San Antonio, Texas, October 18 – 19, 2013.

Friday, October 18<sup>th</sup> everyone met with Steve Mandacina and Autumn Babineau from Hanger Clinic.

Some important facts about Foundation giving to Hanger are listed to right, other facts are below.

- \$34K in Limb Bank.
- 56 children have been fitted since 2004.

- Average cost per child is \$9000.
- Average age of children at time of fitting is 9.5 years.

The Medicare value is product and services. The Foundation only pays for the product, at a discounted cost. Hanger clinicians donate or find other ways to pay for their time, occupational therapy and other services that may be associated with a child receiving a hand.

The Limb Bank is where Hanger keeps limb parts that can be refurbished and used for another child. IW funds

only cover actual components that can be returned once the child has grown out of them. We all know how fast children grow and most insurance companies do not pay for refitting of a limb as often as it should be done. Thus we have the Inner Wheel Limb Bank.



Steve Mandacina demonstrates part of the fitting process.

### Interesting Facts:

- Since 2004 IW Foundation has given \$442,152.
- \$442,152 has a Medicare value of \$1,326,457.
- Presently 10 children are "in the cue".
- \$44,591 IW funds remaining for this year (June 30, 2014).

## Do You Know?

### **February is Foundation Month**

Plan an activity to "help give a child a hand".

### **Your District Foundation Coordinator or Non Districted Club Coordinator**

This person serves as your contact person at the District/Club level to answer questions or direct questions to the Trustees.

### **You can send contributions to either address:**

Ms. Connie Abram  
356 Snapdragon Ln.  
Lincoln, CA 95648

Or

IWUSA Foundation, Inc.  
PO Box 3414  
Haines City, FL 33845

### **We're on the Web!**

#### **See us at:**

[www.innerwheelusa.com](http://www.innerwheelusa.com)

### **You can contact the Foundation Chairman**

[gill.broadaway@yahoo.com](mailto:gill.broadaway@yahoo.com)

## Christmas is just around the corner!

Want to honor a loved one, friend, co-worker with a special gift?

Heidi Case, Past Foundation Chairman is once again making special Christmas cards you can order free of charge to honor a person with a donation to the Foundation.

To order your cards send your contribution form with a check to the Foundation indicating the number of cards needed.

The beautifully hand painted cards will be sent to you, so that you can send the card with a note about this honor to your special person.

**Orders must be placed by November 22, 2013.**

**Please mail orders to:  
Ms. Connie Abram  
356 Snapdragon Lane  
Lincoln, CA 95648-8162**

## Know your Trustees

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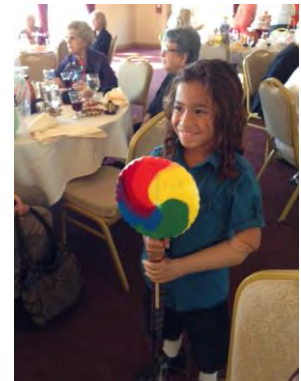
Fundraising  
Donna Stevens

## Districts 517 & 519 Meet Angel

On October 26, 2013, Districts 517 and 519 gathered together for their annual Friendship Luncheon in Vallejo, CA.

Special guests were Jim Caywood from Hanger Prosthetics, and Angel Alvarez with his family. Angel was fitted with a myo-electric limb

about 4 months ago. He is a delightful 8 year old boy. Jim gave a video presentation of their work with children and the myo-electric limb. The program was excellent, but the highlight was meeting Angel and his family.



## Financial Report

### INNER WHEEL USA FOUNDATION Statement of Activities For The Period July 1, 2012 Through June 30, 2013

<b>Unrestricted Net Assets</b>	
<b>Revenues and Gains:</b>	
Contributions	\$ 65,439
Interest income, cash accounts	9
Securities income	
Dividends and ST capital gains	22,435
Investment interest	20,329
Realized gains (losses)	29,745
Unrealized gains (losses)	26,698
<b>Total Revenues and Gains (Losses)</b>	<b>164,655</b>
<b>Expenses:</b>	
Accounting expense	1,500
Annual Report	600
Bank charge	30
Box rental	64
Filing fees	75
Foreign tax	243
Gift awards	154
Insurance	862
Investment management fee	11,277
Pins and jewels	326
Postage	402
Printing, copy, supplies	182
Project allocation	19,015
Rose council expenses	407
Scarves and note card expenses	2,353
Travel and conference expense	5,020
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>42,510</b>
<b>Increase in Unrestricted Net Assets</b>	<b>122,145</b>
<b>Beginning of Year Net Assets</b>	<b>1,231,161</b>
<b>End of Year Net Assets</b>	<b>\$ 1,353,306</b>

See accompanying notes and independent accountant's review report.