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7th Annual Can Do Walk & 5K Saturday, September 12, 9 am

Event: The Can Do 4:13 Scholarship's 2-mile Can Do Walk & 5K will be held in Peoria Heights on lovely Grandview Drive. This event is the main fundraiser for the \$1,000 Can Do Scholarships that over 375 former Peoria Irving School students have been promised after they graduate from high school and transition to post secondary institutions.

Registration & Information: Walkers and runners can register online at www.cando413.com or on the morning of the event at Tower Park in Peoria Heights. Registration is \$30 per person, \$60 for a family, and \$100 for teams of 10 people or more. All contributions are welcome, tax deductible and managed by the Community Foundation of Central Illinois.

Goal: The goal of the 7th annual **Can Do Walk & Run** is to raise at least \$25,000 in funds for the Can Do 4:13 Scholarship Fund through sponsorships and personal contributions. The Founder has agreed to pay 100% of the expenses so that 100% of the contributions go to the Can Do Scholarship Fund. Last year over 200 runners and walkers participated.

The Can Do 4:13 Scholarship Fund is dedicated to providing \$1,000 scholarships to the 2002-2003, 2003-2004, 2004-2005, 2005-2006, 2006-2007, and 2007-2008, fourth grade classes at Peoria, IL's Irving Primary School. The "Can Do Kids" have been challenged to graduate from high school. They will receive the \$1,000 Can Do 4:13 Scholarship once they enroll at an accredited post secondary education institution. Examples of those institutions include a university, college, technical training school, junior or business college, or cosmetology school.

The Can Do Kids now total over 375 students who are in 6th through 11th grade. Can Do aspires to give these students a "Can Do" attitude and hope, encouraging them to graduate from high school, as well as the ability to truly see that the community cares about them. This hope is expected to increase graduation rates among these students so they become positive, driving forces within their families and truly change the near north side of Peoria.

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