

**A Night at the Races**  
[The CROYA Foundation]

The Committee Representing Our Young Adults (CROYA) Foundation held its inaugural fundraiser on April 29. More than 175 members of the community came out to support the young adults of Lake Forest, Lake Bluff, and Knollwood at the event, "A Night at the Races." Guests were treated to a fun yet casual evening, where they bet on "reel" races with CROYA Bucks. To top off the

night, a CROYA "Staff Race" movie, filmed by students, was shown. The event highlighted the new Student Union which many supporters helped fund. CROYA Youth played a big role in making it a successful night—they led tours of the multilevel facility, welcomed and warmed the crowd, and highlighted the film.

With the \$8,000 raised from "A Night at the Races," the Foundation will help support several after-school "mini courses" slated for this fall at the CROYA Student Union. Through a growing

partnership with Lake Forest College, local 7<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> graders will be able to choose from a variety of workshops taught by the students of Lake Forest College.

Co-chairs of the event were Sandi Rupprecht and Whitney Keller. Foundation co-chairs are Alana Hender and Craig Pierson, and Foundation vice-chair is Krina Huddleston.

For more information about the CROYA Foundation, visit [www.croya.com](http://www.croya.com).

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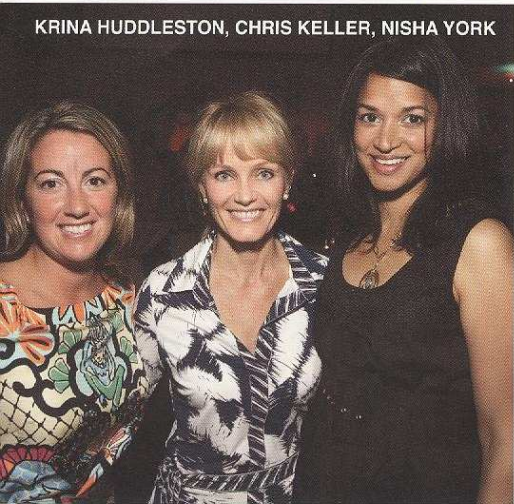
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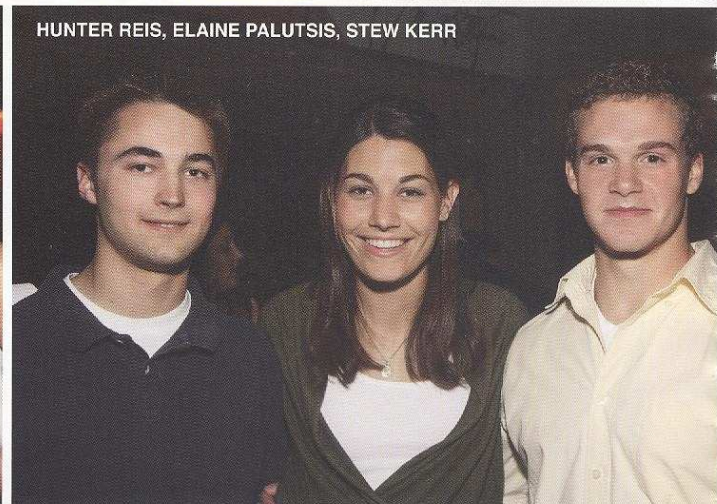
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