Judy and Phil Frick named 2018 Sweet Humanitarians of the Year

WICHITA, KAN. – Judy and Phil Frick have been named the 2018 recipients of the Sweet Humanitarian of the Year award, which will be presented at “An Evening of Note,” 6:30 p.m. Thursday, May 10, at Abode Venue, 1330 E. Douglas.

A school teacher by trade, Judy founded Communities in Schools and has been heavily involved with Junior League of Wichita, Kansas Action for Children, and many other organizations. Phil worked until retirement as an attorney at Foulston Siefkin and was an integral part of the creation of Exploration Place. These accomplishments are only the tip of the iceberg for this Wichita couple. The Fricks have given tirelessly to the community, not only locally, but at the state and national levels as well.

Donna Sweet, M.D., KU Wichita Internal Medicine Midtown physician and world-renowned HIV/AIDS expert, created the award in 2005 to recognize those who have made significant contributions to the Wichita community through their leadership and guidance as well as philanthropic and selfless actions.

“An Evening of Note” is an event to benefit the Sweet Emergency Fund, established by Sweet to assist HIV/AIDS patients with their health care needs when other resources are not available.

Reservations are $100 per person and must be made in advance by Monday, May 7. To make reservations or for more information, call 316-293-3595.