



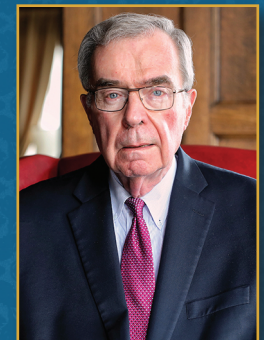
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2019 NATIONAL PHILANTHROPY DAY  
AWARDS LUNCHEON



13abc WTVG



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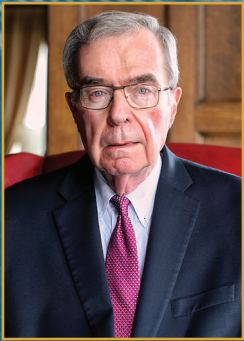


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November 13, 2019



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National Philanthropy Day is our opportunity to show our gratitude for those who have significantly contributed to the welfare of our communities in northwest Ohio and southeast Michigan. Each 2019 award recipient will be honored for their vision, generosity, and the difference they make in positively impacting the quality of life in our region. We hope they inspire you to celebrate and practice the spirit of philanthropy that results when everyone works together to “Change the World With a Giving Heart.”

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## AGENDA

Welcome **Erin McPartland**  
President, AFP Northwest Ohio Chapter

Entertainment **iDance APAC**

Invocation **Lisa Tucker-Gray**  
Rector, Trinity Episcopal Church

Lunch

Award Presentations **Lee Conklin, Emcee**  
Anchor, 13abc

**13abc WTVG**  
Outstanding Media Outlet or  
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**AccuShred**  
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Outstanding Youth in Philanthropy, Ages 5-17

Closing Remarks **Milva Valenzuela Wagner  
& Nate Reid**  
Co-Chairs, National Philanthropy Day





## Thank You for Giving

In the spirit of National Philanthropy Day, Greater Toledo Community Foundation congratulates and thanks all of the honorees and others who serve and give unselfishly every day in our community.

Contact us to join those in our community who are contributing to the quality of life in northwest Ohio through the power of philanthropy.



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## ABOUT THE JUDGING PROCESS

*How the NPD Awards are selected*



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Each year, the Northwest Ohio Chapter of the Association of Fundraising Professionals invites non-members to judge the nominees for the National Philanthropy Day awards. We strive for a mix of judges from the business sector and nonprofit organizations. Our goals are to be transparent, fair and impartial in order to select the best honorees for each category each year.

We'd like to thank this year's judges for their time and efforts:

- **Lamar Anderson** — Product Director, Owens Corning
- **Amelia Gibbon** — Consultant, Community Activist
- **Billie Johnson** — President/CEO, Area Office on Aging
- **Neil McCabe** — Retired, Great Lakes Community Action
- **Ian McLellan** — Marketing Manager, Rudolph Libbe
- **Sarah Skow** — Partner, Spengler Nathanson
- **Josh Torres** — CEO, NWO Hispanic Chamber of Commerce
- **Kevin Jansen** — Chief of Staff, TDC Companies

The judges receive ballots without identifying information of who Nominated each nominee. The judges are given the award definition and the series of questions specific to that award (see the nomination form). For each question, the judge is asked to rate how the nominee met the criteria on a scale of 1–10. After the judging deadline, the scores are added and the nominee in each category with the highest score is named the awardee.

Judges do not vote on a category if they work for, or are on, the board of any of that category's nominees, or if they or their organization has submitted a nomination for that category. An award category must have a minimum of two nominations for that category to be judged.

The chapter reserves the right not to present an award in any particular category.



## Membership Has Its Benefits

*Join the Association of Fundraising Professionals*

The Association of Fundraising Professionals Northwest Ohio Chapter (AFPNOWO) fosters the professional development of fundraising professionals and promotes high ethical standards in the fundraising profession.

### Network & Get Involved

Fundraising can often be a lonely profession ... especially if you are a department of one. And it can be hard to stay motivated, refreshed, and ready for that next big meeting with that new major donor. That's why our members say that networking is the number one reason to join AFPNOWO.

Our membership is varied, diverse, and eclectic, ranging from executive directors of small nonprofits through chief philanthropy officers of major hospital systems. We are also geographically diverse, with members not only from the greater Toledo area, but from Port Clinton, Defiance, Findlay, and even Tecumseh, Michigan.

### Advance Your Career

AFPNOWO is committed to helping you advance your career. To that end, we offer many benefits on the local level, including:

**Educational Programs** - AFPNOWO is proud of the outstanding programs it offers on a monthly basis (no programs are held in July) that enrich the professional development of the area's fundraising community. For our breakfast/luncheon meetings, we ask local and regional experts to share their knowledge and experience on what leads to success in fundraising and nonprofit management. Thanks to the generosity of the Greater Toledo Community Foundation, we are able to offer ten webinars each year free of charge.

**Scholarships** - The chapter encourages anyone considering joining to first look into the possibility of a scholarship. Thanks to the generosity of the Greater Toledo Community Foundation, we are able to offer a limited number of membership scholarships to AFPNOWO each year.

**Mentoring Partnerships** - The Mentoring Program is a member-only benefit that provides individualized guidance and support to advance the skills of those newer to the profession, transitioning to a new area of the field, or looking for opportunities to grow in their fundraising career. For both mentors and mentees, this is an exceptional opportunity to share expertise, and network with and learn from colleagues.

Want more info? Visit our website at <http://www.afpnwo.org/join.php>.

## WELCOME

Dear Friends and Honored Guests,

Welcome to the 2019 National Philanthropy Day celebration luncheon! We are so glad you have joined us!

National Philanthropy Day is an opportunity to express our gratitude and recognize our distinguished individuals and organizations who are making a tremendous impact in our northwest Ohio region with their time, talents and/or resources. They are shining examples of philanthropy in our region and we are pleased to celebrate their commitment and leadership.

On behalf of our Association of Fundraising Professionals Northwest Ohio, thank you for joining us today in this celebration of all the honorees and others who invest, serve and give unselfishly every day in our community. It is our hope their stories will inspire you, too, to change the world with a giving heart.

Sincerely,



Milva Valenzuela Wagner & Nate Reid  
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# 13abc WTVG

*Outstanding Media Outlet or Best Nonprofit Media Coverage*  
Nominated by Amanda Graven, ProMedica Foundations



For more than 70 years, 13abc has been the television station people in Northwest Ohio and Southeast Michigan turn to for news, weather, and sports. A lot has changed in seven decades, but what has not is the responsibility and commitment they take seriously every day, every newscast. Some of their most humble undertakings include sharing the remarkable stories about not-for-profit events and causes throughout this region. They consider it a privilege to be the messenger for those who want to make the world a better place. 13abc Action News is who they are. "THIS IS HOME" is why they do it.

In 2018, 13abc committed to being the media partner with ProMedica for the Toledo Children's Hospital's Jeep Raffle Series. Their support not only sold raffle tickets at an astonishing rate, but also helped create community awareness around Toledo Children's Hospital, which serves more than 20,000 families from 28 counties each year.

ProMedica is certainly not the only beneficiary of 13abc's community involvement. Here are just a few of the 28 nonprofit partnerships in 2018:

- Hope for the Hungry Food Drive, in partnership with Toledo Northwestern Ohio Food Bank, to support the one in six people and one in four children in the area at risk of not having enough food.
- Hope for the Holidays Toy Drive, in partnership with the Salvation Army and Marine Corps, helping thousands of area children enjoy a brighter holiday.
- Happy Tails, weekly segments featuring our furry friends available for adoption at the Toledo Area Humane Society.
- Beat the Heat Check the Backseat, in partnership with Lucas County Children's Services to prevent unnecessary deaths due to hyperthermia.
- Project Playhouse, in partnership with Maumee Valley Habitat for Humanity, to support safe, decent, affordable housing through raising funds building playhouses for local children.

Other partners include YWCA, Alzheimer's Association, March of Dimes, Better Business Bureau, American Cancer Society, Toledo Zoological Society Foundation, Marathon Classic, JeepFest, Goodwill, JDRF, Zepf Center, Adopt America, Taste of Toledo, Leadership Toledo, and more.



## AccuShred is honored and humbled to be recognized for our contributions on National Philanthropy Day.



Thank you to Susan G. Komen for their incredible contributions to our community and for nominating us ... and thank you to our loyal customers for making our ShredCancer program an amazing success!



# Congratulations AccuShred!

*We're so proud of your big hearts, leadership and the huge impact of your ShredCancer program.*



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## PAST RECIPIENTS OF NATIONAL PHILANTHROPY DAY AWARDS

### Outstanding Philanthropist

2019 – Dr. William & Holly James  
 2018 – The Russell J. Ebeid Family  
 2017 – Robert & Susan Savage  
 2016 – The Charles J. and Mariann Dana Younger Family  
 2015 – Dennis & Sheila Johnson  
 2014 – Jim and Patricia Appold  
 2013 – Lisa Cathard  
 2012 – Dan and Sharon Farrell  
 2011 – Robert "Bob" W. and Patricia Maurer  
 2010 – Charles A. Sullivan  
 2009 – Richard P. and Frances H. Anderson  
 2008 – Jim Findlay  
 2007 – W. Geoffrey Lyden, III and the Lyden Family  
 2006 – Dr. Thomas and Betsy Brady  
 2005 – Marion and the late Edward Ford Knight  
 2004 – BGSU Dance Marathon  
 2003 – Dorothy Mackenzie Price  
 2002 – Chuck Oswald  
 2001 – Sara Jane DeHoff  
 2000 – Richard LaValley, Sr.  
 1999 – George Isaac  
 1998 – George Mylander  
 1997 – Thomas H. Anderson  
 1996 – Richard K. Ransom  
 1995 – Mary and Frederic D. Wolfe  
 1994 – Mr. and Mrs. Ashel Bryan  
 1993 – Erie J. Sauder  
 1992 – Virgil A. Gladioux  
 1991 – Mr. and Mrs. William A. Diehl  
 1990 – Mr. and Mrs. David Welles  
 1989 – Mr. and Mrs. Harold McMaster  
 1988 – The Stranahan Family

### Outstanding Fundraising Professional

2019 – Ann Riddle  
 2018 – Douglas Siebenaler  
 2017 – Dave Gierke  
 2016 – Mary Westphal  
 2015 – Suzanne Rorick, CFRE  
 2014 – Mary Arquette  
 2011 – Keith Burwell, CFRE  
 2010 – Vern Snyder, ACFRE  
 2009 – Marcia Sloan Latta, CFRE  
 2007 – Kenneth C. Frisch, ACFRE

### Outstanding Corporate Philanthropist

2019 – AccuShred  
 2018 – TDC Companies  
 2017 – Mercy Health  
 2016 – Verizon Wireless/ Verizon Foundation  
 2015 – Key Bank  
 2014 – Marathon Petroleum Corporation  
 2013 – Savage & Associates

2012 – ProMedica Flower Hospital  
 2011 – Taylor Automotive  
 2010 – Libbey Inc.  
 2006 – National City Bank  
 2005 – Owens-Illinois  
 2004 – Dana Corporation  
 2003 – Marathon Ashland Petroleum LLC  
 2002 – Fifth Third Bank  
 2001 – Microsoft Great Plains  
 2000 – Owens Corning  
 1999 – Cedar Point Amusement Park/ Resort Center for Women's Health, ProMedica Health System  
 1998 – Sky Bank (formerly Mid-American National Bank and Trust Co.)  
 1997 – Capital Bank N.A.  
 1996 – The Andersons Inc.  
 1995 – General Mills, Inc.  
 1994 – Toledo Affiliates of The Blade Communications, Inc.  
 1993 – Fifth Third Bank  
 1992 – The Kroger Company  
 1991 – Seaway Food Town, Inc.  
 1990 – Society Bank & Trust

### Outstanding Volunteer Fundraiser

2018 – Barbara Eikost  
 2017 – Brad Koller  
 2016 – Michael and Michelle Osborne  
 2015 – Ann Buis  
 2014 – Julie Beckert  
 2013 – Randy Oostra  
 2012 – George and Leslie Chapman  
 2011 – The Science Society Founders – Robert Savage, James Hoffman & David Waterman

2010 – Sara Jane DeHoff  
 2009 – Robert C. Savage  
 2008 – Rita Mansour  
 2007 – Dennis G. Johnson  
 2006 – Margarita DeLeon and Chrys Peterson  
 2005 – Jim Murray  
 2004 – Robert V. Sterling  
 2003 – John and Yolanda Szych  
 2002 – Ruth Frost Parker  
 2001 – Dr. and Mrs. Michael Walsh  
 2000 – Ashel and Dorothy Bryan  
 1999 – James A. Hoffman  
 1998 – Richard P. Anderson  
 1997 – Sunshine Auxiliary  
 1996 – Mr. and Mrs. William J. Lloyd, Sr.  
 1995 – Joel A. Levine  
 1994 – Donald H. Saunders  
 1993 – Amy Falconer  
 1992 – Willard I. Webb, III  
 1991 – Thomas H. Anderson  
 1990 – Thomas R. Day  
 1989 – David S. Morgan

### Outstanding Foundation

2019 – ProMedica Foundations  
 2018 – Designetics Cares  
 2017 – Stranahan Foundation  
 2016 – Toledo Community Foundation  
 2014 – The Findlay Hancock County Community Foundation  
 2013 – Anderson Foundation  
 2012 – Eugene and Eleanor Harms Foundation  
 2011 – The LaValley Family Foundation  
 2010 – Suzanne and Allan Cohn B'nai Tzedek Teen Philanthropy Program of the Toledo Jewish Foundation  
 2009 – The Clement O. Miniger Memorial Foundation  
 2008 – Lovell Foundation  
 2007 – Landman-Goldman Foundation  
 2004 – The Harold and Helen McMaster Foundation  
 2003 – The Albert G. and Olive H. Schlink Foundation  
 2002 – France Stone Foundation  
 2001 – The Stranahan Family Foundation

### Outstanding Media Outlet

2019 – 13abc WTVG  
 2018 – Madhouse  
 2017 – Hart, Inc.  
 2016 – TRE, Inc. – Tony Rios Enterprises  
 2015 – The Findlay Publishing Company  
 2014 – Sylvania Advantage  
 2012 – Mix 98.1  
 2011 – WTOL-TV, Channel 11  
 2010 – Block Communications, Inc.  
 2009 – WTVG 13 ABC  
 2008 – BC Sentinel Tribune

### Youth in Philanthropy

2019 – Youth in Philanthropy Encouraging Excellence (YIPEE) (ages 5–17)  
 2018 – Taylor Brubaker (ages 18–23)  
 2017 – Cecelia Hugues (ages 5–17); Afreen Alvi (ages 18–23)  
 2016 – Hunter Gandee (ages 5–17); Dallas James Smith (ages 18–23)  
 2015 – Luke Sims (ages 18–23)  
 2014 – Erik Hansen (ages 5–17); Mariah Hohman (ages 18–23)  
 2013 – MaKenna Wagner (ages 5–17); Megan Leiss (ages 18–23)  
 2012 – Olivia Ruffner (ages 5–17); Skyler Rogers (ages 18–23)  
 2011 – Clayton Stewart  
 2009 – Adam Haynes  
 2008 – Brooke Johnson



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**Heather Bradley,**  
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## AccuShred

*Outstanding Corporate Philanthropist*  
Nominated by Gretchen Awad, Susan G. Komen Northwest Ohio



In 2005, Nate Segall and Barry Gudelman founded AccuShred to help meet a rapidly escalating need for businesses and individuals to protect their sensitive information. Today, AccuShred is an innovative leader in the field, focusing on the complete destruction of sensitive paper, electronic records, and various forms of media such as hard drives, X-Rays, tapes, and disks. They also provide privacy assessment and data breach reporting solutions.

From its inception, AccuShred's core values have revolved around ethics, integrity, and "doing the right thing," and have guided the company's business practices, extending into community involvement in Northwest Ohio. AccuShred encourages its employees to participate in meaningful causes and the company itself holds regular free community Shred Days. Company executives also are deeply involved in industry associations, Nate being himself a former president of the National Association for Information Destruction. For these reasons, AccuShred received the 2018 Torch Award for Ethics from the Better Business Bureau.

It wasn't long before Nate found a way for AccuShred to help resolve another serious threat—one that they had been personally affected by. To support Susan G. Komen Northwest Ohio's fight against breast cancer, Nate launched the groundbreaking **Shred Cancer** program. By deploying distinctive pink shred bins throughout the region and matching customer donations dollar-for-dollar, AccuShred's Shred Cancer program has raised awareness and more than \$125,000 to combat breast cancer in our community.

AccuShred considers the lives and families in this community that it has touched through its involvement with Susan G. Komen Northwest Ohio to be one of its greatest accomplishments. Thousands of people benefit from the organization's efforts to make preventative screening accessible to all.



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## Lee Conklin

2019 NPD Emcee



Lee Conklin is an Emmy award-winning anchor and reporter at 13abc in Toledo. Lee has been with the station for 28 years, 20 of which have been spent anchoring the 5:00, 6:00, and 11:00 news with Diane Larson. Conklin also anchors the Action News at 5:30 with Kristian Brown.

Lee's assignments have also taken him across the country and the world. His reporting includes 13abc's coverage of the aftermath and recovery in the wake of Hurricane Katrina and Ohio native and Senator John Glenn's return to space in the shuttle "Discovery." Conklin also reported live from China during a Toledo economic development trip led by former mayor Mike Bell. He was also on the field reporting in Tempe Arizona when Ohio State captured the national championship in 2003 with that thrilling overtime victory against the heavily favored Miami Hurricanes.

Lee has been actively involved in numerous charitable causes, including the Leukemia and Lymphoma Foundation, The Cancer Connection of Northwest Ohio, and The Alzheimer's Association. He's also served on the boards of Goodwill of Northwest Ohio and The Toledo Hearing and Speech Center. Conklin is also widely known for his formation, coaching, and play for the "13abc All Stars." The team, comprised of 13abc personalities and a few "guest ringers," raised more than \$700,000 that went straight to individual schools.

Lee and his wife Lisa have called Northwest Ohio "home" for over 30 years. They have four adult children and recently welcomed their first grandchild.

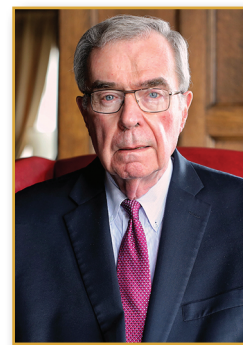


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# William F. Buckley

## *Outstanding Volunteer Fundraiser*

Nominated by Richard P. Anderson, Toledo Symphony,  
George M. Jones III, National Museum of the Great Lakes,  
and Kathy Carroll, Toledo Symphony



Bill Buckley was born and spent his childhood in New York City and New Jersey. A Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps (NROTC) scholarship took him to the University of Nebraska where he graduated with a B.A. in 1964, and received his Naval commission, serving on ships in the Mediterranean and Far East. Bill completed his Naval career at The Ohio State University, where he was Assistant Professor of Naval Science, and where he completed his M.B.A. from the Fischer College of Business in 1971. That year he joined Owens-Illinois in Toledo.

Over the course of twenty years, Bill held progressively larger positions with O-I in management, planning, and administration, capping his tenure as Vice President of O-I Corporate Services and O-I Risk Management. Bill joined Hylant in 1991 as President and COO, and over the next 18 years he helped grow the business from annual revenues of \$5 million to nearly \$100 million.

Bill recognized early how central the business community is to the well-being of the whole community. He credits O-I and Hylant for encouraging his involvement in many organizations that improve community life, including Toledo Day Nursery, Gesu Church, Ottawa Hills Athletic Boosters, Greater Toledo Community Foundation, Mercy Health Partners, Toledo Country Club, Toledo Symphony (20 years as Board Treasurer), and most recently, Board Chairman of The National Museum of the Great Lakes.

The Buckleys continue to volunteer their services in Toledo to this day. Married to wife, Jean, for 45 years, they raised children Mike, Jamie, and Kate and today stand ready to greet their eighth grandchild.



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Nominated by Maumee Valley Habitat for Humanity

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**Jennie Vancil**

Nominated by United Way of Greater Toledo

**Jean Oram**

Nominated by The Pregnancy Center of Greater Toledo

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Nominated by Imagination Station



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## Dr. William & Holly James

*Outstanding Philanthropist*

Nominated by William Garbe, ProMedica Foundations



William and Holly James: Partners in life and in work. Dr. and Mrs. William James founded DECA Health, Inc. and Comprehensive Centers for Pain Management (CC4PM) in 2003 with the singular mission to improve the delivery of acute and chronic pain management services in North West Ohio and South East Michigan. CC4PM provides full multidisciplinary approach and patient-focused care for even the most challenging patients. Since its inception, CC4PM has collaborated with area ProMedica hospitals and physicians to provide seamless service to patients.

The James' second child Katy was born two months premature under emergency conditions. Born lifeless, she spent her first several weeks in Toledo Children's NICU. Thankfully, with the loving and expert care of the entire team of NICU staff and physicians, Katy not only survived, but flourished. Though bothered by spastic diplegia, scoliosis and dyslexia, Katy has brushed away the physical and learning challenges to be an outstanding student and citizen.

Philanthropy comes easily for Holly, a registered nurse who has volunteered for the Toledo Hospital Auxiliary and Toledo Academy Alliance, serving one year as its President. Along with other Toledo area community, religious, and school organizations, she volunteered for Second Chance and the Telluride Adaptive Sports Program (TASP) in Colorado, for which Katy was a poster Child and ribbon cutter for their new facility in 2009.

Despite Dr. and Mrs. James' time and support given to these organizations over the years, they were looking to help in a more impactful way. That opportunity surfaced in the form of sponsoring NICVIEW—a secure interactive video platform that allows family members to connect remotely with patients and families in the NICU. The choice to support Toledo Children's Hospital was easy. Dr. and Mrs. James, along with their family, committed to launch and support "Katy's Connection"—cameras for all 60 of their NICU beds—for the benefit of the families and patients in the Toledo Children's NICU.



*"The proper aim of giving is to put the recipients in a state where they no longer need our gifts."*

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The ProMedica Foundations team deeply appreciates all who have contributed to furthering our mission.

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## Youth in Philanthropy Encouraging Excellence (YiPEE)

*Outstanding Youth in Philanthropy, Ages 5–17*

Nominated by Leadership Toledo



Youth in Philanthropy Encouraging Excellence—or YiPEE, for short—is a program for high school juniors and seniors wishing to learn more about community needs and the elements of thoughtful giving. Established by Toledo Community Foundation and facilitated by Leadership Toledo, the program's goal is to establish a foundation for a lifelong commitment to leadership, volunteerism, and philanthropy.

Within this unique program, students identify key problems facing their peers, solicit and review grant applications from local youth-serving organizations, and raise and allocate funds to deserving area non-profits to address those needs.

Since its inception in 1998, YiPEE has dispersed 100 grants totaling over \$198,000. Not only do students execute their own fundraising initiatives, they take on the challenge of deciding exactly where their donor dollars go at the end of the program year.

Emma Baumgartner, YiPEE and Perrysburg High School alumna, summed up her experience with YiPEE by saying, "I always thought of myself as 'just a kid,' but this program treated me as an equal by putting me on the same playing field as adults. I was taken seriously for the first time as a teenager, and I think it helped me mature and discover my values faster. I had no idea how many non-profit organizations there were in Toledo, especially ones that exist to better the community. To assist them as catalysts for positive change makes me so proud of my hometown."

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## ProMedica Foundations

*Outstanding Foundation*

Nominated by Adam Reny, The First Tee of Lake Erie



Through innovative campaigns, programs, and partnerships, the ProMedica Foundations are transforming philanthropy in Northwest Ohio and Southeast Michigan.

Throughout the past 5 years, the ProMedica Foundations have served the community in various ways, including:

- Raising and committing \$80M in philanthropy to build the new Generations Tower on the ProMedica Toledo Hospital campus, delivering an unprecedented patient experience and innovative space for their caregiving team.
- Raising \$2.5M to build the ProMedica Dorothy L. Kern Cancer Center in Fremont, Ohio, so that cancer patients can receive advanced treatment right in their local community.
- Conducting an \$18M campaign to build a new hospital and YMCA branch in Lenawee County, Michigan.

The ProMedica Foundations are continuing this commitment to strong partnerships by collaborating with First Tee of Lake Erie and Greater Toledo Boys & Girls Club to raise funds for the “Growing Futures Together” Campaign, which creates one-of-a-kind youth programming in Toledo.

Working with the late philanthropist Russell J. Ebeid, the ProMedica Foundations developed the Ebeid Neighborhood Promise—an innovative, national model designed to deliver 10,000 changed lives in Northwest Ohio through “birth to employment” pathways.

The Ebeid Neighborhood Promise is just one aspect of ProMedica’s commitment to addressing the Social Determinants of Health as we work to improve health and well-being in all of the communities ProMedica serves.



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## Ann Riddle

Outstanding Fundraising Professional

Nominated by Jessica LaValley, LaValley, LaValley, Todak and Schaefer



If you asked Ann Riddle what her favorite thing is about fundraising, she would tell you “talking and getting to know people.” Her husband would tell you that she should have a Fitbit for the number of words that she speaks each day.

Ann began her career in fundraising when she was hired by the University of Dayton to manage the student call center during a capital campaign. As Project Coordinator, she trained and supervised 85 students to contact alumni, parents, and friends of UD to ask for support. After the campaign ended, the University promoted her to Director of Annual Giving, responsible for building a legacy of annual giving from the ground up.

After moving to Toledo, Ann raised money as a volunteer with various organizations within the community, including Sylvania Community Services, St. Joseph School, and Notre Dame Academy. While serving on the Board of Sylvania Community Services, she met Sister Sheila Shea who invited her to work at the Franciscan Center as the Director of Development. Ann initiated an annual giving program, solicited grants for the Theater Vision program, and created an event sponsorship program.

Her commitment to children and education continued as she began working part-time at the Northwest Ohio Scholarship Fund (NOSF) in 2004. At NOSF, she is responsible for two fundraising events, writing grants, and soliciting individuals for gifts. In March of 2013, Ann was promoted to Executive Director of NOSF and moved the office from the Diocese of Toledo to Sylvania. Ann works closely with NOSF's national partner the Children's Scholarship Fund, which has matched all support to the program since 1999.