



UNITED WAY 2017 CAMPAIGN RECOGNITION LUNCHEON

JANUARY 23, 2018
HOLIDAY INN &
CONVENTION
CENTER

11:45-12

REGISTRATION

Please begin eating once you are seated

12:05

WELCOME

Sue Wilcox - United Way of Portage County Executive Director

2017 CAMPAIGN CHAIR REMARKS & COMPANY AWARDS

The Blenker Family (Peter Blenker and Pam Jewell; Jason and Jenny Blenker, with Jesse and June; Justin and Melissa Blenker, with Colin and Charlotte; and Kris and Angel Blenker)

VOLUNTEER RECOGNITION

Marg Coker-Nelson and Tina Peters, Stevens Society Co-Chairs

PASSING OF CAMPAIGN LEADERSHIP TORCH

The Blenker Family to the team of Vikki Nason, Kathy Davies, Amber Houck, Shannon Semmerling, and Anna Weisbrod

12:55

BOOKSHELF GIVEAWAY

One third-grade classroom in Portage County will win a Blenker Companies-designed bookshelf, stocked with books at today's luncheon. All qualifying classrooms in Portage County are entered to win. Peter Blenker, who built the bookshelf, will draw the winner.



The Blenker Family with the bookshelf that will be given away to a local third-grade classroom.

1:00

CLOSING / LUNCHEON DOOR PRIZE

An 8mm Tahitian Pearl set in a 14-karat white gold pendant and 10-karat white gold box chain (estimated value - \$2,500). Pendant & chain donated by Lee Ayers Jewelers, designed and created by Thomas Dailing Designs - Wisconsin's most awarded jewelry designer. Door prize winner to be drawn at the close of the luncheon.



LEE AYERS
jewelers
Custom goldsmithing
Beverly Daint WI

Thomas Dailing
designs

2017 Campaign Goal - \$2,875,000

2017 Campaign Results - \$3,048,991

Business Contributions - \$1,068,154 (35%)
 Employee Contributions - \$1,627,220 (53%)
 Other Community Residents - \$353,617 (12%)

Corporate Campaign Awards

Platinum, Gold, Silver, and Bronze awards are given to businesses in each division based on corporate contributions.

P Platinum
G Gold
S Silver
B Bronze

Agriculture

- P** Plover River Farms Alliance
- G** Roberts Irrigation Company, Inc.
- S** Fletcher Farms, Inc..
- B** Allen Supply Company, Inc.

Retail/Wholesale

- P** Len Dudas Motors
- G** Midwest Hardware Association
- S** H&S Protection Systems, Inc.
- B** Mark Toyota of Plover

Financial

- P** BMO Harris Bank
- G** Simplicity Credit Union - Stevens Point
- S** Old National Bancorp
- B** Investors Community Bank

Services

- P** Blenker Companies, Inc.
- G** Wisconsin Public Service
- S** The Boldt Company - WRV
- B** Spectra Print Corporation

Major Employers 1

- P** Sentry Insurance
- G** Donaldson Company, Inc.
- S** Associated Bank
- B** AIG Travel

Health

- P** Marshfield Clinic - Stevens Point Center
- G** Ki Mobility
- S** Cooper Dental
- B** Hom Family Dentistry

Major Employers 2

- P** Delta Dental of Wisconsin
- G** WORZALLA
- S** CN
- B** Neenah Paper - Whiting Mill

Manufacturing and Processing

- P** Worth Company
- G** Gamber-Johnson LLC
- S** Marten Machining, Inc.
- B** Biery Cheese Company



Thank you to NRG Media for creating a heart-warming campaign video featuring an extraordinary family touched by United Way.

GOLD STAR Employee Campaign Awards

Recognizing above average giving, regardless of number of employees, for companies with a minimum of 25% participation AND an average weekly gift over \$1 for all employee donors

Aging & Disability
Resource Center
Ameriprise Financial
Anderson O'Brien, Bertz,
Skrenes & Golla
Associated Bank
Bannach Elementary
Ben Franklin Junior High School
Berkshire Hathaway
Travel Protection
Big Brothers Big Sisters
of Portage County
Blenker Companies, Inc.
Bliss Educational Service Center
Boys & Girls Club
of Portage County
Bull's Eye Credit Union
Bushmans' Inc.
CAP Services, Inc.
Central Waters Brewing Company
Cherek, Pucci & Quick, S.C.
Children's Hospital
of Wisconsin
CliftonLarsonAllen LLP
Community First Bank
Cooper Dental
Delta Dental Of Wisconsin
DigiCOPY
Donaldson Company Inc.
Ellis Construction Company, Inc.
Felker Brothers
Gamber-Johnson LLC
General Beer-Northeast, Inc.
Girl Scouts of
Northwestern Great Lakes
Great Lakes Educational
Loan Services, Inc.
H&S Protection Systems, Inc.
IBM
Infinity Foods, Inc.
Investors Community Bank

Jefferson Elementary
JHL Digital Direct
Ki Mobility
Klismith Accounting &
Tax Group SC
Len Dudas Motors
Liberty Mutual
Madison Elementary
Mark Toyota of Plover
McDill Elementary
McKinley Elementary
Meals On Wheels
Mid-State Technical College
Midwest Hardware Association
National Wellness Institute
Nenah Paper - Whiting Mill
Notable Impressions
Old National Bancorp
Opportunity Development Center
Pacelli Catholic Middle School
Pineries Bank
Plover-Whiting Elementary
Point of Beginning
Pointe Precision, Inc.
Portage County Annex
Portage County Business Council
Portage County Housing Authority
Recycled Office Environments
Regnier Consulting Group
River Cities Bank

Roosevelt Elementary
Salvation Army - Hope Center
Scaffidi Motors Inc.
Sentry Insurance
Service Cold Storage
Simplicity Credit Union -
Stevens Point
St. Bronislava School
St. Stephen School
Steel King Industries
Stevens Point Area Senior High
Stevens Point Child Safety Center
Stevens Point City Hall
Stevens Point Parks & Recreation
The Boldt Company - WRV
Tomorrow River School District
United Way of Portage County
UPS
US Bank
Verso Corporation -
Stevens Point Mill
Village of Plover
Washington Elementary
Welling Kitchen & Bath
WIAA
Wisconsin Public Service
Worth Company
Wysocki Family of Companies
Youngers - Store #138



***Bold font indicates new GOLD STAR Employee Campaign**

Sentry's Color Run in August helped kick off their \$1,150,000 campaign for United Way of Portage County.

Campaign Leaders Awards

\$1,000,000+ Club *(Corporate & Employee Gifts of \$1,000,000 or more)*

Sentry Insurance

\$250,000+ Club *(Corporate & Employee Gifts of \$250,000 or more)*

Delta Dental of Wisconsin

\$50,000+ Club *(Corporate and Employee Gifts Between \$50,000-\$74,999)*

Ascension Health Care

Associated Bank

Berkshire Hathaway Travel Protection

Donaldson Company, Inc.

Skyward, Inc.

WORZALLA

\$25,000+ Club *(Corporate & Employee Gifts Between \$25,000-\$49,999)*

Blenker Companies, Inc.

BMO Harris Bank

CAP Services

Neenah Paper - Whiting Mill

Pointe Precision, Inc.

Scaffidi Motors

Spectra Print Corporation

Stevens Point Area Public Schools

University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point

Verso Corporation - Stevens Point Mill

Worth Company

Wysocki Family of Companies

\$10,000+ Club *(Corporate & Employee Gifts Between \$10,000-\$24,999)*

AIG Travel

Anderson O'Brien Bertz, Skrenes & Golla

CN

Ellis Construction Company, Inc.

Inclusa, Inc. - Stevens Point

Infinity Foods, Inc.

JHL Digital Direct

Ki Mobility

Len Dudas Motors

Marshfield Clinic - Stevens Point Center

Monogram Appetizers LLC

Regnier Consulting Group

The Boldt Company - WRV

United Way of Portage County

UPS

Outstanding Campaign Awards

Greatest Campaign % Increase of All Public Schools:

P.J. Jacobs Junior High School

Greatest Campaign % Increase of All Parochial Schools:

Pacelli High School

Greatest Campaign % Increase of All Partner Agencies:

Girl Scouts of Northwestern Great Lakes

2017 Pacesetter Organizations

A pacesetter organization assumes the responsibility to lead, motivate and encourage other company campaigns to improve overall campaign participation and giving.

Delta Dental of Wisconsin

Old National Bank

United Way of Portage County Endowment

**Bold font indicates rise in position from last year*

Coupon Book Sponsors

Spectra Print
JHL Digital Direct
and all participating 2017 coupon book vendors

Campaign Sweepstakes Prize Donors

Old National Bank
Scaffidi Motors

Simplicity Credit Union
Skyward, Inc.

Past Drive Chair Ambassadors

Jim Anderson	Marg Coker-Nelson	Jeff Martin	Peterson
Ryan & Erin Andrews & Family	Cooper Family	Jim Martin	Jeanne & Steve Regnier
Lorraine Avery	Bernie Hlavac	Chuck Nason	Bob Taylor
Bob & Mary Berard	Hofmeister/Okroy Family	Ray Nass	Pat Wesenberg
Blenker Family	Dori & John Jury	Jerry O'Brien	Mary Williams
Den Brown	Joe Kinsella	Don & Tina Peters	David Worth
		Dennis & Sharon	

2017 Speakers Bureau

Jane Benzschawel	Dave Morgan	Cindy Piotrowski	Jim Vang
Dawn Cherek	Mae Nachman	Bob Quam	Daryl Woods
Allie Dorshorst	Jeff Ottosen	Jessica Rocha	
Lisa Falduto	Mary Patoka	Chris Sadler	
Cecily Mileski	Laura Pfeil	Nicole Tank	

Special Thanks *(For going above & beyond in support of the 2017 Campaign)*

Associated Bank	Barb Portzen
Dave Bakken	Molly Sanke
Todd Borski	Don Scaffidi
CAP Services, Inc.	Sentry Insurance & SentryWorld
Community Industries Corporation	Nathaniel Springer
Contemporary Photography (John Hartman)	Kathy Staack
Cooper Family	Nicole Tank of Children's Hospital of Wisconsin
Girl Scouts of Northwestern Great Lakes	WORZALLA
Holiday Inn & Convention Center	Heather Wynne
Kurt Luchs	Casey Zempel
Steve Martin	Kelsey Zubke
P.J. Jacobs Junior High School	



The Blenkers help reveal a campaign total of \$3,048,991 at the Victory Celebration in December.

100% Club *(Companies with 5 or more employees reporting 100% participation)*

Ameriprise Financial
Boys & Girls Club of Portage County
General Beer-Northeast, Inc.
H&S Protection Systems, Inc.
Mid-State Technical College
National Wellness Institute
Old National Bancorp
Pineries Bank

Portage County Business Council
Recycled Office Environments
Regnier Consulting Group
Roosevelt Elementary
The Boldt Company - WRV
United Way of Portage County

**Bold font indicates rise in position from last year*

Special Service Award

For commitment, leadership and innovation through an internal campaign or on behalf of the community campaign

Gamber-Johnson LLC
Great Lakes Education Loan Services, Inc.
Ki Mobility

NRG Media
Spectra Print

Education Services Award

For outstanding effort from Portage County's secondary and post-secondary education institutions

P.J. Jacobs Junior High

2017 Community Spirit Award

Each year this traveling trophy will find a temporary home at an organization that demonstrates outstanding corporate and employee support of United Way, exemplifies great community spirit, and defines what it means to LIVE UNITED

Berkshire Hathaway Travel Protection

Best New Campaign Award

Awarded to the highest performing company with a new campaign

Service Cold Storage

Stevens Society **1,044 Stevens Society** **Leadership Givers**

This group represents individuals and couples who contribute a combined gift of \$500 or more through employee contributions, direct mail solicitation or other individual giving.

Donations for the 2017 campaign totaled \$1,186,183.14 or 38.9% of the overall campaign



The 2018 Drive Chairs include Anna Weisbrod, Kathy Davies, Shannon Semmerling, Amber Houck, and Vikki Nason.

Campaign Coordinator Team of the Year

Andrea Moore, Vanessa Garcia-Preciado, Adam Thompson, and Sheila Hetzel
Team Donaldson Company, Inc.

Tina Peters Dedicated Service Award

This award is presented to an individual that has shown exemplary passion and compassion to the residents of Portage County through United Way.

Joe Kinsella - Pointe Precision

Speakers Bureau Award

Dawn Cherek - Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Wisconsin

Special Recognition Award

Patrick Schultz - Sentry Insurance

Jessica Anunson and Crystal Rowland - Blenker Companies, Inc.

Dave Morgan - Stevens Point Area YMCA

Fritzie Marquard Volunteer of the Year Award

Dori Jury - Retired Teacher / Community Volunteer

Million Dollar Circle Award

Presented to companies that raise \$1 million or more in a single campaign.

Sentry Insurance

Corporate Volunteer Engagement Award

Awarded to the organization that demonstrates the greatest progress in providing and promoting volunteer engagement opportunities for its employees.

Sentry Insurance

Lifetime Achievement Award



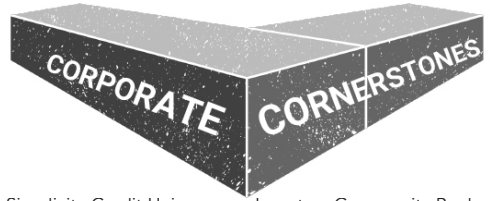
The Lifetime Achievement Award honors individuals whose pioneering spirit and demonstrated support of United Way have made lasting change in community conditions here in Portage County. The award provides special recognition to those individuals who have provided outstanding service throughout their careers.

Jim Anderson - Ellis Construction Company, Inc.

Jim Anderson led the 2007 campaign as Drive Chair and has been connected to United Way for many years.

Corporate Cornerstone Partners

These Corporate Cornerstone Partners provided monetary and in-kind support to United Way of Portage County in 2017. Their corporate support is critical in helping our community's most vulnerable populations and in building a stronger community



TRUSTEE

\$200,000+

Delta Dental of Wisconsin
Sentry Insurance

CHAMPION

\$100,000-\$199,999

None in 2017

HERO

\$50,000-\$99,999

None in 2017

DELEGATE

\$25,000-\$49,999

BMO Harris Bank
Donaldson Company Inc.
Scaffidi Motors
WORZALLA

COLLABORATOR

\$10,000-\$24,999

AIG Travel
Anderson O'Brien Bertz,
Skrenes & Golla

Associated Bank
Berkshire Hathaway
Travel Protection
Blenker Companies, Inc.
CN
Ellis Construction Company, Inc.
Marshfield Clinic
Stevens Point Center
Neenah Paper - Whiting Mill
Pointe Precision, Inc.
Skyward, Inc.
Spectra Print Corporation
Worth Company

STEWARD

\$7,500-\$9,999

None in 2017

ADVOCATE

\$5,000-\$7,499

Herbert H. Kohl Charities, Inc.
Ki Mobility
Len Dudas Motors
Monogram Appetizers LLC
Service Cold Storage

Simplicity Credit Union -
Stevens Point
The Boldt Company - WRV
Wisconsin Public Service
Wysocki Family
of Companies

BENEFACTOR

\$1,000-\$4,999

Ameriprise Financial
Biery Cheese Company
Community Insurance
& Associates
Cooper Dental
Dental Health Center, S.C.
Edward Jones Investments
Family Dental Center
Gamber-Johnson LLC
H&S Protection Systems, Inc.
Hom Family Dentistry
International Bank
of Amherst

Investors Community Bank
Jim Laabs Music
Kawleski Trucking Company
Lands' End
Mark Toyota of Plover
Marten Machining, Inc.
Midwest Hardware
Association
National Exchange Bank
& Trust
Old National Bancorp -
Stevens Point Branch
Plover Family Dental Care
Plover River Farms Alliance
Regnier Consulting Group
Rettler & Associates
Stevens Point Journal
Team Schier Companies
Thomas W. Stout, CPA, S.C.
US Bank
Verso Corporation -
Stevens Point Mill

Media Partners

Amherst Family Foods
Chase Bank
Community First Bank, Rosholt
DigiCOPY
Dolce Digital Printing
JHL Digital Direct

Muzzo Broadcasting
News/Talk 550AM/99.9FM
Notable Impressions
NRG Media
Our Community Spirit
Pineries Bank

Portage County Gazette
Rosholt Record
Simplicity Credit Union
Spectra Print
Stevens Point City-Times
Stevens Point Journal

The Worth Company
WORZALLA
WAOW-TV Channel 9
WSAW-TV Channel 7

2017 Board of Directors

Ray Ackerlund
Kim Angell
Dan Ault
Doug Ballweg
Mary Berard
Sara Brish
Renee Carlson

Timothy Cooper
Kris Crass
Kathy Davies
Eva Donohoo
Amy Eddy
Craig Gerlach
Mark Hilliker

Joe M. Kinsella
Jody Kohl
Trina Laube
Dan Mahoney
Jim McDonald
Cherrie Pavelec-Marti
Tina Peters

Elisha Robinson
Don Scaffidi
Doug Schneider
Beth Smith
Al Thompson
Kelly Zagrzebski

President: Jon Gadbois

United Way Staff

Sue Wilcox, Executive Director

Lisa Falduto, *Born Learning Engagement Specialist*
Shelly Hanson, *Director of Finance*
Fred Hebblewhite, *Director of Resource Development*
Ann Leahy, *Office Associate*
Angie Kellogg, *LIFE Report Project Manager*
Mae Nachman, *Director of Community Impact*
Cecily Mileski, *Volunteer Engagement Associate*
Laura Pfeil, *Resource Development Administrator*
Scott Steuck, *Director of Marketing & Communications*

EVENT SPONSORS



Michael Smith & Associates
Ameriprise Private Wealth Advisory Practice

PROGRAM PRINT SPONSOR

