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Easter Seals Wisconsin Recognizes American Legion Auxiliary Post 229 with Outstanding Service Organization Award

Madison, WI—Easter Seals Wisconsin held their biennial Recognition Dinner on October 9 at Nakoma Golf Club in Madison, honoring people and organizations that have made a significant impact on the programs and services of the organization and the disability community in Wisconsin. Ten recipients were recognized as honorees with distinguished awards.



Members of the American Legion Auxiliary Post 229 accepting the Outstanding Service Organization award.

The American Legion Auxiliary Post 229 of Mount Hope, Wisconsin received the award for Outstanding Service Organization. For the past six years, the women of American Legion Auxiliary Post 229 have prepared and served meals to veterans and their families at a weekend retreat offered twice each year at Easter Seals Wisconsin Camps in Wisconsin Dells. The group has contributed over 1,000 volunteer hours and baked over 12,000 cookies and cupcakes donated for Veterans Family Camps, while preparing meals for the veterans, their families, and the staff – close to 150 people in one weekend. The assistance and dedication of this group helps allow Easter Seals Wisconsin to offer Veterans Family Camps free of charge to veterans and their families across the state.

About Easter Seals Wisconsin: For over 90 years, Easter Seals Wisconsin (www.EasterSealsWisconsin.com) has provided services that help children and adults with disabilities gain greater independence. Easter Seals' primary services – vocational rehabilitation, respite services, camping and recreation, information and referral, and public education – benefit close to 10,000 individuals with disabilities and their families each year throughout Wisconsin.

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