



Golden Heart Awards-The Rotary Legacy

Special Edition: Last night the 23rd annual *Golden Heart Awards* were sponsored by the United Way of Door County and WPS. Several other (Rotary Associated) sponsors were involved, including Bacon CPA LLC, Door County Medical Center, Nicolet Bank and 96.7 WBOK

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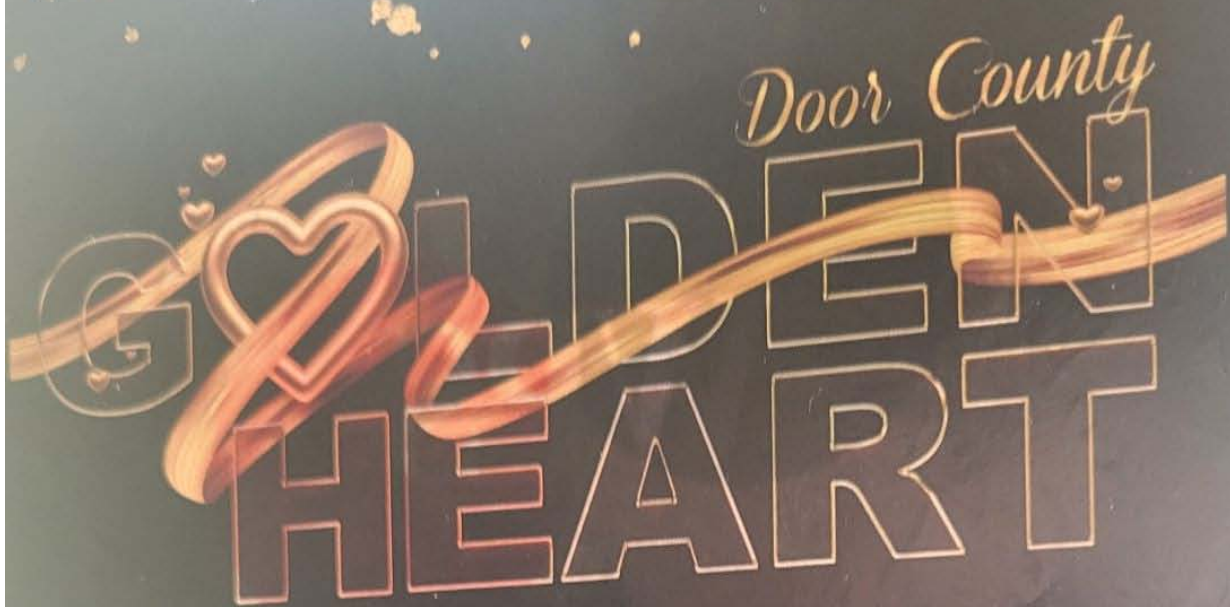


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23rd Annual Golden Heart VOLUNTEER CELEBRATION

APRIL 9, 2025

"Volunteers--The Heart of Our Community"

A celebration honoring the outstanding
volunteers in our community and recognizing
the importance of the organizations through
which they work.



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Rotarians continue to play a role in the presentation of these awards and last night was no exception. This edition will briefly focus on the Rotarians present and their role in events.

Amy Kohnle, Executive Director of the United Way and Rotary President, kicked off the events.

Past
President

Birthdays

Luke Staudenmaier
April 13th
J. Eric Paulsen
April 18th
G. Mark Nelson
April 23rd
Dan J Tjernagel
May 4th
Robert C. Scieszinski
May 6th

Years of Service

Kenneth Boettcher
04-01-1996
29 Years
Amy Leigh Kohnle
04-25-2002
23 Years
Keith Mutchler
04-30-2009
16 Years
Nathan T. Drager
04-06-2017
8 Years
Jeremy M Paszczak
04-01-2021
4 Years
Tonya Felhofer
04-13-2023
2 Years
Michelle Lawrie
04-13-2023
2 Years
April A Konitzer
04-03-2025
0 Years



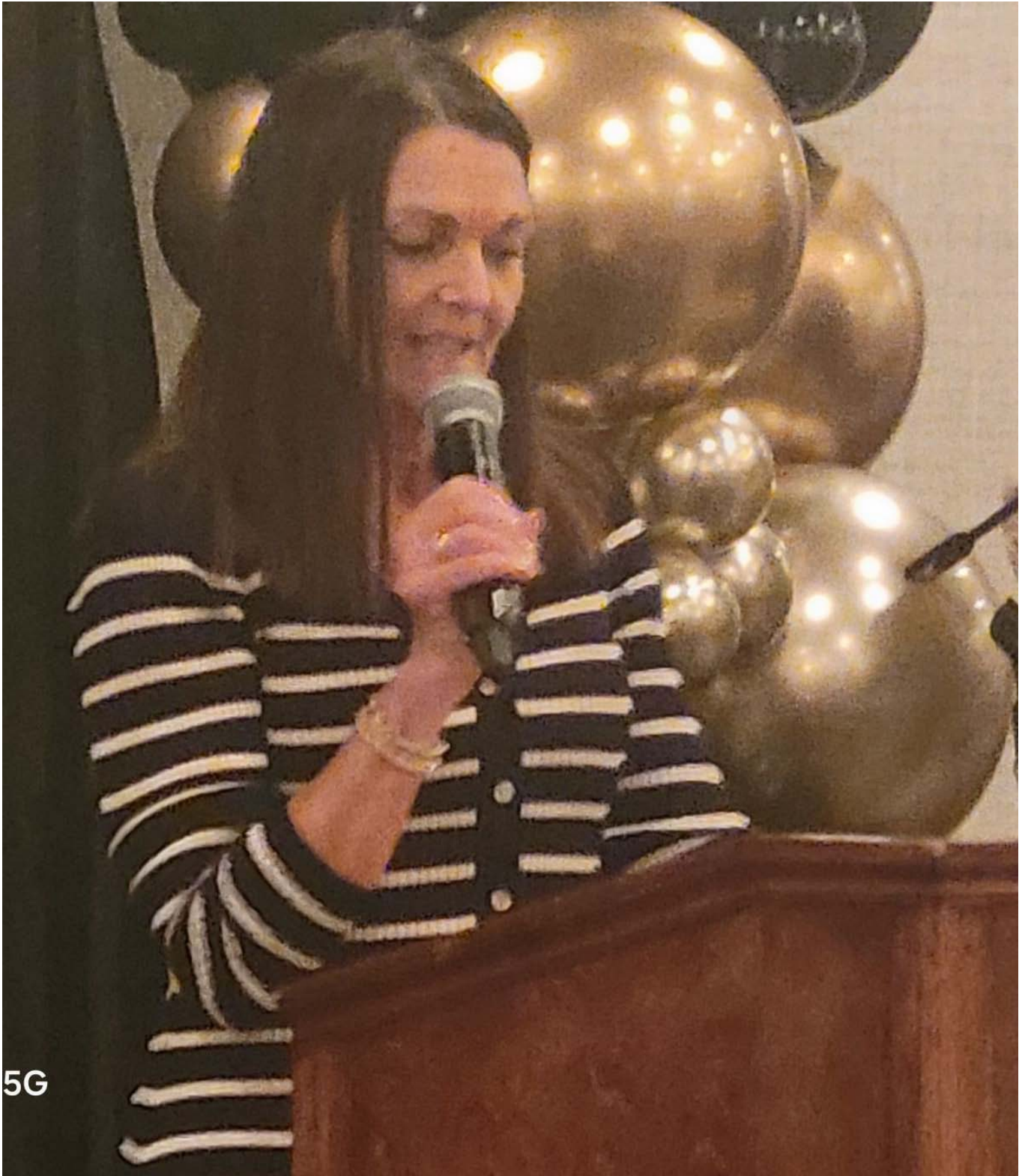
Andy Boetcher was again co-emcee for the awards.



Bryan Mazur presented the "Cultural Volunteer of the Year" award.



Paula Englebert presented the "Group Volunteer of the Year" award.



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Tonya Felhofer was a member of one of the groups nominated.



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Michelle Lawrie presented the "Youth Scholarship" award.



Ophelia Linnan, daughter of Sean and Christy Linnan and a past Rotary outbound exchange student, jointly won the youth award.



The Karl May Lifetime of Service Award was established to honor longtime Sturgeon Bay Rotarian, Karl May, and was a highlight of the evening.

Karl May Lifetime of Service Volunteer of the Year

Presented by: Amy Kohnle
United Way of Door County

Our own *Mark Nelson* was the recipient of this award, presented by Amy. The volunteer impact Mark has had on receiving this award is absolutely outstanding. Please take some time and thank and congratulate Mark personally.



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My absolute apologies to Ed Douglass, who I sat next to. His picture was overlooked. He was representing a nominee.

There was a crowd of Rotarians present. Mike Herlache was present, but missed the group picture.



A pretty proud night to be a Rotarian.



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