



Grafton Outstanding Community Group Award Nominations

The Chamber of Commerce recognizes a **local community group** whose programs have enhanced the quality of life in our area. The award will be presented at the Community Tree Lighting Ceremony on November 24th, and the awarded group is invited to take part in the Annual Christmas Parade on **November 29, 2025**.

Previous recipients of this award have been the Advocates of Ozaukee, Adult Literacy Center of Ozaukee County, American Legion Rose-Harms Post 355- Sons of the Legion, the Grafton Fire Department, Grafton Area Jaycees, Light the GHS Fields Committee, Grafton Junior Woman's Club, Grafton Lions Club, Big Brother/Big Sisters of Ozaukee County, Rose-Harms Legion Post 355, Grafton Community Scholarship Fund, Grafton Auxiliary Police, Interfaith Caregivers, Grafton Blues Association, Starting Point of Ozaukee County and Ozaukee Family Services, Grafton Education Foundation, Cloverleaf 4-H, Mel's Charities, Habitat for Humanity and the Ozaukee Jail Literacy Program.

The following criteria have been established for this award:

- 1. Organization should be a non-profit or volunteer-based group**
- 2. Leadership - has a positive impact on the community climate.**
- 3. Current and/or past contributions to the community**
- 4. Public awareness or resolution of a community related problem or concern**

To nominate an organization for this award, please write a letter detailing why you feel that the group you are nominating deserves special recognition, based on the above criteria.

Please send letters of nomination, including your name, address and phone number to:

**Grafton Area Chamber of Commerce
Outstanding Community Group Award
P.O. Box 132
Grafton, WI 53024**

The deadline for nominations is October 22, 2025.