Survivors & Allies Task Force
Voices of Courage Awards Luncheon
3rd Annual Wrap Around the Capitol

THANK YOU!

Congratulations to the Voices of Courage Awardees:

**Lifetime Achievement**
Linda Davis
Survivor, Advocate, Volunteer, Activist and Philanthropist

**Victim/Survivor Advocacy**
Alma Mann
People Against Domestic & Sexual Violence (PADA)

**Criminal Justice**
Jackie Larsen
Eau Claire County District Attorney’s Office Victim/Witness Services

**Victim/Survivor Advocacy**
Janice Griffin
Dane County Rape Crisis Center

**Community Support**
Mariana Rodriguez
UMOS Latina Resource Center

**Courage**
Pamela Christopher
Monroe Chamber of Commerce

**Health & Human Services**
Sarah Chesmore
Fort Health Care

**Prevention Education**
Tanvi Kumar
Fond du Lac High School

100 survivors and allies shared strength, vision and wisdom
honored the outstanding work of 8 individuals working to end sexual violence
encircled the capitol to show our support for survivors

May is National Trauma Awareness Month
Creating the Social Change Necessary to End Sexual Violence

**Program Spotlight**

**Sexual Assault Center’s 40th**

This year marks the 40th anniversary of the Sexual Assault Center in Brown County. [Read on.](#)

**In the News**

See articles from Fond du Lac High School’s Tanvi Kumar: ‘Rape Joke’ and [Voices of Courage article](#) in Fond du Lac Reporter.

Michael Munson, Co-Founder and Executive Director of FORGE authors ‘Transgender Sexual Violence Survivors Are Slipping Through the System’ in Huffington Post.

**Fund Development Committee**

Board Member Lisa Pentermann: “Your donations will help us to secure funds which will enable programs to help victims through the darkest days of their lives. Thank you for your dedication.”

**Prevention**

**Summer Prevention Call**

A lot of prevention work happens during the school year; what does prevention look like in the summer? Join us on a summer kick-off conference call to share your prevention plans and learn what others are doing during June, July and August. All are welcome! Please contact Rose with any questions at roseh@wcasa.org or 608-257-1516. Join us...

**Tuesday, June 3: 10:00-11:00am.**

Dial (605) 475-4700 and enter code 1042414#.

**Policy**

**White House Task Force**

On April 28, The White House Task Force to Protect Students Against Sexual Assault released recommendations to guide our nation in preventing and addressing sexual violence on campus. [Read on here.](#)

**Resource**

**National Trauma Awareness**

For National Trauma Awareness Month we wanted to highlight the [new ACE Brief](#) from the [Children’s Trust Fund (CTF)](#).

We’d also like to recommend a [great webinar](#) by the Dr. Rebecca Campbell (USDOJ National Institute of Justice) on the Neurobiology of Sexual Assault.

**Save the Date**

- **5/6** [BUILDING NETWORKS (webinar): Best Practices in Assessment & Referral](#)
- **5/14-15** [Director’s Meeting](#)
- **6/4** [Statewide SART Community Meeting](#)
- **6/5-6** [BUILDING NETWORKS for Advocacy & Reproductive Health In-Person Training](#)
- **6/11** [WCASA Webinar Series: Housing Protections for SA Victims](#)
- **6/19** [Paths to Healing Conference](#)
- **7/16-17** [Northern Training](#)