

# past "Get Involved" honorees

## 2018

- Child Individual*: Sophie Dudley
- Youth Individual*: Gracie LaQuey
- College Individual*: August Zimmerman
- Child Group*: LCU Veterans of Faith
- Young Adult*: Kristin Murray
- Adult Individual*: Jon Mark Bernal/Julie Doss
- Adult Group*: UMC NEIDS
- Family*: Jonathan, Michelle, Palmer, and Graham Stephens
- Volunteer Coordinator*: Dr. Bob McDonald
- Louise Cummins Outstanding Organization*: Lubbock Professional Firefighters (Local 972)
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service*: Dr. Frank M. Ryburn, Jr.

## 2017

- Adult Individual*: Carol Alonzo/Dr. Mark Wilkinson
- Adult Group*: Flatlander Harley Owners Group of Lubbock
- Young Adult*: Jennifer Sowder Clements
- College Individual*: Mayra Ramos
- College Group*: Atkins Health Careers Club
- Youth Individual*: Danisha Lewis
- Youth Group*: Keep Teens Alive Youth Coalition
- Child Individual*: Eboni Stewart
- Family*: Jennifer and Isabella Garcia
- Business*: Bahama Buck's
- Volunteer Coordinator*: Patrick Tran
- Louise Cummins Outstanding Organization*: Unified Juneteenth Commission
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service Award*: Donna Chandler

## 2016

- Adult Individual*: Ann Archer/Sharon Johnson
- Adult Group*: The National Ranching Heritage Center's Ranch Host
- College Individual*: Whitney Shaffer
- College Group*: First Generation Transition & Mentoring Programs (formally known as PEGASUS)
- Youth Individual*: Peter Martinelli
- Youth Group*: The DECA Program at Frenship High School
- Family*: The Tilden Family
- Business*: Wells Fargo Bank
- Volunteer Coordinator*: Lisa Gilbert
- Louise Cummins Outstanding Organization*: Dismas Charities, Inc.
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service Award*: Vernita Woods-Holmes

## 2015

- Business*: SERVPRO of Southwest Lubbock
- College*: Lucy Ingaiza/ Texas Tech Catholic Student Association
- Education*: George Dawson
- Arts*: Holly Vinson
- Youth*: Sunset Church of Christ Youth Group 2015 High School Mission Team
- Young Adult*: Meredith Imes
- Volunteer Coordinator*: Elizabeth Duran
- Individual Commitment*: Jeff Klotzman
- Individual Commitment*: Bonnie Hunt
- Family*: Michelle and Madison Castillo
- Louise Cummins Outstanding Organization*: Double T Health Service Corps
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service*: Alice White

## 2014

- Business*: Lowe's Heroes
- College*: Elizabeth Roesler
- Education*: Lubbock ISD Foundation for Excellence
- Arts*: Victoria Timmons and Tatum Lowe
- Youth*: Catherine Latour
- Young Adult*: David Abercia
- Volunteer Coordinator*: Michael Goen
- Individual Commitment*: Keri Powell
- Family*: The Ragsdale Family
- Louise Cummins Outstanding Organization*: South Plains Lion's Club
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service*: Leslie Moss

## 2013

- Business*: UMC Health System
- College*: Lane Tyson/RaiderThon
- Education*: Merinda Condra/Kids Hope USA
- Arts*: Gary Bain
- Youth*: Alejandra Estrada
- Young Adult*: Katie Salter
- Volunteer Coordinator*: Melissa Madrid
- Individual Commitment*: Michael McKaskle
- Family*: Vance & Maggie Guthrie and Koda & Brynne Bigham
- Louise Cummins Outstanding Organization*: Mentor Tech Student Organization
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service*: Bill Cox

## 2012

- Business*: PlainsCapital Bank and Parkhill, Smith & Cooper
- College*: David Bost
- Education*: Dr. Sam Ayers
- Arts*: Sandra Marberry
- Youth*: Katy Roark/Arturo Rodriguez
- Young Adult*: Ryan Curry
- Volunteer Coordinator*: Jana Hunter
- Individual Commitment*: Cindy Meason
- Family*: Sharon, Timothy, and Rebekah McCartney; Betty and Zoe Bell
- Louise Cummins Outstanding Organization*: TTUHSC/Lubbock Impact Student-Run Free Clinic
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service*: Nancy Clopton

## 2011

- Business*: United Parcel Service
- College*: TTU Sigma Lambda Beta
- Education*: Laura Vinson/Mitch Watson
- Cultural Diversity*: Caprock Foundation
- Arts*: Pat Maines
- Youth*: Brittany Johnson/United Future Leaders
- Young Adult*: Megan Graham
- Volunteer Coordinator*: Sharon Thiel
- Individual Commitment*: Olivia Hernandez
- Family*: Kay & Bill Young
- Louise Cummins Outstanding Organization*: West Texas Home Builders Assoc.
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service*: Steve Rogers

## 2010

- Business*: Betenbough Homes/Kohl's
- College*: TTU Eta Omicron Nu
- Education*: Cheri Isett
- Arts*: Eric Lowe
- Youth*: Sarah Jo Lambert
- Young Adult*: Christie Devitt
- Children*: All Saints Episcopal School 2nd Graders
- Volunteer Coordinator*: Linda Thompson
- Individual Commitment*: Dave Freriks/James Mahan
- Family*: Wilkerson Family/Millie & Donnie Caldwell
- Louise Cummins Outstanding Organization*: Downtown American Business Club
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service*: Linda Greenstreet

## 2009

- Business*: Smooth Fusion
- College*: Kappa Alpha Theta
- Education*: Jan Taylor
- Cultural Diversity*: Debra Flores
- Youth*: Nicole Carrillo/Roosevelt Student Council
- Young Adult*: William Murray
- Volunteer Coordinator*: Lisa Howe
- Individual Commitment*: Sandra Schuetzberg
- Family*: The Marricle Family
- Louise Cummins Outstanding Organization*: YWCA of Lubbock
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service*: Evelyn Smith

## 2008

- Business*: Hartsfield Design
- College*: Double T Health Service Corps
- Education*: Food 2 Kids
- Cultural Diversity*: Cathy Allen
- Youth*: Communities in Schools Champions Group at Cavazos Middle School
- Young Adult*: Tonya Phifer
- Volunteer Coordinator*: Mary Guetersloh/Cheryl Keefer
- Individual Community Service*: Stu Childre/Bill Curnow/Eddie Owens
- Family*: Jim, Carrie, and Morgan Lerner
- Louise Cummins Outstanding Organization*: Achievement Rewards for College Scientists (ARCS)
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service*: Donna Snodgrass

## 2007

- Business*: Blackmon Mooring/City Bank Texas
- College*: Aubrey Spear
- Education*: Lubbock Association of Realtors
- Youth*: Josh Ragan
- Young Adult*: Kasi Boutwell
- Volunteer Coordinator*: Dodie Northcutt
- Individual Community Service*: Mary Hatfield/-James Johnston
- Louise Cummins Outstanding Organization*: Hospice of Lubbock Thrift Shop/Altrusa International of Lubbock
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service*: Catherine S. Porter

## 2006

- Business:* Home Depot
- College:* Delta Tau Delta
- Arts:* Redbud Baptist Church Quilters
- Youth:* National Charity Leagues, Inc.
- Young Adult:* John Steinmetz
- Volunteer Coordinator:* Judy Powell
- Individual Community Service:*  
Crystal Edwards
- Louise Cummins Outstanding Organization:*  
Caprock AMBUCS
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service:* Harold Jone

## 2005

- Business:* Lubbock Cotton Kings
- Education:* Joe-Ann Hill
- Arts:* Jimmy Pendergrass
- Youth:* Amaris Garcia
- Young Adult:* Chris Sims
- Individual Community Service:* Hank Behrens/  
Cayce Kaufman/Davor Vugrin, M.D.
- Louise Cummins Outstanding Organization:*  
Friends of the Lubbock Public Library
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service:* Carolie Mullan

## 2004

- Business:* Atmos Energy/Johnny Carino's  
Restaurant
- Education:* Reagan Riley
- Arts:* Meredith Fortune McAlister
- Youth:* Jordan Hefner/Henry Ramos
- Young Adult:* Michelle Tosi-Stephens
- Volunteer Coordinator:* Marcia Hogle/Reverend  
Renae Phillips
- Individual Commitment:* Tavita Dorow/Gail  
Fargaso/James W. Graves
- Louise Cummins Outstanding Organization:*  
Lubbock League of Women Voters
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service:* Jackie Williams

## 2003

- Business:* New Day Window  
Cleaning Service/KLLL - Next Media
- Arts:* Conny McDonald Martin
- Cultural Diversity:* Bobbie Snodgrass
- Youth:* Women's Protective Services Youth  
Advisory Board
- Young Adult:* Kara Donatil
- Volunteer Coordinator:* Shelby Crews
- Individual Commitment:* Regji Davis/  
Dr. Chester Golightly/Mary Ann  
Sanderson/Lt. Lance Slack
- Louise Cummins Outstanding Organization:*  
Junior League of Lubbock
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service:* Linda Miller

## 2002

- Business:* KCBD NewsChannel 11/South  
Plains Mall/The Cactus Theater
- Young Adult:* Melanie Ragain/Matt Stephens
- Volunteer Coordinator:* Becky McPherson
- Individual Commitment:* Charles Key/Doug  
Carlson/Lisa Smitherman/Larry Goldston
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service:* Richard Ligon

## 2001

- Business:* Wentz Orthodontics/College  
Flowers/United Supermarkets
- Young Adult:* Shelby Anderson/Jill Baker
- Volunteer Coordinator:* Barbara Bulen
- Individual Commitment:* Catherine Porter/  
Lee Ruth Kreig/James Bonner Bennett
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service:* Bobbe Crawford

## 2000

- Business:* Covenant Health System/Lubbock  
Avalanche-Journal /Fellers Marketing &  
Advertising/Oberkamp Supply
- Young Adult:* Tommy Heisser/Steve Massengale
- Volunteer Coordinator:* David McCulley
- Individual Commitment:* Mia Diekemper/  
Dorine Harbin/  
Renee Underwood/Irasema Velasquez
- Lifetime of Community Service:* Alan Henry

## 1999

- Business:* Bell Dairy/LP&L/Pat Maines
- Young Adult:* Julia Camp
- Volunteer Coordinator:* Bill Barnett/Sue Caywood
- Individual Commitment:* Pauline Lamb/  
Chris Lonngren/Dana Neugebauer/Brian  
Quinn
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service:* Bill and Mary Louise Kingsbery

## 1998

- Business:* Vintage Rose/Barnes and Noble  
/Watson Foodservice/Friends
- Young Adult:* Mike McDougal/Chris Wallace
- Volunteer Coordinator:* Jean Bardy
- Individual Commitment:* Beverly McBeath/  
Suzie Thomas/Lisa Wright
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service:* Betty Anderson

## 1997

- Business:* Animal Medical Center/  
Cox Communications/  
Southwestern Bell
- Young Adult:* Cory Powell
- Individual Commitment:* George Elle/  
Harry Fry/Duane Kemp/Brad  
Underwood
- Ray J. Diekemper Lifetime of Community Service:* Nicky Standlee