

Thank you to those of you who have nominated people for Project Harmony's Kids First Award these past years. Through your thoughtfulness and efforts, we have honored:

<p><b>2000</b> Leigh Ann Retelsdorf, Douglas County Attny</p> <p><b>2001</b> Lt. John Lehotyak, Omaha Police Dept</p> <p><b>2002</b> Penny Parker, Campfire USA</p> <p><b>2003</b> Kathy Lange, NHHS Child Protective Svs</p> <p><b>2004</b> Kim Hawekotte, Douglas County Attny</p> <p><b>2005</b> Jackie Simmons, NHHS Child Protective Svs</p> <p><b>2006</b> Beth Schrager, Community Volunteer Marti Arndt, NHHS Child Protective Svs Steve Miller, Bellevue Police Dept</p> <p><b>2007</b> Project Linus Community Organization</p> <p><b>2008</b> Helen Sinh, MD Project Harmony Pediatrician</p> <p><b>2008</b> Nicole Brundo, Douglas County Attny's Office Trevor O'Brien, Omaha Police Dept Judy Kay, Child Saving Institute Kelly Brumm, NHHS Child Protective Services</p> <p><b>2009</b> Cathy Ronk, Council Bluffs Police Dept Tricia Freeman, Sarpy County Attny's Office Ronda Newman, NHHS Child Protective Svs</p> <p><b>2010</b> Jennifer Crystal-Clark, Douglas County Attny Barbara Jessing, Heartland Family Service Gary Perkins, Children's Hospital &amp; Medical Center Jackie Rickert, Iowa Dept of Human Services Teresa Thorson, Omaha Police Department</p> <p><b>2011</b> Kathy Bigsby Moore, Voices for Children Dan McGinn, Pottawattamie County Attorney Bob Owens, NHHS Child Protective Services Mary Bennett- Schulte, Children's Hospital &amp; Medical Center</p> <p><b>2012</b> Brenda Beadle, Douglas County Attny's Office Sally Kaplan, Project Harmony Lance Worley, Omaha Police Department</p> <p><b>2013</b> Stephanie Clark, Nebraska Families Collaborative Jeremy Kinsey, LaVista Police Department Amanda Nawrocki, NHHS Hotline</p> <p><b>2014</b> Mike Barker, Children's Square USA Georgie Scurfield, Sarpy CASA Schalisha Walker, Project Everlast Brenda Wheeler, Douglas County Sherriff</p>	<p><b>2015</b> Stephanie Hansen, Jennifer Miralles, and Kathy Healey-Sarpy Co. Attny's Office; Judge Kathleen Kilnoski- Pottawattamie County; Vickie Peyton, Nebraska Children's Home Society</p> <p><b>2016</b> Jude Connelly, LMHP, LCSW, Child Saving Institute Joanna Halbur, LIMFT, Child Saving Institute Sharon Martin, Boys Town Hotline Suzie Mistry-Gerloff, LMHP, Children's Physicians</p> <p><b>2017</b> Tom Incontro, JD- Guardian ad Litem Molly Keene, JD- Deputy Douglas County Attorney Marlene Novotny- Sergeant, Omaha Police Department</p> <p><b>2018</b> Ryan Roskey- Bellevue Police Dept. Mary Jo Pankoke- Nebraska Children and Families Foundation Betsy Funk- Omaha Therapy and Arts Collaborative Jean Bohnker- Early Childhood and Family Support, Family Inc- SW Iowa</p> <p><b>2019</b> Dana Harrah, Sarpy County Sherriff Lakeisha Phelps, Nebraska Family Support Network Lana Sayre, NHHS, Child Protective Services</p> <p><b>2020/2021</b> John Bergin – Arbor Family Counseling Peg Harriott – Child Saving Institute Capt. Tracy Scherer – Special Victims Unit, Omaha Police Department</p> <p><b>2022</b> Michael Davenport – Omaha Fire Department Malina (Mimi) Dobson – Pottawattamie County, IA Attny's Office Courtney Koenig – OPS, King Elementary</p> <p><b>2023</b> Chad Brown, JD – Douglas County Juvenile Court Scott Hazelrigg – NorthStar Foundation Lisa Utterback – Omaha Public Schools</p> <p><b>2024</b> Kelli Ceraolo - Nebraska Attorney General's Office Tony Jones- Successful Futures, Boys Town Sgt Ryan Kilawee - Omaha Police Department</p> <p><b>2025</b> Erin Hurley - Deputy Douglas County Attorney Tracy Logan - Principal, Holling Heights Elementary Sgt. Brett Schrage – Omaha Police Department, Missing Persons Unit</p>
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