

Public Safety Responder Champions

Advocate BroMenn Service Auxiliary Chase for Champions 2018

Chase for Champions Mission

The Chase for Champions is an event designed to honor selected Public Safety Responders (law enforcement, fire departments, Emergency Medical Services, 9-1-1 Telecommunicator) in the McLean County and El Paso areas who have distinguished themselves through their work or community service. Funds raised will be used for equipment in Acute Rehab to help acclimate traumatic brain injuries and stroke patients to real life scenarios.

The Event

There are two components to this April 14, 2018, event: (1) teams “chasing” throughout the community gathering clues from various Advocate BroMenn facilities and (2) a recognition dinner at the conclusion of the “chase” to recognize the “champions” who have been selected to receive Public Safety Responder awards.

Public Safety Responder Champion Award Criteria

1. Individuals or groups who have gone “above and beyond” the call of duty during their work as a public safety responder (police, fire, EMS provider, 9-1-1 Telecommunicator); OR
2. Individuals or groups who have received professional awards and/or honors; OR
3. Public Safety Responders (individuals or groups) who made a significant contribution to the community through volunteer service; OR
4. Public Safety Responders (individuals or groups) whose actions were critical to the outcome of a single event.

In addition, all nominees must serve the citizens of McLean County and El Paso areas, must be able to attend the April 14, 2018 event, and any emergency events or procedures (either while on or off duty) involved must have occurred between December 1, 2015 and December 1, 2017. Nominations must be approved by the chief/president of the individual’s department.

Recognition

- A minimum of two complimentary tickets to the dinner will be provided to each finalist; the actual number of complimentary tickets provided will be determined based on sponsorships.
- Dinner invitations will be sent to finalist’s guests upon request.
- The department head (chief, sheriff, etc.) and/or nominator (or his/her representative) is required to attend the dinner with two complimentary tickets.
- A video of all finalists will be created and shown at the recognition dinner.
- A formal department photograph of the finalists will be needed.
- Announcement of the awarded Champions will be made at the dinner.
- Press releases will be sent to appropriate media.

Nomination Procedures

To be considered, the Nomination Form (see next page) must be submitted by 5 pm on December 8, 2017. Nominations may be mailed/delivered to: Public Safety Responder Champions Committee, % Sue Seibring, Advocate BroMenn, 1304 Franklin Ave., Normal, IL 61761 or via Email to Sue.Seibring@advocatehealth.com. Nomination forms may also be submitted online at <http://www.mcleancountyems.org/>. Finalists will be determined from the nominations received. The awarded Champions will be announced at the April 14, 2018 Chase for Champion event.

2018 Chase for Champions Public Safety Responder Champion Nomination Form

This nomination is for an individual.

Nominee _____ Title _____

Email Address _____

OR

This nomination is for a group. Please list all names, titles, and email addresses of each individual. Attach additional sheet if necessary.

Name	Title	Email Address

Organization/Department _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Nominator's Name _____

Nominator's Title _____

Nominator's Telephone _____ Email Address _____

Signature of Nominator _____

Signature of Chief/President indicating approval of this nomination _____

Please attach a description of the individual or team/group being nominated, including information that related to the Award Criteria. Award decisions are based upon the information provided on the nomination form, so we encourage as many details as possible. The selection committee's decisions are final.

Description of Nomination: