

# 2022 ANNUAL REPORT

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**PRADER-WILLI SYNDROME ASSOCIATION OF  
WISCONSIN, INC.**

# THE ASSOCIATION

## ABOUT US

PWSA-WI, Inc. was established in 1992 by a group of concerned parents of children and adults with Prader-Willi Syndrome. The organization is governed by a Board of Directors who are elected every two years and relies greatly on the volunteer efforts of its members. Our work includes connecting families and professionals to resources in their communities and providing consultative and educational services as needed; advocating for persons with PWS by participating in residential, educational and other planning and team meetings; and organizing parent and professional workshops, trainings and social events.

## OUR MISSION

Our mission is to **support, educate and advocate** for persons with Prader-Willi Syndrome, their families and professionals in meeting the challenges of this disability.

## OUR TEAM

### **Officers:**

*President:* Crystal Boser, *Vice President:* Andrew Gaulke, *Secretary:* Melissa Sirovina,  
*Treasurer:* Jackie Mallow

### **Board Members:**

Amber Gaulke, Sarah Glass, Sherita Greer, Carolyn Jahnke, Melanie Laur, Jamie Milaeger,  
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### **Board Member Emeritus:**

Nancy Burlingame

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Maya Luening

### **Program Director:**

Joshua Escher

### **Event Coordinator:**

Angela Witczak

### **Newsletter Editor:**

Barb Dorn

# BY THE NUMBERS

## EVENTS

60 people from all over the country signed up and participated in **Virtual Family Bingo**.

228 individuals participated in our annual **Walk in the Park** in Oconomowoc, Wisconsin. In addition to these participants, **10** corporate sponsors and **12** families who purchased footprints, supported this event, which raised almost \$20,000.

18 families participated in our **Family Fun Day** in Cottage Grove, Wisconsin.

78 family members and friends of the Prader-Willi community gathered for the **Sparkle & Shine Gala** in Nasotah, Wisconsin.

135 individuals participated in our **Masquerade Ball** in Pewaukee, Wisconsin. In addition, 3 families sponsored this event.

## CARD CLUB

135 individuals with PWS living in Wisconsin received a birthday card and several seasonal cards at no cost to them.

## SUPPORT, EDUCATION & ADVOCACY

Presented information about PWS to medical students at the Center for Genetic Disorders.

Conducted "Overview of PWS", "Health Concerns", "Behavior Management", "Activity Planning and Exercise", and "Nutrition, Diet and Menu Planning" training for several newly established residential group homes.

Provided IEP training for multiple families with school aged children.

Supported families dealing with grief due to the sudden loss of a loved one.

Shared training videos, educational articles and other resources through quarterly newsletters, social media, and the Association's website.

# FINANCIALS

## INCOME:

Membership dues	\$1,515.00
Donations	\$8,030.01
Fundraising Events & Campaigns	\$58,523.20
Social Events	\$4,670.00
Grants	\$5,000.00
Miscellaneous	\$3,541.15
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$81,279.36</b>

## Expenses:

Payroll & Benefits	\$34,767.89
Accounting Fees	\$4,759.10
Administrative Costs	\$4,980.86
Fundraising Events & Campaigns	\$14,635.56
Social Events	\$7,877.28
Travel	\$418.11
Miscellaneous Expense	\$110.41
Card Club	\$256.33
Website	\$2,052.00
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$69,857.54</b>
<b>Net Operating Income</b>	<b>\$11,421.82</b>

# DONORS

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