
Dessert Auction

The money raised through the AWA Dessert Auction funds housing scholarships. Last year, AWA awarded three \$500 housing scholarships with the money raised through the dessert auction. Desserts are made by many of the AWA actives and alumni.

- Zoe Abrams
- Cara Biely
- Becky Brotzman
- Josie Dallar
- Laura Finley
- Anna Gallagler
- Bailey Green
- Mary Heller
- Breinne Hendrickson
- Lauren Holterman
- April Jordan
- Erin Kappelman
- Kimberly Kassube
- Hannah Lucas
- Rachel Moore
- Lynzie Miller
- Mackenzie Nickels
- Kayla Nyegaard
- Jordan Olson
- Julie Orth
- Kaitlyn Riley
- Jaine Sawle
- Morgan Strauss
- Kirsten Strohmenger
- Melissa VanderSanden
- Carrie Warmka
- Abbey Wethal
- Megan Wolf

A special thank you to our auctioneer, Ryan George.

Guest Speaker - Rochelle Ripp, 65th Alice in Dairyland

As Wisconsin's agriculture ambassador, Rochelle educates audiences across Wisconsin about the \$59 billion economic impact and importance of our state's diverse agriculture industry in our daily lives. Rochelle grew up near Lodi on her family's dairy and cash crop farm and was involved in 4-H. She graduated from the University of Wisconsin-Platteville in 2009 with an agribusiness degree in communications. Prior to her year as Alice, Rochelle worked as an associate marketing executive at Filament Marketing. Rochelle looks forward to a lifelong career of promoting her agriculture roots.

Event Planning Committee

Cara Biely, Rachael Christiansen, Bill & Leslie Hantke, Carrie Jo Leum, Matt Olson and Susan Orth

AWA Day

Association of Women in Agriculture

AGR Founders Day

Alpha Gamma Rho - Iota Chapter

April 6, 2013

Lowell Center - Madison

Emcees - Gena Cooper & Bryan Kurth

Welcome of Alumni & Guests

AWA & AGR Dinner Prayers

Banquet Dinner

Guest Speaker

AWA Alumni Recognition & Awards

AWA Scholarship Awards

AWA Dessert Auction

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Sami Benz, AWA President

Gabe Janke, AGR President

Jodi Berndtson, AWA Sunshine Coordinator

Jordan DeLong, AGR

Rochelle Ripp, 65th Alice in Dairyland

Danyel Hosto

JoDee Sattler

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Cassie Mayer

Jon Rasmussen

Karl Drye

Corey Geiger

Rick Daluge



AGR Leadership

Undergraduate Chapter Officers

President	Gabe Janke
Recruitment	William Peasley
Management & Operations	Mark Kendall
Finance	Tyler Triezenberg
Member Development	Alex Kruswick
Activities	Justin Wendorf
Scholarship	Devon Miller
Alumni Relations	Matt Olson
Planning	Ryan Pralle
Resident Advisor	Evan Schnadt

Alumni Corporation Board

President	Jon Rasmussen
Vice President	Dick LaCroix
Secretary	Bill Hantke
Treasurer	Evan Schnadt
Alumni Member	Matt Anderson
Alumni Member	Bernie Staller
Alumni Member	Shawn Conley
Alumni Member	David Laatsch
Alumni Advisor	Jon Schefers
Chapter President	Gabe Janke
Chapter House Operations	Mark Kendall

Member Development Committee: Jon Rasmussen - Chairman

Tyler Wilkinson, Karl Drye, Tim Griswold, Andy Mulrooney, Zach Lieven, Matt Repinski, Rick Daluge, Will Peasley, Alex Kruswick, Devon Miller, Tom Crenshaw

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Bill Hantke, Matt Anderson, Shawn Conley, Anson Goldade, David Laatsch, John Deininger, Matt Olson, Jon Schefers

Facilities & Financial Management Committee: Bernie Staller - Chairman

Evan Schnadt, Paul Hartwig, Lloyd Holterman, Dick LaCroix, Aaron Breunig, Gabe Janke, Mark Kendall, Taylor Frisch, Paul Fricke

Educational Foundation Officers

President	Corey Geiger
Vice President	Karl Drye
Secretary/Treasurer	Rick Daluge
Alumni Member	John Deininger
Alumni Member	Todd Kronberg
Chapter President	Gabe Janke
Chapter Scholarship	Devon Miller
Faculty Advisor to Undergraduate Chapter	Tom Crenshaw
Faculty Advisor to Undergraduate Chapter	Paul Fricke
Advisor to Undergraduate Chapter	Jon Schefers

Alpha Gamma Rho - Iota Chapter at UW-Madison was founded in 1916. Today, we currently have more than 1,000 alumni and undergraduate members.

Outstanding Senior

The Outstanding Senior is recognized by the AWA Corporation Board with a lifetime alumni membership.

2012	Chelsea Brander
2011	Melissa Doyle
2010	Christa Behnke
2009	Rachael (Herschleb) Christiansen
2008	Chrissy (Wendorf) Meyer
2007	Eliza (Ulness) Ruzic
2006	Laurie (Volkman) Pilgram
2005	Kristina (Duwe) Hopkins
2004	Jessie (Ivey) Potterton
2003	Becky (Mentink) Brotzman
2002	Jean (Rowntree) Uhlenhake
2001	Tonya (Bockhop) Birkrem
2000	Deanna (Drissel) Kovar
1999	Suzy (Duwe) Weeks Lynn (Strebel) Krull
1998	Katy (Duwe) Katzman

Honored Class Members

Members who graduated 5, 10, 20 and 30 years ago are recognized for their membership in AWA, Inc.

Class of 1983

Mary (Auestad) Arnold
Barbara (Bebow) Natzke
Sandra (Serebin) Curran
Lynn (Fredrickson) Helmer
Jeanne (Larsen) Alling
Eloise Lohr
JoDee (Ehrke) Sattler*

Class of 1993

Paula (Henning) Bakken
Traci Brewer
Kelli (Brooks) Mitchell
Angela (Corbin) Tuthill

Class of 2003

Kimberly Adams*
Moriah (Morris) Brey
Rebecca (Mentink) Brotzman*
Jamie (Tienor) Fisher
Mary Knigge
Laurie Langel
Karen (Topel) Lee
Jessica (Agnew) Sarbacker
Katie Lynn (Sternweis) Wantoch*
Sara Thieding
Laurie Winkelman

Class of 2008

Sarah (Galdi) Lenkaitis
Rebecca (Folger) Mehringer*
Christina (Wendorf) Meyer*
Nicole (Schmidt) Nelson

*Honored alumni in attendance

AWA Dinner Prayer

Thank you God for happy hearts,
for rain and sunny weather.
Thank you God for the food we eat,
and that we are together.

AWA Awards

Honored Guest

The Honored Guest is recognized by the student chapter for the significant time and/or resources donated to AWA.

2012	Jill Armbruster
2011	Susan Orth
2010	Sharon Brantmeier
2009	Barb Lee
2008	Gourmet Delight Mushrooms
2007	Larry Satter Family
2006	Richard Barrows
2005	Elton Aberle
2004	Cheryl McCarthy Family
2003	WALSAA
2002	Daughters of Demeter
2001	Cargill Animal Nutrition - Ana Gleason
2000	Sunny Fresh Foods
1999	Foremost Farms

Friend of AWA

The Friend of AWA is awarded by the student chapter to an individual who has gone above and beyond the call of duty to help AWA and its members throughout the year.

2012	Ted Halbach
2011	Molly Jahn
2010	Vita Plus
2009	Ron Curran
2008	Norlin Benevenga
2007	Katy Katzman
2006	Karen Lee
2005	Jim Deley & Parking Crew
2004	Ronna Morton Ballmer
2003	Tom Wright & West Madison Crew
2002	Bob Williams
2001	Gene Blabaum
2000	Bob & Lisa Hagenow
1999	Barb Mickelson

Outstanding Alumni

The Outstanding Alumni award is presented by the student chapter to an AWA alumnus, who is excelling in her agricultural career.

2012	Jenny Dierickx
2011	Jessie Ivey-Potterton
2010	Naomi Bernstein
2009	Becky Brotzman
2008	Julie Larson
2007	Jill Makovec
2006	Marjorie Stieve
2005	Daphne Holterman
2004	Shelly Mayer
2003	Lisa Mullen Konkel
2002	Jayne Krull
2001	Cheryl Zimmerman
2000	Barb Cooper Sherman
1999	Sandy Larson

Outstanding Woman in Agriculture

The Outstanding Woman in Agriculture is recognized by the AWA Corporation Board for her significant influence on the agricultural industry.

2012	Liz Henry
2011	Deb Gay
2010	Rosie Geiger
2009	Susan Crane
2008	Pam Jahnke
2007	Sheila McGuirk
2005	Keri Retallick
2004	JoAnn Maedke
2003	Mary Hasheider
2002	Chris Peterson
2001	Joan Sanstadt
2000	Jeanne Meier
1998	Deborah Lins
1997	Ardith DeWall
1996	Linda Hodorff
1995	Ayse Somersan
1994	Judy Klusman
1993	Carol Ward Knox
1992	Delma Woodburn

AWA Leadership

Student Officers

President
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Secretary
Treasurer
Membership Coordinator
Activities Coordinator
Public Relations Coordinator
Alumni Coordinator
Fundraising Coordinator
Scholarship Coordinator
Sentinel
Sunshine Coordinator
Communications Coordinator
Service Coordinator
House Manager
House Steward

Sami Benz
Abbey Wethal
Marie Kettler
Leanna Leverich
Kate Leverich
Bree Lietzow
Kaitlyn Riley
Cara Biely
Cassie Mayer
Michele Gutenberger
Anna Blake
Jodi Berndtson
Kim Kester
Erin Kappelman
Mara Budde
Alex Korte

Corporation Board Officers

President
Vice President
Secretary
Treasurer
Communications Committee Chair
Directors-At-Large
Advancement Committee Chair
Education Committee Chair
Financial Management Chair
House Management Committee Chairs
Programming Committee Chairs
Faculty Advisor
Student President
Student Alumni Coordinator

Danyel Hosto
Sue Schultz
Emily Uhlenhake
Jessica Milatz
Liz Matzke
Linda Hodorff
Christy Strobel
Kristin Olson
JoDee Sattler
Kylene Anderson
Naomi Bernstein
Andrea Klahn
Rachael Christiansen
Susan Orth
Molly Jahn
Sami Benz
Cara Biely

The Association of Women in Agriculture was founded in 1973. We currently have 80 student members and more than 250 active alumni members.

AGR Alumni Decade Initiates

This year we celebrate our 98th Iota AGR Founders Day event while recognizing our 50-40-30-20 & 10 year member brothers. AGR strives to **Make Better Men and Build a Better Fraternity**, based on the many opportunities that AGR provided us during our college years.

50 Year — 1963 Initiates

John Freitag
Raymond Antoniewicz
David Propst
Nicholas Salm
John Wilks
Kenneth Kraft
James Barthel
Robert Janes
George Morris
John Hartman
Roger Wangen
David Kellesvig

40 Year — 1973 Initiates

Thomas Steidl
Chris Salm
Daniel O'Connor
James Crowley Jr.
Norman Magnussen
Thomas Skelly
Joseph Schraeder
Charles Keuler
Steven Howard
Robert Lohmann
Carl Armstrong
Steven Miller
Robert Kacvinsky
Steven Meier
Michael Ellenbolt
William Pope

Alan Gunderson
Philip Jewett
Gordon Marquardt
Richard Ambroziak
Jay Waddell

30 Year — 1983 Initiates

Grant DeBruin
Todd Hoesly
Todd Prescott
David Gietzel
Joseph Jens
William Hageman
Dwight Mayer
Scott Weiner
Larry Meiller
Timothy Griswold
Roger Basse
Peter Kappelman
Burton Rehm
Jack Halink
James Vanden Wymelenberg
Aaron Anderson
Chris Craker
Timothy Preuninger
Marc Mauser
Scott Fogeltanz
Richard Titel

20 Year — 1993 Initiates

Brad Igl
Aaron Burke
Brent Clements
Kevin Schwartz
Scott Rasch
Roger Wyse
Dale Quam
Terrence Walsh
Patrick Krakar
Steven Seifert
Jerrad Zimmerman

Steven Binversie
Daniel Drye
David Meyer
Brett Weeks
Thomas Brewer
Arin Crooks
Randolph Fuehrer
Brian Herbrand
Christopher Booth

10 year — 2003 Initiates

Jerome Meyer
Anthony Brey
David Bauer
Timothy Pierce
Caleb Frostman
Kodey Feiner
Mitchell Amundson

AGR Dinner Prayer

To thee O God, we bow our hearts in deep humility, and thank thee for the bread and meat we receive so abundantly. Bless Brother all, we humbly pray, and loved ones near and far. Keep us true to high ideals and loyal to AGR.

Scholarship Recipients

AGR Scholarships

Freshman Scholarship - *Sponsored by Ken Kopp*
Sophomore Scholarship - *Sponsored by Bernie & Marty Staller*
Junior Scholarship - *Sponsored by Skull Plates Class*
Senior Scholarship - *Sponsored by the Ames & John Mitchell Family*
Brotherhood Activity Award - *Sponsored by Lloyd Holterman & Gary Olson*
Cull Family Award - *Sponsored by the Cull Family*
Dale Bruhn Award - *Sponsored by Dale Bruhn*
Freshman Award - *Sponsored by Alumni Class of 1962*
Hamm Bruhn Award - *Sponsored by National AGR*
Noble Ruler Award - *Sponsored by Mike & Nancy Beilke and National AGR*
UW Foundation Award - *Sponsored by Russell & Carol Schuler*

AWA Scholarships

Daughters of Demeter Scholarship

AWA Scholarship

AWA/Dr. David P. Dickson Scholarship
AWA/Delma Woodburn Scholarship
AWA House Scholarship

Dr. Larry Satter Scholarship

AWA Scholarship Fund Donors

- Jill Armbruster
- Tamarin Beard
- Norlin & Cynthia Benevenga
- Elizabeth Bernhardt
- Tonya Birkrem
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- Susan Crane
- Jenny Dierickx
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- Robert & Lisa Hagenow
- Lloyd & Daphne Holterman
- Daniel & Nancy Karlen
- Kevin & Julie Larson
- Karen Marsh & Michael Pope
- Tim Martin
- Ronald Moore
- Timothy & Barbara Natzke
- Kim Olson
- PMJ Farm Service LLC
- Lynette & Christopher Pozorski
- Russell & Karen Rindsig
- JoDee & David Sattler

Matt Olson
Will Peasley
Justin Wendorf
Will Madsen
Andrew Zwald
Cody Getschel
Mark Kendall
Jordan DeLong
Brian Straub
Jared Wendt
Gabe Janke
Jordan Haelfrisch
Taylor Fritsch

Michele Gutenberger
Taylor Holterman
Susan Hodgson
Kaitlyn Riley
Nicole Bangart
Bethany Dado
Kimberly Kester
Marie Kettler
Lynzie Miller
Breinne Hendrickson
Julie Orth
Jodi Berndtson
Kaitlin Gelsing
Katherine Griswold
Kaitlin Meyer
Kayla Nyegaard
Megan Nelson

- Jodi Saevre
- Margaret Sage Mach
- Jennifer Sawle
- Randy Shaver & Sharon Brantmeier
- Shari Strickhouser
- Barbara Tensfeldt
- Udder Tech Inc
- Emily Uhlenhake
- Robert Williams
- Monica Woldt