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**Greater Green Bay Chamber announces Golden Apple recipients**

Green Bay, Wis. - (Feb. 14, 2019) - The Partners in Education program of the Greater Green Bay Chamber is pleased to congratulate the seven individuals and one team of educators selected as recipients of the 2019 Golden Apple Awards. These outstanding teachers make a big impact on students, parents and the community, and will be celebrated at the Golden Apple event in April.

This year's esteemed Golden Apple Award recipients include:

**Teri Deavers:** Bay View Middle School

**Marisol Evans:** Washington Middle School

**Jeffrey Gosse:** Pulaski High School

**Linda Hart:** Green Bay Early Learning Center

**Mallory Lichon:** Pulaski High School

**Lindsey Przybylski:** Pulaski Community Middle School

**Mary B. Swinford:** Bay View Middle School

**Valley View Elementary School - Literacy Team:**

Ann Brennenstuhl, Deb Patterson, Stacie Schabow and Sheryl Stathas

Each year, the Golden Apple Awards program improves community awareness of the quality of education in the Greater Green Bay area by recognizing high standards of professionalism, leadership and innovation in teaching with the Golden Apple Awards. The Golden Apple Awards' multi-level screening process involves reviewing applications and hosting personal interviews to narrow the pool of applicants to 45 Teachers of Distinction. Selection criteria are based on the National Board of Professional Teaching standards, which identify the essential knowledge, skills and dispositions expected of experienced, quality teachers. The final eight Golden Apple Award recipients are selected from the Teachers of Distinction honorees.

Thank you to our Golden Apple major sponsors: Associated Bank, WLUK FOX 11, Green Bay Packaging, Green Bay Press-Gazette, Humana, Imperial, M3 Insurance, Schneider Foundation and Shopko Foundation. Thank you to the multitude of community volunteers who helped kick off the Golden Apple process and evaluated applications. The assistance of our major sponsors and volunteers help make the program successful.

Help us recognize the Golden Apple recipients and Teachers of Distinction by attending the Golden Apple Awards event on Wednesday, April 17, 2019, at Radisson Hotel & Conference Center. Register to attend at [greatergbc.org/GoldenApples](http://greatergbc.org/GoldenApples).



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