

WOCO WINS NATIONAL PHILANTHROPY DAY AWARD

Woodworkers of Central Ohio (WOCO) has been awarded the National Philanthropy Day Award for Volunteerism by the Association of Fundraising Professionals of Central Ohio. This annual awards program recognizes outstanding achievement by individual, foundation and corporate philanthropists, fundraising volunteers and professional fundraisers. According to the press release “such individuals and organizations form a vital partnership with charities and the non-profit sector to ensure that the needs of all citizens are met. It is right and proper, therefore, that AFP honors those who hold high ethical standards and best exemplify commitment and dedication to helping society. These awards are given to those individuals and organizations whose lifetime or long-term achievements have made a significant impact upon society.”

WOCO was recognized for its many long-term community service programs and the dedication which WOCO volunteers have towards those programs. Specifically cited were the Holiday Toy Program, Chair Riser program, furniture building at the Furniture Bank of Central Ohio and the cutouts program at Nationwide Children’s Hospital.

The award will be presented at a luncheon on Tuesday, November 25, 2014.