Local Projects Funded by United Way Fox Cities' Youth Board Grants

United Way Youth Board members comprise students from 12 area high schools. Twice per year, the Youth Board awards grants to youth-oriented programs in the Fox Cities. A total of 7 grants were awarded in June:

Kimberly High School: FREE3 Club Classroom Presentations create awareness of the dangers of tobacco use for 3rd and 5th grade students.

St. Francis Xavier Link Crew is a program designed to help freshmen easily adjust to high school.

Hortonville High School H.O.P.E. (Helping Our Peers Engage) strives to include everyone in school activities by reaching out to the students with developmental difficulties.

Apple Creek YMCA Nature Play Area will enhance the YMCA play area, providing a natural setting that will promote unstructured play.

Columbus Elementary School Technology Club assists Columbus and the Appleton Bilingual School with announcements by video.

Kimberly High School: Change for Charity is a fundraiser for nonprofits. During the third quarter, over $1,700 worth of change was donated to Make-A-Wish Foundation.

Fox Valley Sibling Support Network: Teen Sibling Leadership Day promotes team building for teens with special-needs children in their families. (Above) Teens participate in team building exercises at camp.