

Women's Fund for the Fox Valley Region awards \$40,500 to nonprofits

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APPLETON — The Women's Fund for the Fox Valley Region has awarded \$40,500 to 12 nonprofit organizations in the area. Of that, \$16,000 will fund programs to help girls reach their full potential through education and leadership development, a 39 percent increase over 2010. The balance will support economic self-sufficiency and violence prevention and support services.

Organizations receiving grants are the Financial Information Service Center (FISC), \$5,000; Greater Fox Cities Habitat for Humanity, \$2,000; LEAVEN, \$3,500; Rebuilding Together Fox Valley, \$3,000; Boys & Girls Clubs of the Fox Cities, \$3,500; Fox Valley Sibling Support Network, \$1,500; Fox Valley Technical College Foundation, \$4,000; Girl Scouts of the Northwestern Great Lakes, \$5,000; Youth Go, \$2,000; Christine Ann Domestic Abuse Services, \$5,000; Harbor House Domestic Abuse Programs, \$3,500; and NAMI Fox Valley, \$2,500.