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FOND DU LAC FESTIVALS' LIGHT UP THE CITY WINNERS ANNOUNCED

(1/10/11)- The sixth annual Fond du Lac Festivals' Light Up the City contest has come to a close, and from many outstanding entries the winner has been determined.

The house that will take home the first place prize of \$500 is Dennis Stahmann at W8826 Hwy 23. Stahmann lit up his country lot with various lights shaped in trees, snowflakes, reindeer and much more. The lot was highlighted by lighted arches over the driveway, all the way from the highway to the house.

Taking home second place and \$350 is Lisa and Dean Krueger, 610 E. Johnson St. The Krueger's yard did a great job spreading the holiday spirit, complete with a candy cane arch over the driveway and an ice skating rink. The house also featured blow ups including a Santa and a snowman.

The third place house is Jill LeBouton at 226 Sheboygan St. LeBouton, who will receive \$150, created a winter wonderland in her yard complete with toy soldiers, wreaths and lights on all the trees. A spotlight on the garage, Santa, reindeer, icicle lights and lights on all the balconies of the house helped to complete the decorations.

Gene and Jane Shealer at 297 17th St. came in fourth place. The Shealer's yard was sprinkled with lights all over, and featured a candy cane lined walkway up to the front door.

David Stanley, W4750 Golf Course Dr., received fifth place for his yard that included Santa and his reindeer, candy canes lining the yard and lights on the trees.

Fond du Lac Festivals' Light Up the City is sponsored by Fond du Lac Festivals, The Reporter and K107.1FM.

Fond du Lac Festivals, Inc. is a non-profit organization founded in 1983 with a mission to direct, promote, and support festivals and special events that showcase the Fond du Lac community. The organization, with a great deal of help and support from the community, is also responsible for Walleye Weekend and Horicon Bank's Taste of Fond du Lac. These events benefit almost 200 local non-profit organizations.

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