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**Tracey B., Broadview
Children's Advocate**

Tracey B. is a dependable on-call Children's Advocate at Solid Ground's Broadview Emergency Shelter & Transitional Housing program. She has shown great initiative as a lead participant of Broadview's fundraising committee, dedicating huge amounts of her personal time to this volunteer group.



Tracey's 'golden touch' made a huge difference for Broadview's recent Pirates & Pipsqueaks Carnival. By working tirelessly to strengthen community connections, soliciting businesses for contributions, and meeting with members of the Wallingford Chamber of Commerce, Tracey secured donations of cupcakes, baked goods, port-o-potties, raffle items, cash... and more! She is a gifted fundraiser, and has gone way above and beyond in her contribution to this project. One of Tracey's nominations noted that without her organization of donations, tracking notes for other committee members, reliability, industriousness, resourcefulness, and cheer, the event wouldn't have happened.

In her role as an On-Call Children's Advocate, Tracey is often available at short notice to support the program; she covers shifts and provides childcare so Broadview moms can attend support groups. She also supports special opportunities for the children, such as going swimming. Tracey does all of her work quietly, and should be recognized for her strengths. Thank you for all you do Tracey!

Congratulations to Tracey, and all employees nominated. Thank you all for the services you provide to our agency, coworkers and clients! We couldn't do it without you!