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FORDHAM PREPARATORY SCHOOL STUDENTS RECEIVE
VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR AWARD

ALBANY, N.Y. – Fordham Preparatory School, a volunteer group at Willow Towers Assisted Living in New Rochelle, NY has received the 2023 NYSCAL Volunteer of the Year Award from the New York State Health Facilities Association/New York State Center for Assisted Living (NYSHFA | NYSCAL). The award was presented on May 10th at the 2023 NYSCAL Awards Banquet during the Association’s annual conference in Verona, NY.

The students from Fordham Preparatory School have volunteered at Willow Towers for the past year. They have come to the facility twice a week, spending more than 120 hours visiting with the residents, helping to escort them around the facility, and assisting with activities. These volunteers are kind, courteous and intelligent, bringing new ideas and new energy every time they come.

“These volunteers’ commitment and dedication to our residents is greatly appreciated,” said Nora O’Brien, Executive Director of Willow Towers Assisted Living. “Their volunteerism is truly exemplary and deserving of this prestigious award from NYSCAL.”

NYSCAL’s Volunteer of the Year Awards Program recognizes outstanding volunteers serving in adult care/assisted living facilities.

Winners received an engraved obelisk and were invited to attend the NYSHFA | NYSCAL annual conference.

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The New York State Health Facilities Association/New York State Center for Assisted Living (NYSHFA | NYSCAL) is a member-driven association of providers of long term care services, caring for individuals of all ages in proprietary, not-for-profit, and government-sponsored skilled nursing, post-acute, rehab, adult care and assisted living communities across the state of New York. NYSHFA | NYSCAL is dedicated to assisting its members in achieving excellence in the provision of efficient and effective quality long term care services through leadership, professional development and active involvement in the shaping of public policy.