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2nd Annual Dean Singleton Legacy Grant Awarded to Judi's House

\$50,000 grant will support a year's curriculum for 38 children

Denver, CO - October 7, 2015 - The Denver Post Community Foundation presented its 2nd Annual Dean Singleton Legacy Grant in the amount of \$50,000 to Judi's House on Tuesday, Oct. 6, 2015.

This year's grant will provide 38 children with the *Pathfinders* program for a year. Pathfinders is a research-based, ten-week curriculum developed at Judi's House that is tailored to meet the needs of bereaved children and families.

"Judi's House is honored to receive this year's Dean Singleton Legacy Grant. We are grateful for our longstanding partnership with The Denver Post Community Foundation and the many ways it has supported our critical services for grieving children and families. We consider Dean not only one of our biggest advocates in the community, but also a dear friend," said Judi's House founders Brook and Brian Griese.

The Dean Singleton Legacy Grant is named after William Dean Singleton, who built the nation's second-largest newspaper company. Dean retired as chairman of MediaNews Group Inc., owner of The Denver post, in 2013. He currently serves as non-executive chairman of The Post and sits on the Board of Directors for the Denver Post Community Foundation.

"I couldn't be happier with the selection of Judi's House as the 2015 Legacy Grant recipient," Singleton said. "Brook and Brian's dedication to the children in our community is next to none. They have built such a valuable resource here in Denver and we are grateful that this money will help many children learn to cope with tremendous loss in their lives."

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About Denver Post Community Foundation

The Denver Post Community Foundation, a 501c3 nonprofit organization, raises and distributes funding that focuses on four primary areas: arts and culture, education and literacy, children and youth, and human services throughout Colorado. The Foundation raises funds primarily through nine signature events and programs including: Basket of Joy, Cheyenne Frontier Days Train, Colorado State Spelling Bee, passport to the Arts, Pedal The Plains Bicycle Tour, Pen and Podium Series, Ride the Rockies Bicycle Tour, Underground Music Showcase, and Unique Lives and Experiences. To learn more about Denver Post Community, visit denverpostcommunity.com.

About Judi's House

Judi's House is the only free-standing organization in the Metro Denver area devoted solely to supporting grieving children and their families. Their comprehensive programs and services are provided by the knowledgeable staff of licensed mental health professionals, supported by devoted trainees and passionate volunteers. Since 2002, Judi's House has supported more than 7,400 children and caregivers toward their vision that **no child should be alone in grief**. Judi's House believes that investing in these vulnerable children will help them build resilience and the coping skills they need to adjust their loss, and handle future challenges. To learn more about Judi's House, visit judishouse.org. For more information on the *Pathfinders* program, [click here](#).

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