

Asthma and Allergy Foundation

ORCHID AAFAIR

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THE ST. LOUIS CHAPTER OF THE Asthma and Allergy Foundation (AAFA) held its signature Orchid AAFAir gala at the Four Seasons Hotel St. Louis. The fundraiser featured live and silent auctions, dinner, dancing and an awards ceremony. **Dave and Anne Birkenmeier**, long-time volunteers and AAFA supporters, were honored with this year's 'Orchid Award' for their steadfast commitment and service to the organization. Event chair was **Jeanine Bermel**, and **Dr. Sue Berdy** served as event co-chair.



Joy Krieger, Dr. Sue Berdy, Jeanine Bermel



Anne and Dave Birkenmeier



Lori and Dr. Ray Davis, Brittany Davis



Dr. Laura and Ted Esswein

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John and Robyn Quinn



Diane and Clifton Berry



Jeff Eissman, Jennifer Staley, Jim Surface, Michele Johnson, Keith Peters



Dan McMahon, Nicole Brooks