

## West Chapter "Snowball" raises funds for local charities

Three charities have benefitted from contributions made by the West Suburban chapter and its members and guests who attended the chapter's annual "Snowball" holiday social, Dec. 10 at the Seven Bridges Golf Course in Woodridge.

Between individual contributions and matching chapter grants, at least \$750 was presented to each of the following charities:

- The People's Resource Center, a Wheaton-based organization that provides for a variety of human needs throughout DuPage County.
- Be The Cure, an organization started by a group of friends of Casey Patton, now a college student living with a rare form of brain cancer. The money raised goes to the Falk Brain Tumor Center at Children's Memorial Hospital.
- "Joey's Team" of the St. Baldrick's Foundation, a national organization that fights childhood cancer. Joey Chamness is the son of Charles Chamness, president of the National Association of Mutual Insurance Companies, and an active volunteer for St. Baldrick's.



**Casey Patton**



**West Suburban chapter secretary Reggie Dienberg and Casey Patton with a "Fight the Battle" t-shirt from the "Be The Cure" foundation.**