

Why I Walk

Lily Macdonald
Lion's Fighting Alzheimer's
Milwaukee County

Lily Macdonald is a Senior at New Berlin Eisenhower High School. This year her dance team greeted participants at the Walk to End Alzheimer's® in Milwaukee County at the start and finish line. She also led a Walk team, Lions Fighting Alzheimer's (the mascot for her high school).

Lily has a personal connection to Alzheimer's disease. Her grandmother, who lives in California, is living with dementia. "I wanted to find a way to support the mission of the Alzheimer's Association," Lily shared. "The Walk allowed me to give back on a local level. Everyone who joined my team was very excited to support the event."

"I encourage other youth to get involved in the mission of the Alzheimer's Association," Lily shared. "There are so many ways you can give back – raising awareness, starting a walk team – anyone can do it. I'm at the age where I think it's important to give back to my community and I *can* make a difference. Don't wait to get involved."

Lily is enjoying her senior year and looking at colleges, interested in a marketing or business major. Thank you making a difference in the fight to end Alzheimer's.



Lily (3rd from left) and the New Berlin Eisenhower Dance Team.

