



The 10th Annual Caledonia Chili Cook-off

Presented by:
The Knights of Columbus - Council 9300
'Major Community Event of the Year 2019'



Emery Maxwell

Emery is a vibrant 5-year-old from Dunnville. Following her birth, she spent 2 months in the NICU. Once she was discharged with a G Tube to home the family has been dealing with the following challenges - Adrenal Insufficiency, Hypopituitarism, Hypothyroidism, Septo-Optic Dysplasia, Optic Nerve Hypoplasia, Nystagmus (Shaky eyes). She is also legally blind and has celiac disease. When her sugar crashes and she goes into Adrenal Crisis, (organ failure) it is fatal if left untreated very quickly. It happens mostly in the mornings, Ketotic Hypoglycemia. We are hoping to be able to help the family get a specially trained service dog which would help detect the sudden drops in her blood sugar.