

## Special Recognition

### 1978

Senator Jesse Helms (R-NC)  
Senator Alan Cranston (D-CA)  
(The above awards were presented by the American Camping Association and the International Association of Conference Center Administrators.)

### 1982

Edmonia Dillon  
William A. Hillman, Jr.  
Hugh S. Markel

### 1983

Edwin Shapiro  
Senator Robert Dole  
Senator Gordon Humphrey  
Representative Norman D'Amours  
Representative Barber Conable

### 1984

Nancy Reagan  
Beverly Miller

### 1986

Joan Farrow  
Jesse Farrow  
Ed Schirick  
Lois Lehr  
City of Kansas City  
Paul Fjare

### 1987

Thomson K. Heinrichs  
Bernie Moore  
Barbara Winslow  
Putnam Blodgett  
Senator John C. Danforth  
Senator Bob Packwood  
Senator David Durenberger  
Representative Barbara Kennelly  
Representative J. J. Pickle  
Representative John J. Duncan

### 1988

Glenn T. Job  
Jack Pearse  
National Wildlife Federation

### 1989

Frank M. Washburn  
Mary Ennis

### 1990

Marvin Black  
Fr. Karl Dowd

### 1991

Mimi Fogerty

### 1992

Bill Cole  
Ruth Carlo DeNegroni  
Elizabeth Kiester  
George Sudduth

### 1993

Ed Andrews  
Marion Doctor  
Frederick T. Miller  
Jeanne Otto

### 1994

Nannette Enloe  
Western Association of Independent Camps

### 1995

Risk Management Design Team  
Richard Smikle  
Edward Schirick  
Ray and Vicki Kalman

### 1997

Kenneth Bonsell  
Faith Evans  
Robert Lebby

### 1998

American National Red Cross-Chapter  
Operations  
Ray Bean

**1999**

Penny and Peter Kerns

**2000**

Pastor Duane E. Hanson  
George Shafer  
William P. (Bill) Tighe  
International Staff Recruiting Agencies  
Bunacamp  
Camp America  
Camp Counselors U.S.A.  
Inter Exchange/Camp U.S.A.  
International Camp Counselor Program  
International Camping Fellowship

**2001**

Robert H. Miner  
Michele Friedman  
Cathy Palmer  
Dave Silverstein  
Maine Youth Camping Association

**2002**

Allen Beavers  
George Marcus  
Rulon Skinner

**2003**

Charlotte Hill  
Beverly McEntarfer

**2004**

Bette Bussel  
Gary Forster

**2005**

James McCafferty  
Rodger Popkin  
Recreation Administration Program of Aurora –  
George Williams University

**2006**

Michael Chauveau  
Bonnie Dunn  
Clark L. Ewing

**2007**

Judy Brookhiser  
Mark Burkhardt  
Sally Jewell

**2008**

Dennis Elliot  
Stephen Wallace

**2009**

University of Georgia  
Philip Lilienthal  
REI & LNT PEAK  
Nancy Frankel  
Paul Newman posthumously

**2010**

Massachusetts Audubon  
Reverend James Cherry  
Don Brown  
Rob Grabill  
Camp Leaders

**2011**

Foundation for Jewish Camp

**2012**

Maine Summer Camps  
Rep. Chellie Pingree  
Girl Scouts of the USA

**2013**

Michael Thompson, Ph.D.

**2014**

Clemson University, Department of Parks,  
Recreation, and Tourism Management

**2015**

Paul Sheridan (Camp Moves Me)  
Andy Shlensky (Camp Moves Me)

**2016**

Jack Erler  
Gene DeSantis

**2017**

Doug Siden  
Ken Glotzer

**2018**

No Recipient

**2019**

Scott Brody

**2020**

Dan Konigsberg

**2021**

Danny Sudman

Travis Allison and the team with The Brief:  
Camp and Covid 19

Andy Pritikin

Sara Kuljis

New England State Camp Associations