

National Honor Award Nomination

(MUST BE COMPLETE TO BE CONSIDERED)

Purpose: The Honor Award is designed to recognize meritorious service. It is presented at the national conference.

Eligibility: To **qualify** a candidate must:

1. be a current member of the association or former member who has retired from active participation in the field.
2. have served in camp programs for a period of at least ten years.
3. have high moral character, personal integrity, and exemplify a spirit of devoted service to the field.
4. have made a noteworthy contribution to the advancement of camping through leadership and industry.
5. have leadership and meritorious service that can be documented in at least **five** of the following areas:
 - Member of ACA national board of directors
 - President of an ACA field/affiliate office
 - Chair of a national ACA committee
 - Field/affiliate office or region committee work for at least three years
 - Chair of a national or regional conference steering committee

- Employed staff of the association
- Significant addresses before educational or recreational groups, conferences, radio and television presentations, and other meetings held in the interest and promotion of camp
- Systematic research
- Author or coauthor of at least one book on camping
- Author of at least five published articles by a magazine of national scope or brought out in monograph form
- Articles in handbooks, newspapers, or magazines not covered above

Number of Awards: No more than three.

Nominations are due by October 26th. Mail to:

Awards Committee Chair
American Camp Association
5000 State Road 67 North
Martinsville, IN 46151-7902
765-342-8456 fax 765-342-2065
e-mail aca@ACAcamps.org

Name _____ Title _____

Organization _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Work phone _____ Home phone _____

Fax _____ E-mail _____

Age 20-30 30-40 40-50 50-60 60 and older ACA member Retired ACA member

Years of ACA membership 0-5 5-10 10-15 15 and more

Present affiliation _____

Previous affiliations _____

Document fully leadership and meritorious service in at least **five** of the following areas:

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2. President of an ACA field/affiliate office _____
3. Chair of a national ACA committee _____
4. Chair of a national or regional conference steering committee _____

5. Employed staff of the association _____

6. Field/affiliate office or region committee work for at least three years _____

7. Significant addresses before educational or recreational groups, conferences, radio and television presentations, and other meetings held in the interest and promotion of camp _____

8. Systematic research _____

9. Author or coauthor of at least one book on camping _____

10. Author of at least five published articles by a magazine of national scope or brought out in monograph form _____

11. Articles in handbooks, newspapers, or magazines not covered above _____

Other outstanding contributions to the advancement of camping _____

Additional ACA responsibilities and achievements

Field/affiliate office _____

Regional _____

National _____

Brief statement as to why this candidate should receive an award _____

Nominated by: Name _____
Field/affiliate office _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone _____
Fax _____
E-mail _____