WEA-Retired Awards

WEA-Retired can support public education staff and students in the state of Washington only through the hard work and dedication of people who believe in its goals and objectives. It is the practice of WEA-Retired to acknowledge these supporters each year during its annual meeting.

As a WEA-Retired member or Pre-Retired member, you know many who would be deserving of one of these awards. Wouldn’t it be nice if that person was nominated and even nicer if they won? It is very easy. Below are descriptions of the four WEA-Retired awards.

The completed form should be sent to Kit Raney, WEA-Retired Awards Chair, 13017 19th Ave NE, Seattle, WA, 98125 or emailed to raneyk@aol.com by April 17, 2020.

Pre-Retired Member of the Year

Some active WEA members join WEA-Retired while they are still working in order to retain their member benefits when they retire. Others actively promote WEA-Retired and its programs. These are the members we recognize with the Pre-Retired Member award.

- Encouraging pre-retired membership
- Helping in their UniServ Council as we set up new WEA-Retired chapters
- Advertising and setting up WEA-Retired pre-retirement seminars
- Raising money for WEA-Retired Scholarships
- Welcoming us wherever we can be a helping hand, or they can offer one

Retired Member of the Year

There are those who work tirelessly in their efforts to promote the organization: helping with membership promotion, scholarship activities, lobbying, meetings, committee work, among other activities. Many times, these are not names that appear in the newsletter or that others know much about, but they are always there and ready to work to get the job done.

Advocate of the Year

This award is given to people who, although they do not qualify for WEA-Retired membership, provide invaluable help to the organization over time by educating and/or providing support in a variety of ways.

Media

People in the communications field have the ability to provide to the general public, WEA active members, or WEA-Retired members information about WEA-Retired programs and goals. This can be accomplished through publications and communications such as newsletters, e-news, blogs, or websites.
2020 WEA-Retired Awards Nomination Form

**AWARD:** Mark appropriate category

_____ Pre-Retired Member of the Year
_____ Retired Member of the Year
_____ Advocate of the Year
_____ Media

Name of Nominee: __________________________________________________________

Chapter or Council of nominee, if applicable: ___________________________________

Description of activities that lead to nominating this person/group:

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Print name(s) of member(s) nominating this individual. Primary sponsor must have the permission to include other name(s).

Primary Sponsor name – printed

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Primary Sponsor Signature

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Additional names in support of this Nomination:

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