

COMMUNITY AWARDS BASIC CRITERIA FOR NOMINATIONS

CHAMBER CUP – Nominations may be submitted by any member of the Chandler Chamber of Commerce. The Chandler Chamber of Commerce awards the Chamber Cup to a member to show appreciation for outstanding effort and support on behalf of the organization.

Nominee must:

- ❖ have been actively involved in the Chamber a minimum of two years and produced a significant difference in the welfare of the Chamber
- ❖ be a strong supporter of the organization and its goals
- ❖ demonstrate the following leadership skills:
 - follow through and responsibility for activities and projects
 - work effectively with other participants
 - encourage the participation of others
 - solves problems and exhibit innovative thinking

COMMUNITY CUP - The Chandler Chamber of Commerce awards the Community Cup to an organization, individual or couple to show appreciation for outstanding volunteerism and/or other commitment(s) to the community.

Nominee must:

- ❖ live or be located in the Chandler area
- ❖ have been actively involved in the community for a long period of time (although many community leaders generously lend their name to assist various activities, the Chandler Cup requires that the recipient be actively involved in these activities)
- ❖ have created a significant difference in the quality of life in Chandler and exhibit a high degree of willingness to help others

CHANDLER CUP

- ❖ Mayor's choice

JAMES R. SNEDIGAR PUBLIC SERVICE AWARD

Nominee must:

- ❖ exhibit the character and standards that reflect those of the award namesake, Officer James R. Snedigar
- ❖ works in the public sector and made a significant difference in the quality of life of an individual, a group, or the citizens of Chandler
- ❖ have been actively involved in the community for a long period of time, or has demonstrated exceptional concern for the well-being and/or safety of others

BUSINESS DIVERSITY AWARD

- ❖ Demonstrates a commitment to promoting a diverse workplace environment
- ❖ Maintains a record of accomplishments in areas of diverse management, recruiting, and leadership
- ❖ proven track record of sound policies and practices that support positive environmental, employee, economic, community, and social impact
- ❖ A demonstrated growing commitment to using the power of corporate decision making as a tool for sustainability and corporate citizenship
- ❖ A demonstrated ability to work with multiple stakeholders and value “bottom lines”

VETERANS ADVOCATE OF THE YEAR AWARD

- ❖ Be actively involved in the Chandler community
- ❖ Place emphasis on hiring, training, supporting, and honoring active duty military members, veterans, and military families
- ❖ Be located in the Chandler area
- ❖ Be a Chandler Chamber Member
- ❖ Have been in business in the Chandler area for at least two years

BUSINESS OF THE YEAR AWARDS (Micro, Small, Medium, Large)

- ❖ be located in Chandler area
- ❖ be a Chandler Chamber member
- ❖ be in sound financial position
- ❖ have been in business in the Chandler area for at least two years
- ❖ employee size of 5 or less (micro), 6-50 (small), 51-100 (medium), and 101+(large)

ADMINISTRATOR OF THE YEAR (CUSD)

- ❖ Manage and administrate effectively.
- ❖ Demonstrate and encourage creativity and innovation.
- ❖ Foster cooperation between the school, business and the community.
- ❖ Encourage a continuing partnership among students and parents as well as faculty and staff.
- ❖ Keep abreast of developments in the field of education.
- ❖ Encourage team spirit.
- ❖ Demonstrate leadership and exemplify commitment.
- ❖ Continue to play an active role in the classroom.

SUPPORT STAFF OF THE YEAR (CUSD)

- ❖ Display an outstanding manner that significantly contributed to the CUSD.
- ❖ Service has been truly outstanding in its contribution to the overall purposes of the school district.
- ❖ Demonstrate creativity and innovation to improve quality at CUSD.
- ❖ Participates in building morale and teamwork.
- ❖ Maintain a high standard of professionalism.
- ❖ Strive for personal and professional growth.

EDUCATOR OF THE YEAR (CUSD)

- ❖ Display a genuine concern for students.
- ❖ Encourage parent involvement in the educational process.
- ❖ Participate in extra-curricular activities involving students, business and the community.
- ❖ Participate in community events and organizations.
- ❖ Cause significant educational growth and build a positive self-image in students.
- ❖ Maintain a high standard of professionalism.
- ❖ Demonstrate initiative and creativity to improve instruction.
- ❖ Strive for personal and professional growth

RED APPLE AWARD (OPEN TO ALL SCHOOLS)

- ❖ Open to educators, administrators, and support staff within Chandler Chamber member schools
- ❖ Manage and administrate effectively.
- ❖ Demonstrate and encourage creativity and innovation.
- ❖ Foster cooperation between the school, business and the community.
Encourage a continuing partnership among students and parents as well as faculty and staff.
- ❖ Keep abreast of developments in the field of education.
- ❖ Encourage team spirit.
- ❖ Demonstrate leadership and exemplify commitment.
- ❖ Continue to play an active role in the classroom.