

Rockbridge Community 2020 People's Choice Awards Nomination Form

Forms may be hand-delivered, called in or mailed to:
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Serving Lexington, Buena Vista, and Rockbridge County
18 East Nelson Street – Suite 101, Lexington, VA 24450
Phone: (540) 463-5375

(Previous Winners in Parenthesis not eligible for 5 years)

We ask that you provide a brief description (3-5 sentences) about why this person and/or group is qualified for this award. A full bio will be requested if they make the final ballot.

As you are thinking of nominations take the time to consider those "unsung heroes" who have diligently and unselfishly served our community in this pandemic. Thank you for taking the time to provide your nominations for this year's People's Choice Awards.

1. Volunteer of the Year – exceptional volunteer time spent on community service and making the community a better place to live; e.g. active member of a non-profit organization. (15-Dick Rathmell, 16-Burr Datz, 17-Heather Marion, 18-Lori Turner, 19-Dymphna Alexander)

Name _____

2. Humanitarian of the Year – volunteer, individual, or group of individuals, who provide care or assistance to another in need, not able to care for themselves. Examples: caregiver to a relative, friend or neighbor with disability or sickness; in-home assistance to a shut-in; rescue of abuse victims. Nominees may not be well known to the community, doing their service in private settings, and may need to be brought to our attention. (15-Dr. Marc A. Hudson, 16-Hoofbeats Therapeutic Riding Center, 17-Project Horizon, 18-Elizabeth Kamos, 19-Rockbridge Area Hospice)

Name _____

3. Educator of the Year - can be a teacher, principal, coach, tutor or anyone who enhances the education for the young people of our community. It should be someone who has touched the life of a young person in a positive and influential way and someone currently in the profession or someone who is no longer active. (15-Patti Cook, 16-Dr. Kenneth P. Ruscio, 17-Matthew Schucker, 18-Melissa Cobb, 19-Tracy Hinty)

Name _____

4. Employer of the Year –significant contribution toward providing employment opportunities in our community; can be a long standing member or new in the community; can be a school, individual, company or corporation. (15-Whites Travel Center, 16-Virginia Military Institute, 17-Lexington Prescription Center, 18-CornerStone Bank, 19-Sweet Things Ice Cream Shoppe)

Name _____

5. Citizen of the Year – individual who, for a memorable/heroic event or a career of service to the community, has done much to contribute to the quality of life; a role model for our children; admired and respected not only for what he/she does but also for how it is accomplished. (15-Tony Conway, 16-Lori Sadler, 17-Al Hockaday, 18-John Stallard, 19-Carolyn Tolley)

Name _____
