

### Lifetime Achievement Award

This award will be presented annually to an individual whose volunteerism and outstanding service and dedication have made a significant contribution to the community they have worked and lived in during their lifetime. Very similar to the qualities we look for in the Citizen of the Year Award, we look for the recipient of the Lifetime Achievement Award.

- A person who has consistently volunteered their time, dedication and talents to the community and the citizens of the community to make it a great place to live, work, play and learn.
- A person who has made a positive difference in the lives of fellow citizens.
- Someone who is dedicated to St. James and concerned for others. They may have actively served on service, school, church, or community committees.
- A person who has shown a willingness to work with other St. James residents, who is
  enthusiastic about the town and its citizens, and who works continually towards the betterment
  of the community. A person with the qualities of honesty and integrity.
- A person who has performed an outstanding achievement or act of heroism
- Someone who has overcome significant personal adversity

## Criteria for the Lifetime Achievement Award:

- Nominee must currently live or work in St James or the immediate surrounding area.
- Nominee must be age twenty-one (21) or older.
- The achievement (s) is based on a lifetime of dedicated service. To be eligible, the entire service is not required to have been done completely in the City of St. James and surrounding area.
- Nominations should be based on the qualities provided above and must show consistent service to make the community a better place to work, live and play.

#### **HOW TO NOMINATE**

If you have a friend, neighbor, co-worker, or relative that you feel fits the above-mentioned qualities and criteria, please complete the attached form and provide a written statement giving details that will help the board make their selection of the winning nomination. You may provide with your nomination, letters from others who would also support the nomination and may have additional information to add about the nominee's contributions to the community.

The nomination form, statement, and any additional information must be turned in all together at one time. You may drop the nomination off at the Tourist Information Center Mon-Sat from 9am-3 pm or you may email a complete copy of the nomination in a PDF format to <a href="mailto:director@stjameschamber.net">director@stjameschamber.net</a>

The deadline to submit nominations is Friday, December 8th, 2023.

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#### **Nomination Form**

Deadline: Friday, December 8th, 2023

Please Complete the form below, providing as much detail as possible to assist the Board of Directors in voting for the winning entry. I place in nomination the name of the following individual/couple for consideration to receive the 2022 Lifetime Achievement Award.

Nominee's Information	
Name of Person:	
Physical Address:	
Point of Contact:	
Email Address:	
Telephone Number:	
Submitting Person's Information	
Name:	
Telephone Number:	
Email Address:	
Relationship to Nominee:	

Please use the following page or attach a printed page giving a detailed letter or statement as to why the nominee should be awarded the Lifetime Achievement Award. Nominations can be dropped off at the St. James Tourist Information Center, Monday – Friday from 9am – 3pm or can be emailed in a PDF format to <u>director@stjameschamber.net</u>. You may provide supporting letters of the nomination from others, however, all nominees will be invited to attend the St. James Chamber of Commerce Annual Dinner where the winner will be announced. Lifetime Achievement Winner- will be the parade marshal at the Grape & Fall Festival Parade.



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Use this page to write or attach your letter of nomination. Be sure to include significant achievements, community activities, great strengths, special qualities, and any awards or recognition received for services.