

AOSA INDUSTRY SERVICE AWARD

PURPOSE

To recognize and honor individual members of AOSA, who are employed by industry members of AOSA; who, above and beyond the requirements of business, have given exemplary service to AOSA and/or its members; and who have contributed to the growth of Orff Schulwerk in the United States.

The honor bestows:

- Lifetime honorary membership
- A certificate of recognition to be presented at a national conference

GUIDELINES

1. Selection will be based on the following criteria:
 - Nature and extent of active participation in and service to AOSA and its members.
 - Length and quality of involvement in the Orff Schulwerk movement.
 - Impact on the growth and acceptance of AOSA aims and objectives.
2. Nominations may be made only by current members of AOSA. To that end:
 - Nomination forms are available from Executive Headquarters.
 - Nominations must be received at AOSA Executive Headquarters by **August 1** and must include three, and only three, additional letters of recommendation which should speak to the listed criteria.
 - All nominations will be kept **on file and reviewed for three years**. After three years, nominations must be re-submitted in order to remain active.
3. The Membership Committee will present no more than three nominees to the NBT at the September meeting for final selection. No more than one award will be given each year; however, this does not mean an award must be given each year.
4. A letter of acceptance is required of the recipient prior to the conference.

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PROCEDURES

1. The names of the nominees selected by the membership committee will be presented to the AOSA National Board of Trustees in September.
2. The National Board of Trustees will vote for one honoree. A two-thirds majority of the vote is required to confirm the selection. The name of the recipient will not be discussed outside the Board for two weeks following the election. The minutes of the Board Meeting will state only the name of the recipient and not the names of the nominees.
3. A congratulatory letter from the President of AOSA describing the award and its presentation will be sent to the recipient and to the nominator of the recipient.
4. The recipient will receive a framed parchment certificate and a gift. The value of the gift is not to exceed \$125.00. The recipient will also receive lifetime membership and lifetime complimentary conference registration.
5. At the time of the presentation, a brief summary of the recipient's contributions to Orff Schulwerk and the American Orff-Schulwerk Association will be given.

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PERSON BEING NOMINATED:

Name _____

Industry Employer _____

Address _____

Phone _____

THIS NOMINATION IS BEING SUBMITTED BY:

Name _____

Address _____

Phone (____) _____

AOSA Chapter _____

AOSA Membership # _____

Please attach a letter describing how the nominee has, above and beyond the requirements of business, given exemplary service to AOSA and/or to its members; and has contributed to the growth of Orff Schulwerk in the United States. In addition, please list the names and addresses of three, but no more than three people, who will write letters of recommendation based on the criteria listed (See Guidelines). All materials supporting the nomination must be received at AOSA Executive Headquarters by August 1st.

REFERENCES:

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

BALLOT FOR INDUSTRY SERVICE AWARD

1. Write the name of the candidate you wish to receive the Industry Award on the solid line below.

2. If you wish no candidate to receive the award, write **NO CANDIDATE** on the solid line.
3. Fold ballot. Ballots will be collected by membership committee people.