



The Ridgefield Lions Club Presents Our Annual Community Awards

We are excited to announce awards for the following categories (criteria for each are on back of this form):

- Business/Business Person of the Year
- Citizen of the Year
- Senior Royalty Award
- Mentor of the Year
- Outstanding High School Student of the Year

Finalists and winners will be honored on May 20, 2020 at ilani Casino. Tickets are \$55 per person. Visit our website: www.ridgefieldlions.org for more information and to purchase tickets.

Nomination Form
For which award are you nominating this person?
Nominee's Name and Job Title:
Nominee's Address and Telephone Number:
Reason for Nomination:
Please feel free to attach additional documents on a separate sheet of paper.
Your Name and Contact Information:

Mail your completed nomination form no later than April 15th to the Ridgefield Lions Club, P.O. Box 416, Ridgefield, WA 98642. Finalists will be announced May 1st.





Criteria for Awards

Business/Business Person of the Year

- Nominee must be the owner, manager, or CEO of a business operating within the 98642 zip code
- The business must exhibit a positive influence on the Ridgefield business climate. Length of time in the community is also important.
- Promotes the community through any combination of the following:
 - Image
 - Activities
 - Promotions
 - Participation in business organizations
- The actual appearance of the business shall be a credit to our community which is demonstrated by:
 - General appearance and upkeep
 - Expansions or remodels/updates

Citizen of the Year

- A person who continually volunteers his or her time, dedication and talents to the city of Ridgefield and the citizens of the city in order to make Ridgefield a great place to live, work, play and learn
- A person who has made a positive difference to the lives of fellow citizens
- Someone who is dedicated to Ridgefield and who is concerned for others
- A person who shows a willingness to work with other Ridgefield residents, who is enthusiastic about the city and its citizens, and who works continuously towards the betterment of the community
- A person with the qualities of honesty, integrity and kindness

Mentor of the Year

- Serves as an outstanding role model of professionalism by modeling appropriate professional behavior and positive professional standards
- Encourages student involvement in a variety of opportunities, such as including students in service projects or research activities, supporting student membership in professional organizations/meetings, encourages students to take an active role in the community
- Provides exemplary academic and/or professional preparation advisement for students
- Serves as a teacher/counselor/coach/clergy member/librarian/etc. who models integrity, honesty, fairness and determination

Outstanding High School Student of the Year

- Demonstrates the Lions' concept of KEYS (Kindness, Enthusiasm, Youth and Service) in their daily life
- Demonstrates characteristics such as adaptability, competence, creativity, curiosity, generosity, humility, integrity, professionalism, reliability, responsibility, thoughtfulness, tolerance and trustworthiness
- Serves in a variety of leadership roles at school or in the community and encourages others to be involved
- Makes a significant, positive impact in the community
- Goes above and beyond to enhance the experience of their fellow students and serves as a role model for their peers
- Demonstrates a commitment to academic success

Senior Royalty - Male

- A male resident of Ridgefield
- Is at least 60 years old
- Has a zest for life and inspires members of the community
- Demonstrates characteristics such as adaptability, competence, creativity, curiosity, generosity, humility, integrity, professionalism, reliability, responsibility, thoughtfulness, tolerance and trustworthiness
- Makes a significant, positive impact in the community
- Their contributions over the years have set the standard of service in the community and they have helped to make Ridgefield a special place to live, work, and learn

Senior Royalty - Female

- A female resident of Ridgefield
- Is at least 60 years old
- Has a zest for life and inspires members of the community
- Demonstrates characteristics such as adaptability, competence, creativity, curiosity, generosity, humility, integrity, professionalism, reliability, responsibility, thoughtfulness, tolerance and trustworthiness
- Makes a significant, positive impact in the community
- Their contributions over the years have set the standard of service in the community and they have helped to make Ridgefield a special place to live, work, and learn