



## Arts Commission

City of Coeur d'Alene

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To Friends of the Arts:

The Coeur d'Alene Arts Commission is seeking nominations for the 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Mayor's Awards in the Arts. Attached please find the Guidelines and a 2010 Nomination Form. Please note that the nominations must be submitted by **September 10, 2010**. The Mayor's Awards in the Arts is an annual event, held this year on Thursday, October 21, 2010, 6 p.m., at the Coeur d'Alene Resort. Please consider nominating a deserving individual, business or organization for this award.

Thank you for your dedicated support and promotion of the arts. If you have any questions regarding the nominations, please do not hesitate to email or call me at [tami@novatalentscout.com](mailto:tami@novatalentscout.com) or (208) 818-3270.

Tami Smith  
Coeur d'Alene Arts Commission

### **PRIOR RECIPIENTS**

	<u>Excellence in the Arts</u>	<u>Support of the Arts</u>	<u>Arts in Education</u>
2009	Fallen Heroes Plaza	Charles & Dorothy Clock	Julie Hudson
2008	Judith & Michael McGiveney	Marylou Dion	Sorensen Magnet School
2007	William Rhodes	Martin & Carol Stacey	Julie Powell
2006	CdA Summer Theatre	Mark & Marlo Faulkner	Opera Plus!
2005	Sheryl Bentz-Sipe	Doug Fagerness	John Davis
2004	Cynthia Haberman Marlette	James Speirs	Excel Foundation
2003	Ceci Klein	Ali Shute	Leslie Landwear
	(Robert Singletary – Outstanding Contribution to the Arts – Special Award)		
2002	Tim Mosgrove	Harold & Katherine Damiano	Margery Christensen
2001	Ellen Travolta & Jack Bannon	Sue Flammia	Jan Wilhelmi
2000	Coeur d'Alene Symphony Orchestra	Steve Gibbs	Jean TerHark
1999	Terry Lee	Nancy Sue Wallace	Arts Educators, Dist 271
1998	Roger Welch	Allen and Mary Dee Dodge	Jane Morgan
1997	Louise Shaddock	Citizen's Council for the Arts	Don Haus
1996	Joe Jonas	Eloise Scheetz	Janet Torline

## **MAYOR'S AWARDS IN THE ARTS GUIDELINES**

The Mayor's Awards in the Arts are presented by the Coeur d'Alene Arts Commission and the City of Coeur d'Alene to recognize and encourage excellence in the arts and to stimulate and support awareness of the arts throughout the City. Nominees may be businesses, organizations, or individuals who have, through distinguished service or creative accomplishment, made a significant contribution to the arts in Coeur d'Alene, but need not be based or have residence actually within the City Limits. Current Commissioners and their family members are not eligible. Staff and committee chairpersons for the Commission are not eligible.

The Coeur d'Alene Arts Commission will review nominees and make recommendations to the Mayor. Recipients will be honored at an awards ceremony at 6:00 p.m. on October 15, 2009, location to be announced.

### **Award Category Criteria:**

1. **Excellence in the Arts** recognizes artists who have made a significant contribution to the arts in Coeur d'Alene, and who have demonstrated a high degree of artistic excellence in any discipline including performing, visual or literary arts. Nominations should include documentation of artist's work.

Nominations will be evaluated on:

- A. Community participation in the arts;
- B. Scope of artist's audience (local, state, regional);
- C. Awards and recognition previously received;
- D. Quality and/or originality of work.

2. **Support of the Arts** recognizes individuals, businesses or organizations that have made a significant contribution to the arts in Coeur d'Alene.

Nominations will be evaluated on:

- A. Years of commitment to support the arts in Coeur d'Alene;
- B. Overall involvement in support of the arts.
- C. Type of support (volunteer service on boards, lectures, financial).

3. **Arts in Education** recognizes educators, individuals, businesses or organizations for their efforts to strengthen public arts education in the geographic area of School District 271.

Nominations will be evaluated on:

- A. Years of commitment to arts education;
- B. Degrees of advocacy for arts education in the schools and community;
- C. Overall impact on making the arts a vital part of the basic curriculum.

4. ***Youth Art Leader*** recognizes a high school Senior currently enrolled in Coeur d'Alene School District #271 who is bettering their school and community through the arts.

Nominations will be evaluated on:

- A. Significance and magnitude of the nominee's contributions to the arts of their high school;
- B. Leadership in the arts community and service to the arts in their high school;
- C. Demonstration of having set a positive example in their high school and community;  
and
- D. Contributions to the arts in their community.

Questions: Call or email Tami Smith, Coeur d'Alene Arts Commission, [tami@novatalentscout.com](mailto:tami@novatalentscout.com) or 818-3270.

***Coeur d'Alene Arts Commission***  
***15<sup>th</sup> Annual Mayor's Awards in the Arts***  
***Nomination Form***

**DEADLINE for Nominations is September 10, 2010**

**Nominee Name**

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**Address**

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**Phone & Email**

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**Select Category**

- Excellence in the Arts**
  - Support of the Arts**
  - Arts in Education**
  - Youth Art Leader (Name of high school)**
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**Nominator Name**

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**Address**

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**Phone & Email**

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**Relationship to Nominee**

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**Summary of Achievements and Supporting Materials**

In 1,000 words or less please describe the nominee's overall commitment, contribution and service to the arts as it relates to the category in which the candidate is being nominated. Include biographical information, professional achievements, and community involvement. You may also include things such as press clippings, catalogs, resume, annual reports, letters of support, video or audio recordings (DVD or CDs only) or images (PC compatible CD-ROM jpg file format) up to 10 images.

**Certification**

As a nominator for the City of Coeur d'Alene Mayor's Arts Awards, I certify the information contained in this nomination packet to be accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge.

**Signature**

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**Date**

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**Mail or Fax to:**

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