

IZAACK WALTON LEAGUE OF AMERICA  
**Past Award Winners**



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# FIFTY-FOUR FOUNDERS AWARD

The League's highest award, given to that person, group or institution judged to have made an outstanding contribution over the years to the conservation of America's renewable natural resources.

1949 William Vogt	1980 Earl Sandvig
1950 Natural Resources Task Force of the Hoover Commission	1981 Senator John C. Culver
1951 Dr. Hugh Hammond Bennett	1982 None
1952 Muskingum Watershed Conservancy Dist. Of Ohio	1983 None
1953 None	1984 David and Judy Siddon
1954 Dr. Ira N. Gabrielson	1985 Frank Bellrose
1955 Resources for the Future Inc	1986 None
1956 Arthur H. Carhart	1987 Willard M. Munger
1957 Clifford R. Hope	1988 None
1958 Dr. E. R. Kalmbach	1989 None
1959 Seth Gordon	1990 Jane Dustin
1960 Maytag Company	1991 None
1961 None	1992 David Zentner
1962 Lawrence S. Rockefeller	1993 Judge Howard White
1963 Rachel Carson	1994 None
1964 Hon. Stewart L. Udall	1995 Jack Lorenz
1965 Congressman Wayne N. Aspinall	1996 None
1966 Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson	1997 Charles and Leila Wiles
1967 Hon. Paul H. Douglas	1998 Paul Toren
1968 Vinton W. Bacon	1999 None
1969 Sigurd F. Olson	2000 Donald Ferris
1970 Congressman John P. Saylor	2001 Dr. Roy Overton
1971 Raymond A. Hails	2002 Stan M. Adams
1972 Joseph W. Penfold	2003 Monty Montgomery
1973 Frank B. Hubachek	2004 None
1974 Thomas E. Dustin	2005 Wendell Haley
1975 Malcolm King	2006 James R. Haring
1976 None	2007 Paul W. Hansen
1977 None	2008 Chuck and Gail Woosley
1978 None	2009 Timothy W. Reid and Mike Williams
1979 M. L. Bud Heinselman and Donald Fraser	2010 Raymond C. Zehler
	2011 Dale Brentnall

# HALL OF FAME AWARD

Limited to five per year, the award commemorates members who have given long and devoted service to the League and who have achieved a record of outstanding accomplishment.

1959	Will H. Dilg	1971	Oscar A. Becker
1960	Dr. Preston Bradley Dr. John W. Scott Kenneth A. Reid Ivar Hennings J. N. Ding Darling Cliff Hallowell	1972	G. M. Van Hoesen
1961	Gene Stratton Porter Grace Beach Aldo Leopold	1973	Vernon D. Hagelin Dr. William Holton Edna H. Hill
1962	Joseph Penfold William L. Finley	1974	Judge John Tobin
1963	Sigurd F. Olson Emerson Hough	1975	David B. Charlton, PhD. Alden J. Erskine Burt Marston
1964	Anne Shoemaker Thomas Ambrose Louis Radke	1976	Howard White
1965	Will Walling Tom Wallace Fred N. Peet S.B. Locke Hazel A. Anderson Walter Frye Harry F. Harper George E. Scott Charles E. Piersall	1977	Elton Fawks
1966	Dr. Harry Baldwin Ward Herbert Hoover L.H. Dunten Judge Grover Ladner Joe Karmann Judge George W. Wood	1978	Malcolm E. King Leo G. Windish Frank B. Hubachek
1967	Wilma La Budde Merle J. Brown Ed Rhinehart	1979	Richard Kuck
1968	Burton H. Atwood Paul Clement Arthur "Pops" Senior Herb Kelly	1980	James Potter Ollie Diller
1969	None	1981	Sam McDowell
1970	Reynolds Harnsberger	1982	Harvey Adams Reis Tuttle Raymond W. Radcliff
		1983	C. B. Harris
		1984	Allan L. Kelly W. Wes Libbey J. Clanton Armstrong Elwyn Nash Herbert P. Reid G. A. "Jerry" Ellis
		1985	Helen V. Stammen
		1986	Delmer Miller Franklin Adams Thomas W. Fisher
		1987	Dyas Rawlings Dr. Charles I. Wiles, Jr. Stanley H. Myers Wendell P. Haley William H. Wertz

1988	Mary Fuchs	Monty Montgomery Walter and Ruth Lynn
1989	Dr. Robert Hire Roy Crockett J. Wistar Stowe Charlie Crawford Grace Crawford	2002 Roger Sears Elizabeth Roy
1990	Paul Toren Paul Cyphert	2003 Don McClung Charles and Gail Woosley Garrit Struck
1991	Jack Lorenz Fred Cooper Bill Hornecker Jim Westphal Thelma "Pete" Reed	2004 Bill & Ethyle Bloch Lou Ireland R. James Swanson Jack Hackney
1992	Bob Russell Dale Brentnall Keith Taylor	2005 Thomas Kornbau Jean Ross Victor Smith Leila Wiles Paul Wilson
1993	Dr. Larry Smith Harry Enstrom	2006 William R. West Michael Chenoweth
1994	Rosemary Wilson Kenneth Borden Gladys Borden Kenneth Shultz Robert Lowe	2007 A. Lee Hays Bill Kling Robert Stegmier Bobby Wright
1995	Samuel A. Carr, Jr. Melvin Breakiron Francis "Curly" Satterlee	2008 Charlotta and Nelson Burton James Caligiuri Marie Cyphert Charles "Ed" Higdon Pauline Novotny
1996	Marie Crowley	2009 Terry Eberly Donald C. Freeman Dawn A. Olson William "Pete" Peterson James A. Thomas
1997	Howard Anderson Ephe M. Oliver Anna Jo Schekelhoff Ray Zehler	2010 Chuck Bauer James A. Daniels Duane A. DeVries Bruce S. and Mary E. Evans
1998	Dale Kretchman	2011 Chuck Clayton Jill Crafton Miles Greenbaum Arthur Janovsky Will Lehner
1999	Jerome Beuchert Gorman Fry Don Wolland Leslie King	
2000	Jane Dustin Charlotte Read William Shaffer	
2001	Timothy W. Reid Dean Knight	

# SAVE OUR STREAMS AWARD

Up to 3 a year, this award recognizes individuals, groups, or organizations who, in the previous year, best demonstrated the principles of environmental education and citizen action in the pursuit of clean water.

1979	Greater Seattle Chapter, Washington	2001	Loudoun County Chapter, Virginia
1980	Creeside Chapter, Minnesota	2002	None
1981	Berks County Chapter, Pennsylvania	2003	Crater Lake Chapter , Oregon
1982	Greater Seattle Chapter, Washington	2004	Central New York Chapter, New York
1984	None	2005	Walter J . Breckenridge Chapter, Minnesota
1985	None	2006	Stacey Brown
1986	None		Tom Vegella
1987	Bill Keiffer Lakeway and Mossy Creek Chapters, Tennessee		Jack Soulis
1988	Elgin Chapter, Illinois	2007	Bill Cook Chapter, Wisconsin
1991	Greater Seattle Chapter, Washington		Bush Lake Chapter, Minnesota
1992	Griffith Chapter, Indiana		Cincinnati Chapter, Ohio
1993	York Chapter #67, Pennsylvania	2008	Austin Chapter #10, Minnesota
1994	None		George Coakley
1995	Linn County Chapter, Iowa		Warren County Chapter, Virginia
1996	York Chapter #67, Pennsylvania	2009	Thomas L. Kornbau
1997	Westwood Village Chapter, California	2010	Roger Parham
1998	Griffith Chapter, Indiana		Project Watershed - Central New York
	Uniontown Chapter, Pennsylvania		Chapter, New York
	Roanoke Valley Chapter, Virginia		Colin P. Riley
1999	None	2011	Diana Chapter, Indiana
2000	York Chapter#67, Pennsylvania		Indiana Dunes State Park, Indiana
			Muddy Branch Alliance, Maryland

# BEST WEBSITE AWARD

2006	Bethesda-Chevy Chase Chapter, Maryland
2007	Cincinnati Chapter, Ohio and South Dakota Division
2008	York Chapter #67, Pennsylvania
2009	Frederick #1 Chapter, Maryland
2010	Bethesda-Chevy Chase Chapter, Maryland
2011	Wildlife Achievement Chapter, Maryland

# JOHN C. GREGORY MEMORIAL AWARD

The award goes to the division with the greatest numerical gain.

1956	New York Division	1985	Ohio Division
1957	Indiana Division	1986	Illinois Division
1958	Virginia Division	1987	Virginia Division
1959	Oklahoma Division	1988	Ohio Division
1960	Virginia Division	1989	Virginia Division
1961	Virginia Division	1990	Indiana Division
1962	Nebraska Division	1991	Virginia Division
1963	Oregon Division	1992	Maryland Division
1964	Illinois Division	1993	Virginia Division
1965	Iowa Division	1994	West Virginia Division
1966	Maryland Division	1995	Virginia Division
1967	Virginia Division	1996	Virginia Division
1968	Virginia Division	1997	Virginia Division
1970	None	1998	Indiana Division
1971	Minnesota Division	1999	Maryland Division
1972	Virginia Division	2000	Ohio Division
1973	Iowa Division	2001	Virginia Division
1974	Iowa Division	2002	Virginia Division
1975	Colorado Division	2003	Colorado Division
1976	Pennsylvania Division	2004	Iowa Division
1977	Iowa Division	2005	Colorado Division
1978	Virginia Division	2006	South Dakota Division
1980	Iowa Division	2007	South Dakota Division
1981	Nebraska Division	2008	Indiana Division
1982	Indiana Division	2009	Virginia Division
1983	Pennsylvania Division	2010	Colorado Division
1984	Iowa Division	2011	Iowa Division

## BEST DIVISION NEWSLETTER

1979	Indiana Division — Hoosier Waltonian	1996	Maryland Division — Maryland Waltonian
1980	Virginia Division — Conservation Record	1997	Minnesota Division — Minnesota Waltonian
1981	Maryland Division — Maryland Waltonian	1998	Oregon Division — Oregon Ike
1982	Maryland Division — Maryland Waltonian	1999	Virginia Division — Conservation Record
1983	Maryland Division — Maryland Waltonian	2000	Oregon Division — Oregon Ike
1984	Maryland Division — Maryland Waltonian		Ohio Division — Buckeye Ike Line
1985	Maryland Division — Maryland Waltonian	2001	None
1986	Indiana Division — Hoosier Waltonian	2002	None
1987	Maryland Division — Maryland Waltonian	2003	Michigan Division
1988	Minnesota Division — Minnesota Waltonian	2004	Oregon Division — Oregon Ike
1989	Illinois Division — Illini Ike	2004	None
1990	Maryland Division — Maryland Waltonian	2005	Maryland Division — Maryland Waltonian
1991	Maryland Division — Maryland Waltonian	2006	Indiana Division — Hoosier Waltonian
1992	Virginia Division — Conservation Record	2007	None
1993	Maryland Division — Maryland Waltonian	2008	Maryland Division — Maryland Waltonian
1994	Maryland Division — Maryland Waltonian	2009	None
1995	Maryland Division — Maryland Waltonian	2010	None
		2011	Maryland Division — Maryland Waltonian

# ROBERT C. O'HAIR MEMORIAL AWARD

A monetary award will be awarded each year to the chapter conducting the most worthy youth program during the previous year.

1961	Bethesda-Chevy Chase Chapter, Maryland	1987	Hamilton Chapter, Ohio
1962	Sportsman's Chapter, Maryland	1988	York Chapter, Pennsylvania
1963	Lady Waltonians Chapter, Illinois	1989	Rockville Chapter, Maryland
1964	Fairmont Chapter, Illinois	1990	Austin Chapter, Minnesota
1965	Fort Wayne Chapter, Indiana	1991	Seward County Chapter, Nebraska
1966	Northwestern Chapter, Ohio	1992	Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Virginia
1967	None	1993	None
1968	Fredericksburg-Rappahannock Chapter, Va.	1994	Rockville Chapter, Maryland
1969	None	1995	None
1970	Ding Darling Chapter, Iowa	1996	Kampeska Chapter, South Dakota
1971– 72	None	1997	Blackhawk, Geneseo, & Kewanee Chapters, Ill.
1973	Fenton Chapter, Michigan	1998	Mountaineer Chapter, West Virginia
1974	Woodford County Chapter, Illinois	1999	Rockville Chapter, Maryland
1975	Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Virginia	2000	Bethesda-Chevy Chase Chapter, Maryland
1976	Sportsman's Chapter, Maryland	2001	Loudoun County Chapter, Virginia
1977	Howard County Chapter, Indiana	2002	Bethesda-Chevy Chase Chapter, Maryland
1978	Glen Park Chapter, Indiana	2003	York Chapter #67, Pennsylvania
1979	United Counties Chapter, Iowa	2004	Rockville Chapter, Maryland
1980	None	2005	Rockville Chapter, Maryland
1981	None	2006	Izaak Walton Cottage Chapter, England
1982	Des Plaines Chapter, Illinois	2007	Clinton County Chapter, Iowa
1983	Dwight Lydell Chapter, Michigan	2008	York Chapter #67, Pennsylvania
1984	Bethesda-Chevy Chase Chapter, Maryland	2009	Mountaineer Chapter, West Virginia
1985	Marshall County Chapter, Iowa	2010	Brown County Chapter, Wisconsin
1986	Bethesda-Chevy Chase Chapter, Maryland	2011	West Central Chapter, Iowa

# BEST CHAPTER NEWSLETTER AWARD

1967	Des Moines Chapter, Iowa	1995	San Pedro Chapter, California
1968	Des Moines Chapter, Iowa		Griffith Chapter, Indiana
1969	None	1996	Lorain County Ely Chapter, Ohio
1970	Des Moines Chapter, Iowa	1997	Loudoun County Chapter, Virginia
1971	Wabash Chapter, Indiana	1998	Miller Chapter, Indiana
1972	Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Virginia	1999	Hamilton Chapter, Ohio
1973	Arlington-Fairfax Chapter, Virginia	2000	Dwight Lydell Chapter, Michigan
1974	Calumet Region Chapter, Illinois		Cypress Chapter, Florida
1975	Berks County Chapter, Pennsylvania	2001	Griffith Chapter, Indiana
1976	Wabash Chapter, Indiana	2002	Uniontown Chapter, Pennsylvania
1977	Agassiz Chapter, Minnesota		Bethesda-Chevy Chase Chapter, Maryland
1978	Pikes Peak Chapter, Colorado	2003	Maine Chapter, Maine
1979	Mary's Peak Chapter, Oregon		Fenton Chapter, Michigan
1980	Pikes Peak Chapter, Colorado	2004	Griffith Chapter, Indiana
1981	Pikes Peak Chapter, Colorado		Walter J. Breckenridge Chapter, Minnesota
1982	Pikes Peak Chapter, Colorado	2005	Izaak Walton Cottage Chapter, England
1983	Grand Rapids Chapter, Minnesota		Dwight Lydell Chapter, Michigan
1984	Rockville Chapter, Maryland	2006	Owatonna Chapter, Minnesota
1985	Des Plaines Chapter, Illinois		Rockville Chapter, Maryland
1986	Seward County Chapter, Nebraska	2007	Clinton County Chapter, Iowa
1987	Des Moines Chapter, Iowa		Fredericksburg-Rappahanock Chapter, Virginia
1988	Evansville Chapter, Indiana	2008	Dwight Lydell Chapter, Michigan
1989	Evansville Chapter, Indiana		Lincoln Chapter, Nebraska
1990	Griffith Chapter, Indiana	2009	Frederick #1 Chapter, Maryland
	Greater Ozarks Chapter, Missouri		Rockville Chapter, Maryland
1991	Uniontown Chapter, Pennsylvania	2010	West Central Iowa Chapter, Iowa
1992	Des Moines Chapter, Iowa		Winchester Chapter, Virginia
1993	San Pedro Chapter, California	2011	Dwight Lydell Chapter, Michigan
1994	Lorain County Ely Chapter, Ohio		Wildlife Achievement Chapter, Maryland



# HONOR ROLL AWARD

These awards are given to non-member individuals or groups for outstanding accomplishments involving conservation, public information or publicity efforts in keeping with League goals. Up to 5 per year.

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| 1949 Jack Van Coevering and the Detroit Free Press   | Illinois Federation of Sportsman's Clubs<br>Huntley-Brinkley and NBC   |
| 1950 None  |  |
| 1951 Tom Wallace, Louisville, KY<br>Mike Hudaba Washington, DC<br>Ed Dodd, Atlanta. GA   | 1965 Juanita Greene and The Miami Herald<br>White Castle Inc. OH<br>Vic and Maud, Thompson, West Point, NE<br>League of Women Voters of the United States<br>Jess Coleman Hunter, Abilene, Texas<br>Vera Ranstron and the Elgin Daily Courier<br>Citizens Comm. for the Outdoor Rec.<br>Resource Review Comm. Report |
| 1952 Portland Oregonian<br>Denver Post   |  |
| 1953 Smokey Bear (Foote. Cone and Belding)   |  |
| 1954 Virginia Wildlife<br>Ohio Conservation Bulletin<br>Missouri Conservationist<br>Colorado Springs Waltonian - Pikes<br>Peak and S. McFarland Chapters | 1966 P.T. Fisher & the Fisher Pierce Co.<br>Robert L. Buzzard, League in Clean Water, IL<br>Baytown, Texas Refinery of the<br>Humble Oil and Refining Co.<br>Association of Great Lakes Outdoor Writers<br>National Audubon Society  |
| 1955 Walt Disney Productions<br>Minneapolis Moline   | 1967 League of Women Voters Education Fund<br>United Auto Workers of America<br>Sinclair Refining Company<br>Walter H. Sherry<br>National Audubon Society<br>Sierra Club<br>National Sporting Goods Association<br>The Sears-Roebuck Foundation  |
| 1956 Sinclair Oil Corporation  |  |
| 1957 Samuel Moment<br>Viscose Corporation<br>George Hocenyos   |  |
| 1958 Irvin H. Luiten, Tacoma, WA.<br>Arthur K. Roberts, Portland, OR<br>G Marvin Shutt, Chicago, IL  | 1968 The Chicago Tribune<br>Minneapolis Tribune<br>The Free Lance-Star of Fredericksburg   |
| 1959 Sport Fishing Institute,<br>Sigurd Olson, Ely, MN<br>Arthur Godfrey, Paeonian Springs, VA   | 1969 National Rifle Association of America<br>Wisconsin Division of the IWLA   |
| 1960 Rep. John A. Blatnik, MN<br>Claus J. Murie, WY<br>Marvin Dalechow, Maquoketa, IA<br>Edward L Kohlne, Dayton, OH<br>Roger Latham. Pittsburgh, PA     | 1970 American Fisheries Society<br>Virginia Division of Forestry<br>William J. Scott, Attorney General of Illinois<br>Louis L. Clapper, Conservation Director<br>National Wildlife Federation<br>Fred E. Morn, Ohio Dept. of Natural Resources   |
| 1961 George Dewey, Yellow Springs, OO<br>Maynard Reece, Des Moines, IA   | 1971 SOLV (Stop Oregon Litter and Vandalism Inc.)<br>Ernest R. Jeffried, OR  |
| 1962 Talbott Denmead, III, Baltimore, MD<br>Charles K. Fox<br>R. L. Eckelberry, Columbus, OH   | 1972 William J. Scott, Attorney General of Illinois<br>West Michigan Environmental Action Council  |
| 1963 The American Motors Corporation<br>The Sears Roebuck Foundation   | 1973 Charles Kulp<br>Thomas Stundza, Gary, Indiana Post Tribune  |
| 1964 Palm Beach Bureau, Miami Herald<br>Holy Family College, Manitowoc, WI   | 1974 Joseph Famish, Nature Notes, Chicago Tribune<br>George Neavoll, Fort Wayne Journal Gazette<br>Tom McCall, Governor of Oregon  |

- 1975 Gloria Buzzard and the  
Save the Grove Committee, Glenview, IL  
Anne H. Smoot, Owens, VA  
Newton H. Ancarrow, VA  
Dr. Howard A. Tanner,  
Michigan Dept. of Natural Resources  
Touch of Nature Environmental Center,  
Southern Illinois University
- 1976 Terry Ingram, Apple River, IL  
Roy Beck
- 1977 Ed Dodd – Creator of Mark Trail comic strip
- 1978 Lou Wein, Fort Wayne Journal  
Norma Ellefson, Illinois teacher
- 1979 None
- 1980 Taft Broadcasting, KY  
Iowa Public Service Co., IA
- 1981 Dr. J. Whitfield Gibbons, Kiawah  
Island Company, Aiken, SC  
A.E. Stanley Manufacturing Co.,  
Donald E. Norlund, Decatur, IL
- 1982 BKK Corporation, Torrance, CA  
Gerald Adelmann, Lockport, IL
- 1983 Zoo America, Hershey, PA.
- 1984 Jasper County Conservation Board  
Cecil Andres, ID  
Waterfowl Festival Inc., Easton, MD  
Carl Sullivan, Bethesda, MD  
Oregon Wildlife Heritage Foundation, Portland
- 1985 William F. "Bill" Stevens  
Radio Station KFJB
- 1986 Ohio Power Company  
Jerry Rasmussen, USFWS Biologist, Rock  
Island, IL  
Midwest Grain Products, Pekin, IL
- 1987 Jennifer Hartman (13), Burlington, CO  
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Inc., Pittsburgh, PA
- 1988 Linda Meyer, East Chicago, IN  
Colleen Aquirre, East Chicago, IN  
Marge Surufka, East Chicago, IN  
John R. Bender, Councilman, Elyria, OH  
Dennis Anderson, St. Paul Pioneer  
Press Dispatch, MN  
Tenneco Oil Exploration and Production  
Techsonic Industries, Inc., Eufala, OK  
Dr. Renate Skinner, FL
- 1989 William Sterk, President of Able,  
Sanitation, Jenison, MI
- KBJR-TV, Duluth, MN producer of  
"The Sky Was Black with Them"
- 1990 Jerry Fearing, St. Paul, MN, Pioneer  
Press and Dispatch  
KKTU Channel 11, CO. Springs, CO  
The Mansard, Company  
John Weiss, Rochester Post-Bulletin, MN  
The H. J. Heinz Corporation  
The Unocal Corporation  
Donald Roseboom  
Rivers and Streams Committee of the  
Conservation Federation of Missouri
- 1991 Don Miller, Laramie, WY  
George Pazik, WI  
Diecast Division of Tecumseh Products,  
Sheboygan Falls, WI  
The Gazette Telegraph (Kidzette), CO.  
Springs, CO  
Gordon Gullion. Cloquet, MN  
Union Carbide Linde Division,  
Chesterton, IN
- 1992 Dublin Productions, Inc., MN  
Leonard Monahan Lubers and Partners, MN  
John McPhee, The New Yorker Magazine  
City of DePere, WI
- 1993 William Bond, MD Dept. of Natural Resources  
Missouri Department of Conservation,  
Forestry Division  
Kathryn Love, MO, Department  
of Conservation Magazine  
Wal-Mart Stores Inc.
- 1994 Rep. Wayne Gilchrest, MD  
Rep. Sherwood Boehlert, NY  
Sen. John Chafee, RI  
Missouri Department of Conservation,  
TV program "Missouri Outdoors"  
Starker Forests, Inc., OR
- 1995 Rep. Jim Jontz, IN  
DuWayne Johnsrud, WI  
Rep. Vernon Ehlers, MI  
Art Henderlong and the Hobart, IN High  
School Science Class
- 1996 Jenni Vincent, Times West Virginian  
Rep. Jane Harman, CA  
Rep. Spencer Black, WI  
Patrick Noonan, Conservation Fund  
Rep. Jim Jontz, IN
- 1997 Joe Harper  
Michael L. McGill  
Jenny Oran  
Royal Caribbean Cruise Line  
Leon Wendte

- 1998 Gary Laidig  
Keith Lair
- 1999 Kristen Milton  
Max McYoung  
Anheuser-Busch Company  
Don Young  
George Miller  
Joe Hale  
Bruce Vento
- 2000 Ray McCormick  
Chip Hart  
Gary Burt  
Ed Mullady  
Bob and Joan Ericksen  
Skelly and Loy, Inc.  
Pheasants Forever, Susquehanna Chapter
- 2001 Michael Snigg  
Rock Lake Community Volunteers  
Richard Leopold  
The Potomac Conservancy
- 2002 Richard King Mellon Foundation  
ProPeten  
Dr. Gary Alt  
Walmart Store, Germantown, Maryland
- 2003 Parks as Laboratories, National Park Service
- 2004 Montgomery County,  
Maryland Department of Environmental  
Protection  
Rick Schultz  
Davis Health System  
Michael Reuter
- 2005 John L. Morris — Bass Pro Shops  
Friends of Sligo Creek  
Delores Milmoie  
John Cooper  
Friends of Decker's Creek
- 2006 West Virginia Wildlife Diversity Program  
Betty Curtis  
Marriott International, Inc.
- 2007 After School Discoveries  
American Chestnut Foundation  
Friends of Pool 9  
Randolph County Sheriff's Department,  
West Virginia  
Wal-Mart Inc.
- 2008 Gitte Laasby  
Linh D. Phu  
Mayor Mark Schwiebert  
West Virginia State Conservation Camp
- 2009 James Fregonara  
Phyllis Green  
William Kappel  
Jeffrey D. Kelble  
Barbara Knapp  
Katherine Nelson  
Thomas Oldham
- 2010 Allegheny Mountain Friends of NRA Committee  
Julie Dieguez  
Shawn G. Head  
Dr. Anthony R. Hoch  
Kimberly Knox  
Willard Agri-Service
- 2011 Terry L. Gompert  
Paul Hlavinka  
Bob Marshall  
Thomas Perry  
West Virginia Botanic Garden, WV

# THE ARTHUR R. THOMPSON AWARD

For outstanding division conservation activities.

1960	Virginia Division	1987	Indiana Division
1961	Oregon Division	1988	None
1962	Oregon Division	1989	None
1963	Indiana Division	1990	Oregon Division
1964	Virginia Division	1991	None
1965	Virginia Division	1992	None
1966	Virginia Division	1993	None
1967	Virginia Division	1994	None
1968	Illinois Division	1995	None
1969	Wisconsin Division	1996	None
1970	Wisconsin Division	1997	None
1971	Virginia Division	1998	Ohio Division
1972	Maryland Division	1999	Virginia Division
1973	Illinois Division	2000	None
1974	None	2001	West Virginia Division
1975	None	2002	None
1976	None	2003	None
1977	None	2004	None
1978	None	2005	None
1979	None	2006	Minnesota Division
1980	None	2007	None
1981	None	2008	Indiana Division
1982	None	2009	None
1983	None	2010	West Virginia Division
1984	Maryland Division	2010	None
1985		2011	None
1986	Indiana Division		

## OUTDOOR ETHICS AWARD

Up to 3 a year, this award recognizes individuals, groups or organizations judged to have done outstanding work in outdoor ethics during the previous year.

1998	Loudoun County Anti-Poaching Fund
1999	None
2000	None
2001	R. Lee Irwin
2002	West Woods Committee, Bethesda Chevy Chase Chapter, Maryland
2003	Randolph Royen
2004	Bethesda Chevy Chase Chapter, Maryland
2005	David Anderson
2006	Scott Tanner
2007	Ben Kelkye Rockville Chapter, Maryland Woodmont Chapter, Maryland
2008	John Lamb Loudoun County Chapter, Virginia
2009	None
2010	Paul Schimke
2011	Christopher Bonatti, Maryland Timothy Ferguson, Indiana Charles Garland, Iowa

# CONSERVATION AWARD

Given in recognition of the member's contributions to conservation in the name of the League

1960	Margaret Black, IA David B. Charleton, OR James W. Wilke, Hopkins, MN	1974	Wallace Carrell, NC Harvey Adams, PA Elmer Johnson, IL
1961	Benjamin Pitts, Fredericksburg, VA H. Howard Oak Marshalltown, IA	1975	Charles S Collins, OR John Marlin, IL
1962	Rollin E. Bowler, Portland, OR Richard J. Dorer, Minneapolis, MN Ike H. Cory, San Francisco, CA F. Stanley Mikelk, Dorchester, MA	1976	A. Claude Ferguson Arlene Olson Betty North, MN
1963	Burton H. Atwood, IL Sarah E. Hill, VA Joseph Walsh	1977	James Potter, OR Wes Libbey, MN. Carl Rahe, OH Claude and Nadine McDowell, AR Bruce Diehl, OH
1964	Vinton W. Bacon Beu DeFrece Ernest Maxwell Herbert Vander Bloemen	1978	LeRoy Fleming, IA
1965	F. Lee Keator, NY Burton W. Marston, WY Tom Dustin, IN Samuel L. Hayden. VA	1979	Dyas Rawlings, OR Arthur Sleasman, MD Don Hartman, PA George Sullivan, IA
1966	Claude B. and Gladys Harris, VA John W. Wilson W. L. Galhrie Vernon Hagelin, IL	1980	G. W. Schmitt, IN
1967	John V. Beck, IA Crafton W. Banker, VA Don Crawford, CA Tom E. Dustin, IN.	1981	Rod Munro, OR Allen Christopher, NY Arthur Marshall, FL John and Gloria Rains, FL
1968	Alver E. Sik, VA	1982	William Roulette, MD Dr. Roy Overton, IA Kenneth D. Malloy, CA
1969	Dr. Charles Dambach, OH Joe Baecher, VA	1983	John Stevenson James K. Belknap George Sullivan Delmer Miller, NE
1970	Dr. Alfred Kreft, OR Glenn C. Weldon, VA Cecil Rhoad, OH	1984	Clifton Rooney, IA Bill Roulette, MD Ken Malloy, CA Howard Stiehm, CO
1971	Robert T. Dennis, VA Allen Kelly, OR Donald Pannier, CA	1985	Melvin Sneed, IL Paul Hursh William Sculthorpe Ed Schekelhoff Mina Landes Samuel A Carr, CA Thomas W. Fisher, MD Raymond Mahaffy Ernest Maxwell
1972	Alma C. Duke, VA William C. Ashley, Jr., VA Jody Smith, IL William C. Lee, IN	1986	Jane H. Dustin, IN George K. Reagles, MN Edward J. Moore, IA Ted and Francoise Gianoutsos, MD
1973	Burton Marston, WY Peggy Briney, AZ Jack Locks, MI Arthur Fishback, IN		

1987	Harold E. McCoy Allen Morton Roy C. Kalmerton Edwin B. Abbott	James Hill Ted Larimer Gene and Myrtle Shove Lyman Wilkinson Mike Williams Ted and Kelly Ellis
1988	Terrance McCloskey, IN Elizabeth McCloskey, IN Roy Sebald, WI Nelson Ross, TN Edward Ehlert, WI Lloyd Kelley, MI	1998 Joseph X. DiNovo Pete Evick Steve and Celia Palmer Lewis Vavra Bobby Wright
1989	Paul Cyphert, WV Hazel Hendrickson, IA Robert Lindholm, IA John Garner Patricia Honeycutt, OR Ken Conley, IN David Surber, OH Elmer Kaufman, OH	1999 Elaine Kirsch Dave and Patricia Carr Tim Ames William deCamp Robert Frazee Chuck Clayton William Boyd
1990	Felix Gajewski Victor Stueland Phil Tucker Roy Frank Margaret Mitchell Lester Krall	2000 Jim Madsen Robert Mabie Kevin Flowers Don Phares Jean Ross Robert Stegmier
1991	Ruth Saari, MN James Sweeney, IN Don and Mary Hoepfner, IL Donald and Marjorie Tank, NE Sam Carr, CA	2001 R. Max Peterson Jeff Hedtke Charles Woosley Robert Green Marlon Meade
1992	Arlington - Fairfax Chapter, VA Cass Co. Chapter, MN Suffolk - Nansemond Chapter, VA Kenneth Conley, IN Carl Keeler, FL	2002 George Smolka Gail Weese Homer Tinney Jeffrey Deschamps McCook Lake Chapter Tony Dean Arthur Ladehoff Jesse Taylor Kenneth Northrup Thomas Hylden Donald Crouse Bobby Wright
1993	Bob Montgomery, MD Ed Lopez, MD T. Warren Fisher, MD Lee Irwin, PA	2003 Andrew Kissner Richard Hamrick Raymond Zehler James Piateski Anthony Bridgett Steve Byers Don Galloway
1994	Lawrence Dietz, WV Edmund Boroski Harry Crow, MD Dale Braun, IA Kenneth Carvell, WV Winfield Drissel, MD	2004 Ronald Kuipers Joel Folman Steve Horning Bruce and Elinor Evans William & Mary Haire Meo Curtis Arthur Janovsky Jack Ware
1995	Ray Koffler, PA Kenneth Conley, IN Birtrun Kidwell, VA Norman Fluegel, IA Dr. Roger Strand, MN Dale and Glenyce Kretchman, OH	
1996	Richard Eichelkraut, IL Kenneth Jones, SD Norris Weible, NE	
1997	Thomas Warren Fisher Gorman Fry	

2005	Peg Briney Sandy Burk Darrell Ferrell Leon Lehman Bruce Lemmert	Gerald Schlekeway
		2009 Thomas L. Kornbau Byron Mezick Mitchell Norman Don Thomason
2006	Michelle Chesnut George Coakley Byron Mezick E. John Trimberger Glenice Rhodas Bill Legg	2010 Jodi L. Arndt L.W. "Jack" Davis Margaret Schulz Steven L. Swartz Victor P. Smith Nels Thompson Clara R. Walters Victor Weese Jay Winn
2007	Dave Bixler David Jacobson Joseph Logan John Meister Roger Sears Gregg A. Thompson Victor Thompson	2011 Lester Abbott Robert Blosser Meosotis C. Curtis Thomas R. Holm W. Michael Lane Timothy R. Russell Larry Snyder
2008	Archie Cain Robert Chapman George Collett Harold Goeden	

## BEST CHAPTER MEMBER RECRUITMENT AWARD

This award and monetary gift recognizes the chapter with the most effective membership recruitment and retention programs during the past year.

2005	Sunshine Chapter, South Dakota
2006	None
2007	Alexandria Chapter, Virginia
2008	Loudoun County Chapter, Virginia
2009	Ames Chapter, Iowa
2010	Harry Enstrom Chapter, Pennsylvania
2011	Fredericksburg-Rappahannock Chapter, Virginia

## THELMA “PETE” REED MEMORIAL AWARD

This award recognizes the member who has volunteered in many conservation projects, educational efforts, community service, or chapter leadership development, and is not serving as a national leader of the League, but is considered an “up and coming” future League leader.

1998	Linda McGonegal, Virginia	2006	Meosotis C. Curtis, Maryland
1999	None	2007	Donald Thomason, West Virginia
2000	Richard E. Hargis, Ohio	2008	Steven L. Schwartz, Maryland
2001	None	2009	James Thomas, California
2002	None	2010	Julie Gilson, Maryland
2003	Jeffrey R. Deschamps, Maryland	2011	Wanda Gerard, Virginia
2004	S. Michelle Chesnut, Maryland		
2005	Jeff Bower, Iowa		

## OUTDOOR AMERICA’S FUTURE AWARD

This award recognizes the IWLA youth or student member who has volunteered in many conservation projects, educational efforts, community service, or chapter leadership development, and is considered an “up and coming” future League leader.

2007	Alexandria Tanner, Ohio
2008	Sydney Hoffman, South Dakota
2009	None
2010	None
2011	Stanley M. Jarosz, III, Indiana

## STANFORD ADAMS MEMORIAL LEADERSHIP AWARD

This IWLA Executive Board’s award recognizes the national director, director-at-large, or regional governor judged to have shown a commitment to the duties and responsibilities that come with their leadership position.

2009	Dean Knight
2010	Dr. Charles I. Wiles, Jr.
2011	John R. Dickel



# JAMES LAWTON CHILDS MEMORIAL AWARD

A monetary gift and award presented annually to the chapter deemed  
most outstanding in conservation activity achievements

1930	Minneapolis, Minnesota	1972	Cape May County, New Jersey
1931	Casper, Wyoming	1973	Wabash, Indiana
1932	Laramie, Wyoming	1974	Howard County, Indiana
1933	Laramie, Wyoming	1975	None
1934	Argos, Indiana	1976	Fredericksburg-Rappahannock, Virginia
1935	Knoxville, Tennessee	1977	Redwood Empire, California
1936	Las Animas County, Colorado	1978	None
1937	Argos, Indiana	1979	McCook Lake, South Dakota
1938	Utica, New York	1980	Woodbury County, Iowa
1939	Akron, Ohio	1981	None
1940	Fort Wayne, Indiana	1982	Marshall County, Iowa
1941	St. John, North Dakota	1983	Marshall County, Iowa
1942	St. John, North Dakota	1984	Eugene, Oregon
1943	St. John, North Dakota	1985	Eugene, Oregon
1944	Des Moines, Iowa	1986	Eugene, Oregon
1945	Fort Wayne, Indiana	1987	Homewood Memorial, Illinois
1946	Mile High, Colorado	1988	None
1947	Emerson Hough, Iowa	1989	Manatee-Sarasota, Florida
1948	Fond du Lac, Wisconsin	1990	W. J. McCabe, Minnesota
1949	Sanborn, Oklahoma	1991	Northern Kentucky, Kentucky
1950	Grand Valley, Colorado	1992	Agassiz, Minnesota
1951	Sanborn, Oklahoma	1993	York #67, Pennsylvania
1952	Lynchburg, Virginia	1994	Kampeska, South Dakota
1953	Portland, Oregon	1995	Greater Ozarks, Missouri
1954	Sanborn, Oklahoma	1996	Harford County, Maryland
1955	Portland, Oregon	1997	Cincinnati, Ohio
1956	Front Range, Colorado	1998	Rockville, Maryland
1957	Davenport, Iowa	1999	Agassiz, Minnesota
1958	Rochester, Minnesota	2000	Rockville, Maryland
1959	Rochester, Minnesota	2001	Mountaineer, West Virginia
1960	Harford County, Maryland	2002	Eugene, Oregon
1961	Dwight Lydell, Michigan	2003	Silverton, Oregon
1962	None	2004	Rockville, Maryland
1963	None	2005	Wildlife Achievement, Maryland
1964	None	2006	None
1965	None	2007	Zip Little , West Virginia
1966	Miller, Indiana	2008	Wildlife Achievement, Maryland
1967	None	2009	Mountaineer Chapter, West Virginia
1968	Howard County, Indiana	2010	Bethesda-Chevy Chase Chapter, Maryland
1969	None	2011	West Central Chapter, Iowa
1970	Howard County, Indiana		
1971	None		