

SHELTER ISLAND LIONS CLUB CITIZENSHIP AWARD

Submission Guidelines for 2025

For its prestigious Citizenship Award the Shelter Island Lions Club selects annually (an) individual(s) who has/have demonstrated outstanding voluntary service to the Shelter Island community. The Shelter Island Lions Club recognizes that outstanding citizenship describes a member of society whose service to the community far exceeds the duties and obligations that are the normal functions of being a citizen.

The Shelter Island Lions Club Citizenship Award Committee seeks nominations for the award from all members of the Shelter Island community. Nominated individuals need not be members of the Shelter Island Lions Club. The Shelter Island Lions Club Board votes on the nominations and selects (an) awardee(s) at its meeting in March. The award is usually presented at a dinner in May to which all Islanders are invited and a description of the service performed by the awardee(s) is published in the Shelter Island Reporter and Shelter Island Gazette.

The following are general guidelines to be considered when nominating individuals for the Citizenship Award:

1. The person or persons should have demonstrated a profound commitment to serve in a voluntary capacity the needs of the people of Shelter Island.
2. This award recognizes people who, through exceptional efforts, have made outstanding contributions to the well-being of the Shelter Island community and whose assistance was given without expectation of recognition or reward.
3. The service provided may have been in either a leadership or a following role.
4. Nominee(s) may have been nominated in previous years, but must not have received the award. A list of previous awardees is provided on the following page.
5. A nomination form is provided and additional pages may be used as needed.
6. Nominations may be mailed, e-mailed, faxed or given to one of the Committee members, no later than Saturday, February 15, 2025. The names of members of the Shelter Island Lions Club 2025 Citizenship Award Committee are provided below.

Mailing Address: Shelter Island Lions Club
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Citizenship Award Committee: Frank Adipietro, MD, Ken Pysker, Jim Read, Frank Vecchio and Mary Faith Westervelt

Previous Shelter Island Lions Club Citizenship Awardees

Barice Nevel

Eugene Tybaert

Isabel Bowditch

Gregory Price

Leonard Bliss

John W. Hallman

Albert Springer

Frederic Gurney

Patricia Lenox

Winnie Dickerson

Jim and Gen Wilson

Judy Sherman and Joy Bausman

Diane Kilb

Andrew and Alice Fiske

Jacqueline Tuttle

Peter MacLean

Clara Barksdale

William Grimbol

Thelma Getty

George Walsh

Huson Sherman

Frank Klenawicus

Ben Jones and Arthur 'Bud' Fox

Dr. Alex Garcia

Cliff Clark

Jim Messer and Janalyn Travis
Messer

Gertrude Bourne

Mimi Brennan

Dr. Frank and Mary Ellen Adipietro

Alan J. Krauss

Alfred J. Kilb, Jr.

Paul Mobius

Mark & Mary Kanarvogel

Joseph O'Brien

Howard Brandenstein

Michael Coles

Richard and Edith Petry

John (Jack) Monaghan

Phil Power

Tippi and Al Bevan

Anu and John Kaasik

Richie Surozenski

Marilynn and Ken Pysher

Donald D'Amato

Emily and Dana Hallman

