



Gainesville-Alachua County
Cultural Affairs Board
Arts Awards



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The Gainesville-Alachua County Cultural Affairs Board Arts Awards recognize those individuals and businesses that have made significant contributions to the advancement of the arts in our community.

Annual Arts Award is presented to an individual who has contributed to the arts in the city and county.

Lifetime Arts Award is presented to an individual who has made significant and sustained contributions to the arts over a number of years.

Business Arts Award is presented to a business that has made a contribution by offering or sponsoring arts events.

The following are general guidelines the board will use to evaluate nominees.

- Their overall dedication the arts in Gainesville and Alachua County
- Providing greater access to the arts for all citizens
- Major involvement in arts programs
- Creation of new and innovative arts programs
- Creation of new venues for the arts
- Involvement in arts programming for children
- Involvement in arts programming for underserved citizens
- Significant sustained contributions to the arts over a period of time
- Individuals who have increased awareness of the arts and stress their positive impact on the entire community.

Anyone may submit a nomination. Nominations should be completed on the Gainesville Alachua County Cultural Affairs Board nomination form and forwarded to staff at:

City of Gainesville Department of Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs
P.O. Box 490 ❖ Station 24
Gainesville, FL 32627-0490

Nominations must be received by: November 18, 2011

For More Information Please Contact: Lisa Julseth, 393-8182, julsethl@cityofgainesville.org

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Annual Arts Award: Lifetime Arts Award: Business Arts Award:

Nominee: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Nominator: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Describe in detail the nature of the contributions the nominee has provided in the community.

Describe the impact of that service to the community, especially service to children and underserved populations.

Describe any personal attributes of the nominee that you feel contribute to their success.

Please use the back of the form or add additional pages if needed. You may include other separate information in the submission if you wish.



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2001-2010



ANNUAL ARTS AWARD WINNERS

- 2001 - Carol Velasquez
- 2002 - None
- 2003 - Robert Ponzio
- 2004 - Scott Koons
- 2005 - Cultural Arts Coalition
- 2006 - Gainesville Chamber Orchestra
- 2007 - Norma Homan
- 2008 - Rhonda Wilson
- 2009 - None
- 2010 - William Eyerly

LIFETIME ARTS AWARD WINNERS

- 2001 - Doris Bardon
- 2002 - None
- 2003 - Judy Skinner
- 2004 - Lemuel Moore
- 2005 - Vivian Filer & Joni Messler (Joint Award)
- 2006 - Nina Cameron
- 2007 - Bob Garrigues
- 2008 - Mary Hausch
- 2009 - N'Kwanda Jah, Eleanor Blair
- 2010 - Coni Gesualdi

BUSINESS ARTS AWARD WINNERS

- 2009 - Michael Blachly University Performing Arts
- 2010 - Dance Alive National Ballet - Judy Skinner & Kim Tuttle

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