



**NATIONAL AWARDS
NOMINATION FORMS**

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INTRODUCTION

As part of AYP's member recognition program the Association presents three National Awards at each National Conference, which recognize individuals for their major and career-long contributions to AYP and/or the YMCA.

The nominations and selection process for these awards is managed by the Leadership Development Committee of the AYP National Board.

A fourth award, recognizing Meritorious Service, may be bestowed as well. A description of each of these awards is in the following paragraphs.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Please review the award criteria carefully and follow the instructions for completing the nomination forms.

Nomination forms must printed or typed and filled out completely

Selection process:

Nominations for the four awards will be solicited through a variety of sources (AYP National Board members, chapter presidents, and other AYP leaders — past and present).

The National Board's Leadership Development Committee screens nominees and selects recipients for ratification by the Board. Special consideration will be given to individuals who have been active members of AYP throughout their YMCA career.

The recipients are announced and honored at the AYP National Conference and featured in the annual recognitions April "Book of Lists" issue of *Perspective*.

NOMINEE PROFILE

Name _____ Position _____.

YMCA _____

YMCA Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____.

Telephone _____ AYP Member # _____ Exp. Date: _____.

Email _____

Kuenzli-Hall Award - FORM 1

The Kuenzli-Hall Award recognizes an AYP member's outstanding career and accomplishments as a YMCA professional, especially in the development of others. Recipients must have clearly demonstrated an interest in and contribution to the growth of colleagues; be known for achievements which are recognized as national in scope; and embody the qualities of excellence, leadership and professional maturity found in the lives and careers of G. Gary Kuenzli and Dr. Lawrence K. Hall.

Describe why you feel the nominee should receive this award.

Nominator's Name _____ Date: _____

Nominator's Signature _____ Tel. # _____

Roberts-Gulick Memorial Award - FORM 2

The Roberts-Gulick Memorial Award recognizes an AYP member's distinguished leadership, service and noteworthy contribution to the field of YMCA Physical Education, Healthy Lifestyles and Youth Sports. Created in 1930 by the Physical Education Society, it was named in honor of Robert J. Roberts and Dr. Luther H. Gulick. Recipients must be known for achievements which are recognized as national in scope and impact; have clearly demonstrated a contribution to physical education, health, wellness, and youth sports program development; and embody the qualities of excellence, leadership and professional maturity found in the lives and careers of Robert J. Roberts and Dr. Luther H. Gulick.

Describe why you feel the nominee should receive this award.

Nominator's Name _____ Date: _____

Nominator's Signature _____ Tel. # _____

A.G. Knebel Award - FORM 3

The A.G. Knebel Award recognizes an AYP member's distinguished leadership, service and noteworthy contribution to the field of YMCA program work. Created in 1979 by the National Program Section, the award was named in honor of Aaron G. Knebel, a well-known and influential YMCA Secretary in the early 1900's. Recipients must be known for active involvement and career-long achievements, related to the field of YMCA program services that are national in scope and impact; and recognized for direct or indirect contributions in the area of program development.

Describe why you feel the nominee should receive this award.

Nominator's Name _____ Date: _____

Nominator's Signature _____ Tel. # _____

Meritorious Service Award - FORM 4

Bestowed at the discretion of the AYP National Board, the Meritorious Service Award recognizes an AYP member or YMCA volunteer for dedicated service, leadership, and outstanding contributions to the Association or YMCA Movement. Because of its special nature, nominations may be made directly to the AYP National Board Chair at any time.

Describe why you feel the nominee should receive this award.

Nominator's Name _____ Date: _____

Nominator's Signature _____ Tel. # _____