



**PRAIRIE SCHOOL FOUNDATION
PRIDE OF PRAIRIE AWARD
CALL FOR NOMINATIONS**

Recognizing a dedicated District Volunteer who has positively impacted Prairie.

Please consider nominating someone today who represents the **Pride of Prairie**. This prestigious award is presented annually by the Prairie School Foundation to give recognition to, and show appreciation for, an individual(s) who exemplifies the Prairie Spirit and a loyal commitment to our Prairie Schools.

While school employees may be nominated, preference is given to a volunteer (s) who have shown dedication to Prairie Kids. The Pride of Prairie selection committee will choose the recipient based on your input. The more details you provide the better.

Examples of previous recipients have included volunteerism with Prairie Music Association, Prairie Booster Club, Prairie PTO, Prairie School Foundation, Classroom or organization volunteer, and other school organizations.

Please include with a single-page Letter of Nomination (thank you for your nomination):

- Nominee's Name
- Date submitted
- Description of the nominee's Prairie involvement
- How long have they been involved/Estimated number of students impacted
- Special anecdotes or qualities have you observed in this individual
- Additional Comments

Kindly submit your Letter of Nomination, your name and contact information, **by noon, Friday, October 13th, 2023** to:

Prairie School Foundation Director, Randy Rumery
401 76th Ave. SW, Cedar Rapids, IA 52404-703
or Email rrumery@crprairie.org.

Please [click here](#) for Pride of Prairie information and a list of previous recipients

Congratulations With Genuine Appreciation to Past Recipients:

1985 Mary Hynek	1986 George Joens
1987 Joyce Anderson	1988 Jack Hayes
1989 Larry Hardin	1990 Nancy Cook
1991 Ron Nove	1992 Florence & Bill Glass
1993 Ed Hielers	1994 Joanne Chadima
1995 Bonnie Becicka	1996 Sandy Flatgard
1997 John Randles	1998 Phyl Britcher
1999 Pam & Larry Langton	2000 George Chadima
2001 Glenn Selzer	2002 Becky & Roger Neuhaus
2003 Mick Starceвич	2004 Vicki Hyland
2005 Ken Hanzlik	2006 Craig & Karen Vondracek
2007 Tom & Linda Carver	2008 Marilyn Miller
2009 Patti Joe Scheel	2010 Julie Farmer
2011 Al Soukup	
2012 Charter Foundation Members	
Sherry Pipkin	James Macek
John Anderson	Norman Humble
Dwight Hughes	Ron Nove
Bonnie Becicka	Bill Bach
George Chadima	
2013 Greg & Debbie Erenberger	2014 Kathy Waychoff
2015 Mary & Charlie Gudenkauf	2016 (Spring) Randy Bauer
2016 (Fall) Dean Schrader	2017 Mike Fisher
	2017 Mark Smyth
2018 Steve & Terri Howes	2019 Amy Ellis
2020 No awards due to Covid	2021 No awards due to Covid
2022 Kendra Hanzlik	