

COMMUNITY ARTS AWARDS

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Community Members,

I appreciate you taking the time to nominate an outstanding member of our community to receive an Arts Award. Please be aware that each nominee will be evaluated on the basis of leadership, impact and commitment to the arts. For the evaluation process there are specific questions and responses needed for each type of award. Each response has a corresponding point associated with it, combining for a total evaluation score of 100 points.

Support materials are appreciated and considered as part of the evaluation process. However, nominations and support materials **will not** be returned. In addition to letters of recommendation, news clippings, reviews and references to and/or samples or work (video or audio) are an important part of the nomination process. Quality of the supporting material is more important than the quantity.

Nominations should be submitted using the attached form, preferably using the fillable .pdf file. Supporting information should be included at the time of the nomination submission.

The Pleasant Grove Arts Commission must receive all nominations by Friday, January 18, 2013.

Submit nominations to:

April Harrison, Arts & Culture Director
70 South 100 East
Pleasant Grove, UT 84062

- The Arts Commission and City Council of Pleasant Grove maintain the right to final selection of award winners.
- Not every category may be awarded each year.
- Should your nominee not be selected this year, nominations will be kept for three award cycles. Multiple nominations in the same year do not increase the nominee's competitiveness for an award.

The Community Arts Awards Night will be held later in February and will be *"by invitation only"* for city council members, arts commission members, recipients and their immediate families.

Thank you for your nominations,

Wendy Vincent
Chairman, Pleasant Grove Arts Commission

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AWARD CATEGORIES

1. Mayor's Art Award

The Mayor, in conjunction with the Pleasant Grove Arts Commission, recognizes an artist or leader in their field of the arts. The nominee has a significant history of creative activity, may have received local and/or national acclaim, and has influenced our community through art. This award encompasses all art forms, including but not limited to, visual, musical, theatrical, literary, performing, multi-media, architecture or design.

2. Grove Award

The Grove Award celebrates the work and creative efforts of those individuals who specifically participate in and/or with the program groups affiliated with the Pleasant Grove Arts Commission. (Approved groups are: Pleasant Grove Orchestra, PG Players, Utah Children's Choir, Center Stage Youth Performers, Concerts in the Park and sponsored Visual Arts programs). The recipient is a person whose work and efforts have contributed to the community of Pleasant Grove and exemplifies the values of PGAC.

3. Young Artist Award

The Young Artist Award is designed to encourage and recognize the next generation of artists in our community. The winner is an incoming high school senior who is nominated by their arts teacher, director or a community member as a young artist who has had an impact both in their field of study and in our community.

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NOMINEE INFORMATION

Name:

Company, if applicable:

Address:

City:

State

Zip:

Home Phone:

Mobile Phone

Work Phone:

Email:

NOMINATOR INFORMATION

Name:

Company, if applicable:

Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Home Phone:

Mobile Phone:

Work Phone:

Email:

Please check the award for which you are submitting a nomination:

Mayor's Art Award

Grove Award

Young Artist Award

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1. Describe the nominee's achievement in the arts. Consideration will be given to how their life, beyond their individual acts, have an impact on arts and community and how they may have mentored others to take on a similar role. (30 point maximum)
2. What makes this nominee deserving of the Mayor's Arts Award? (20 point maximum)
3. How does this nominee's work enhance and impact the community in our area? How would the community be impacted if this nominee was not a part of our community? (20 point maximum)
4. Describe the impact this artist has had on his/her peers. Mention the specific project or programs that they have been involved in that have made substantial contributions to the arts. (15 point maximum)
5. If applicable, list any personal or professional obstacles the nominee has overcome in achieving their level of success in the arts, how the nominee has inspired or mentored others. (15 point maximum)

