

## Washington State Association of Senior Centers AWARD RECIPIENTS

Each year the Washington State Association of Senior Centers honors outstanding individuals and organizations at the Spring Conference. The current categories are:

Professional Award  
New Professional Award (Rising Star)  
Organizational/Advocate Award  
Best New Senior Center Program/Activity Award

*You are encouraged to offer recognition to those in your center, your community and this organization by nominating them for these awards. Check out the WSASC website: [www.wsasc.org](http://www.wsasc.org) for more information.*

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2018	Professional Rising Star	Dave Tosch Kira Avery
2017	Professional Rising Star Program/Activity Community Connection	Information to be updated
2016	Professional Rising Star Program/Activity Community Connection	Information to be updated
2015	Professional Rising Star Program/Activity Community Connection	Information to be updated
2014	Professional Rising Star Program/Activity Community Connection	Information to be updated
2013	Professional	Sheri McConnaghey & Jobyna Nickum

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2012	Professional Rising Star Community Connection	Rocky Kirwin Bophary Du Teri Burke
2011	Professional Rising Star Program/Activity Community Connection	Ruth Tolmasoff Joyce Schulz Allie Mason and Jennifer Robinson Antonia Kerney
2010	Professional Rising Star Program/Activity	Kristy Dunn Linda Croasdill ShapeUp Program (Burien)
2009	Professional Rising Star	Vince Guerrero Stephanie Watson
2008	Professional Rising Star	John Fiskum and Steve Bell Jennifer Robinson
2007	Professional Rising Star Best New Senior Center Program/Activity	Kathleen Armstrong Allie Mason Enumclaw Senior Activity Center & Buckley Senior Center-Plateau Senior Walkathon
2006	Professional Organizational Rising Star Lifetime Achievement Best New Senior Center Program/Activity	Kathleen Cummings Bainbridge Island Senior & Community Center-SHIBA Michael Smith Cheryl Sallee Margaret Scehovic SeaTac Senior Center's Tour De Lunch Program
2005	Professional Organizational New Professional Lifetime Achievement	Michelle Williams Enumclaw Rotary Cindy Whitman Susan Manthou and Michael Spinale
2004	Professional New Professional Best New Program	Jerry Unruh and Margaret Scehovic Chris Pauk Bellingham & Blaine Senior Center Fitness Center
2003	Professional Organizational Rising Star	Lea Bishop CA-RE of Met Mortgage & Securities Co. Cindy Vandenberg
2002	Professional Rising Star	Susan Manthou Mary Malvey

2001	Professional Organizational Rising Star	Jerry Warren Radio One of Port Angeles Rocky Kirwin
2000	Professional Organizational Rising Star	Michael Spinale UM Senior Uncover Money Solutions Karen Kitt-Chapman
1999	Professional Rising Star	Radine Lozier Jerry Unruh
1998	Rising Star	Bonnie Williams
1997	Professional Organizational	Mary Smith S.T.A.R.S., Lakewood, WA and McChord AFB Top 3 Assoc.
1996	Professional Organizational  Rising Star	Roxann Dunn-Terry Monroe Police Officers & Soroptimist International of Anacortes JoAnne Knecht
1995	Professional Organizational Rising Star	Scott Niemeier Unicare of Spokane Rainey Kay Stolp and Karen Cornell
1994	Professional Organizational Rising Star	Helena Reynolds Smokey Point Safeway Bonita McLean
1993	Professional Organizational Rising Star	Becky Lorber Camwood Senior Center Housing Kristin Hocker
1992	Professional Organizational Rising Star	Karen Marshall, Jan Cooley, & Carol Mooney American Legion Aux. #43 Sedro-Woolley Jobyna Nickum
1991	Professional Organizational	Denise Nichols Vista Volunteers
1990	Professional	Marianne LeGerfo
1989	Professional Organizational	Emma Gleason, Senior Services of South Sound Big Brothers & Big Sisters of Whatcom County
1988	Advocate Organizational	C.B. Winslow, WA WA National Gas, Seattle and Kent Medical Center

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1987	Professional Advocate Organizational	Cheryl Sallee Jean Brooks, King Co. Aging Meridian Kiwanis of Kent & Kiwanis of the Valley Auburn
1986	Advocate Organizational	Journal American Newspaper in Bellevue Kiwanis Club of Senior Citizens of Lacey
1985	Professional	Louise Vaught
1984	Professional	Karen Martin Powers
1983	Professional Organizational	Jean Hordyk Lynden Branch of Safeway Stores

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