

ANNUAL BANQUET & AWARDS



Each year the Chamber Board of Directors honors businesses and community members with a variety of meaningful and deserving awards. They honor businesses for their innovation, celebrate their vision, and publicly appreciate their contributions to the quality of life in our community and at their workplace.

The businesses and individuals honored have a positive impact on the Spearfish community from volunteerism to financial donations to protecting the places we love and cherish.

These awards are selected from nominations received each year. All nominations are reviewed by a committee comprised of Chamber Board members and past award recipients; finalists are ratified by the full Board of Directors. For a business or individual to be on the slate, a current nomination must be submitted. If you have nominated a business or individual in the past and they were not the finalist, please submit a new nomination form.

WE ARE CURRENTLY SEEKING NOMINATIONS! NOMINATE A DESERVING BUSINESS OR INDIVIDUAL TODAY!

Spirit of Spearfish Award: Given to an individual that lives and breathes Spearfish, who goes above and beyond serving the community and whose overall contributions better our community.

Micropolitan Award: A business that positively enhances the Spearfish business community via service, innovation, and expansion and continues to strive to keep Spearfish moving forward.

Lifetime Achievement Award: To celebrate business success, this award is given to a business or individual that has supported Spearfish for over twenty years and has been a continuous member of the Spearfish Area Chamber of Commerce.

Young Professional of the Year Award: This award is designed to further foster the goals set by the Spearfish Chamber YP group 'The Hook' to dynamically enhance the community of Spearfish through effective leadership, professional development, and networking for ongoing growth & impact. Active involvement with The Hook-YP group is highly encouraged but not required.

Business Beautification Award: The business beautification award will recognize a local business or organization for their overall beautification efforts, enhancing our community visually, and making it inviting for current and potential residents.

The Spearfish Area Chamber of Commerce 102nd Annual Banquet & Awards

Congratulations to the past Recipients

Spirit of Spearfish Award

2007 Joe Jorgensen
2008 Johanna Meier
2009 Carol Lundberg
2010 Leo Bakeberg
2011 Ida Marie Snortland
2012 Jerry Krambeck
2013 Dan & Karol Green
2014 Karen Bridges
2015 Paul Young
2016 Elaine Doll-Dunn
2017 Dr. Forrest Brady
2018 Beth Benning
2019 Priscilla Romkema
2020 Zac Eixenberger

Micropolitan Award

2007 Nic's Nax
2008 Spearfish Chophouse
2009 Dan Diego's Tortilla Factory
2010 Termesphere Gallery
2011 Crow Peak Brewery
2012 Spearfish Creek Wine Bar
2013 Dakota V-Twin
2014 Western Sky Media
2015 BHSU Alumni Joy Center
2016 Lucky's 13 Pub
2017 Camp Native
2018 Black Hills Food Hub
2019 High Mountain Outfitters
2020 Blue Spruce Coffee Truck & Hut

Lifetime Achievement Award

2007 Taco John's
2008 Sand Creek Printing
2009 Heisler's Ace Hardware
2010 Ainsworth-Benning Construction
2011 Gene's Lock Shop
2012 Dana Dental Arts
2013 Spearfish Regional Hospital
2014 Northern Hills Training Center
2015 Bay Leaf Café
2016 Pioneer Bank & Trust
2017 Joe Jorgenson
2018 Larry W. Veitz (posthumous)
2018 Barb Cline
2019 Vick Uttke
2020 Harvey Krauschum

Young Professional of the Year

2014 Jenny Greslin
2015 Chris Nelson
2016 April Gregory
2017 Katie Peterson
2018 Jennifer Jungwirth
2019 Andrea Bakeberg
2020 Aleisha Huppler

Business Beautification Award

2014 Great Peaks Realty
2015 Quik Signs
2016 Black Hills Community Bank
2017 The Glass Shop
2018 Qdoba / City Brew
2019 Building on Jackson & Main
2020 Studio 621

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Nomination Deadline January 8, 2021

Submit to:

Spearfish Area Chamber of Commerce
106 W. Kansas Street, Spearfish, SD 57783

Fax: 605-642-7310 Email: director@spearfishchamber.org

Please choose the award you are nominating for:

Spirit of Spearfish _____

Micropolitan _____

Lifetime Achievement _____

Young Professional _____

Business Beautification _____

Your Contact Information:

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

This information will only be used if a question should arise; it will not be sold or used internally for additional purposes.

Please attach additional sheets if necessary.

Name of Nominee _____ Main

Contact _____ Phone

_____ Email _____

Reason for Nomination: