

Educator Of The Year Guidelines

The Educator of the Year Award is designed to promote Sun Lakes Rotary as well as recognize and reward excellence in Education as reflected in the School District and the general Community.

Candidates for awards should follow the guidelines listed below:

Complete the nomination form found on the Sun Lakes Rotary website SunLakesRotary.com and provide all required documentation.

Follow specific instructions and submit the nomination and documentation to Sun Lakes Rotary Club, Attn: Grace Wilson-Woods, P.O. Box 13094, Sun Lakes, AZ 85248.

Each applicant will be notified by email when complete application is received. Keep a copy of all information submitted.

Three (3) finalists will be selected and required to present their ideas to the Sun Lakes Rotary Club members at a March 2019 breakfast meeting. The winner will be the applicant with the most total points during the final vote. The winner will be notified by April 30, 2019.

Award: \$1000 check and an honorary 6 month membership in Sun Lakes Rotary Club, July - December 2019.

Eligibility: Candidate must be an Educator in good standing in **Chandler Unified School District** (CUSD) and Community.

Candidate must self-nominate and show ability/interest in Sun Lakes Rotary and promotion of Rotary.

Candidate does not have to be a previous Sun Lakes Rotary Teacher of the Month

Not Eligible: Nominations from members/educators of Sun Lakes Rotary

Rotary members may not be one of the applicant's references/recommendations

Schedule: Call for nominations – August 2018
Nomination deadline – January 31, 2019
Winner Notified – April 30, 2019
Presentation Award Dinner Meeting – May 2019

The Rotary selection committee reserves the right to:

Award annually and/or consider all nominations received and not present an award if no nominations of sufficient stature are received.

**Sun Lakes Rotary
Sandy Lundberg Educator of the Year Award
Application**

Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

School: _____ Years in Education: _____

List: Positions/ Responsibilities (past 5 years)

List: Community and Distinguished Leadership Achievements:

List: Volunteer Activities/Organizations:

(A) List the names of the three recommendations attached to this application.
(No recommendations from Rotary members)

1.

2.

3.

(B) Attach three (3) letters of recommendations to your application.
(Only one recommendation should be from school district personnel)

(C) State any connection or participation in Rotary.
(If no Rotary participation, it **will not** be counted against applicant.)

(D) Describe your position as an Educator. State with details what initiatives you would use to promote Rotary all year in that position, such as developing activities which highlight Rotary ideals and ultimately will increase overall Rotary visibility in the classroom and community. Discuss possible barriers and/or positives.

(E) Additional Comments