



2016 Wichita Aero Club Trophy Nomination

Nominees for the Trophy

The Wichita Aero Club Trophy will be awarded annually to a living person(s), group, or organization with a strong relationship to the greater Wichita area. The nominee(s) will be considered on the basis of exemplary achievements in the field of aviation or aerospace based on the following criteria:

- a. One or more exemplary achievement(s) in the field of aviation and/or aerospace within the most recent calendar year of selection or
- b. a cumulative career of significant achievements and contributions within the aviation and/or aerospace industries.

Past Recipients

2015: Doc's Friends, B-29 Superfortress Restoration Project

2014: Russ Meyer, Chairman Emeritus of Cessna Aircraft Company

2013: John O'Leary, Vice President of Engineering for Airbus Americas Engineering

2012: Jeff Turner, CEO Spirit AeroSystems and Spirit AeroSystems

2011: Mrs. Velma L. Wallace, Cessna Aircraft Company and philanthropist

Nominee Submission

Electronic submission is preferred. We ask that you supply the following documents:

- 2016 Wichita Aero Club Trophy Nomination Form
- Nominee Justification
- Supporting Documents

2016 Wichita Aero Club Trophy Nomination Form

Complete the form on the following page.

Nominee Justification

The justification for the nomination must be limited to two (2) pages and should state concisely the specific achievement(s) and/or contribution(s) for which the nominee is being cited.

Supporting Documents

Attachments of supportive letters, testimonials, or reprints of articles, etc., will also be considered, but should relate closely to the two-page justification.

Nomination Deadline

The deadline for receiving nominations for the Wichita Aero Club Trophy is **October 10, 2014**

Nominations can be sent via email to dfranson@wichitaeroclub.org.

Selection Process

The Wichita Aero Club Trophy Selection Committee will review the nominations and select a winner to be announced at the NBAA Convention. The Trophy will be presented at the WAC Trophy Ball, usually scheduled for late January. All nomination materials will become property of the WAC.

On behalf of the Wichita Aero Club Trophy Selection Committee, we thank you for taking the time to submit a nomination.

Sincerely,

Ashley Bowen Cook
Trophy Selection Committee Chair



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Person Nominating

The identity of nominators will remain proprietary.

Name: _____

Title: _____

Company: _____

Affiliation (if applicable): _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

Nominee Information

Person/Group/Department and/or company: _____

Title (if applicable): _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

Citation

A citation that captures the essence of the exemplary achievements in the field of aviation or aerospace for which the nomination is being submitted is required and should be 40 words or less.

Example: By focusing on execution and cost management, Jeff Turner and Spirit AeroSystems have grown their customer base, maintained exceptional financial and operational performance in a difficult economy and become the design/build provider of choice for commercial aviation.

Nominee Citation:

Justification
