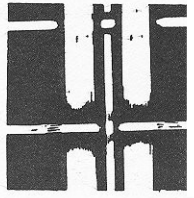


NEW HAMPSHIRE ART EDUCATORS' ASSOCIATION



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# NHAEA

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**New Hampshire Art Educator of the Year**  
The Awards Committee  
of the  
New Hampshire Art Educators' Association  
is calling for  
APPLICATIONS  
for the  
2012-2013  
Art Educator of the Year Award  
ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY  
JUNE 16, 2012

# NHAEA ART EDUCATOR OF THE YEAR AWARD 2010 - 2011

The rubric is included for your information. It does not need to be returned with the nomination packet.

## **Scoring Rubric**

**Scoring Criteria:**

- 0 - no evidence
- 1 - minimal evidence of teaching activities
- 2 - some evidence, but is weak or unclear
- 3 - adequate, expected level
- 4 - above average support, anecdotal worthy of note
- 5 - exceptional documentation, clearly supportive of excellence

- 0 1 2 3 4 5 Nominee's philosophy on Art Education
- 0 1 2 3 4 5 Recommendations (three letters)
- 0 1 2 3 4 5 Art Advocacy: School and community activities; program initiation and participation
- 0 1 2 3 4 5 Art Advocacy: State and National Involvement
- 0 1 2 3 4 5 Excellence in classroom/school teaching is clearly identified
- 0 1 2 3 4 5 Outreach: bringing the greater community into the classroom and beyond
- 0 1 2 3 4 5 Quality of documentation \*
- 0 1 2 3 4 5 Professional presentation of the nomination packet  
(Not to exceed the equivalent of a single 1" 3 ring binder highlighting your art education career.)

## **\*DOCUMENTATION**

- NH Art Educators' Teaching Certificate current
- Resume
- NAEA membership (copy of current membership card or other documentation)
- NHAEA membership (copies of the past 3 years membership cards or other documentation)
- Application Form

## **CALL FOR APPLICATIONS**

The New Hampshire Art Educators' Association is a professional organization whose mission is to promote quality art education in New Hampshire by providing leadership, member services, advocacy, a format for communication, and opportunities for professional development.

Our annual Art Educator Award Program recognizes outstanding art teachers who have made significant contributions to art education or art programs within their school, community, or professional organization.

**NOTE: IT IS NO LONGER REQUIRED TO HAVE SOMEONE NOMINATE THE ART EDUCATOR OF THE YEAR.**

## **APPLICATION CRITERIA**

- Current active New Hampshire Art Educator certification
- \* Current active membership in the New Hampshire Art Educators' Association  
**NOTE: To apply for Art Educator of the Year, you must have been a member of NHAEA for three consecutive years.**
- \* Current membership in the National Art Education Association (NAEA) for consideration for New Hampshire Educator of the Year-for national recognition.
- \* Supporting evidence of exemplary teaching and /or professional attributes
- Three letters of support. Note the relationship to the nominee-
- A defined philosophy of art education
- \* Three or more years of teaching experience

## **BENEFITS FOR HONOREES**

- Acknowledgment of excellence
- Positive recognition for the teacher's school
- Demonstrates and promotes school/community support for the arts
- Highlights art curriculum
- The opportunity to represent NHAEA at events
- Raises professional standards
- Recognition at the NHAEA Conference, NAEA National Convention and at the NH Excellence in Education Awards ("ED"ies)
- Up to \$600.00 stipend towards the NAEA Convention

# APPLICATION PROCESS

Please mail the completed packet to the Awards Chair:

**Barbara Levin Morrison  
64 Graham Road  
Concord, NH 03301**

(H) 603-491-0614 (W) 603-224-0614

**Postmarked no later than June 16, 2012**

**ONLY COMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED**

## APPLICATION PACKET

**The application packet must include the following pieces of documentation:**

**(If any of the required information is MISSING, the application will NOT be considered.)**

\*The application form below.

\*Three letters of commendation and support. Please sign and give relationship to the applicant.

**NOTE: A letter of nomination is no longer required.**

\*List specific school, community, regional or statewide programs, events or activities to which the nominee has contributed. Provide any other available supporting documents such as clippings, photos, programs, news articles, etc.

\*A copy of the applicant's philosophy of art education

\*A current resume

\*Photocopies of NHAEA (past 3 years) and NAEA (current) membership cards with expiration dates showing.

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\*Copy of current NH Art Educators' Teaching Certificate

\*8-10 photographs or a CD 8-10 JPEG images of student work. (photos preferred)

\*Required and supporting materials package should not exceed the equivalent of a 1" 3-ring binder.



**Application Form: This Application Form must be included with the completed application packet.**

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

School(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Principal(s) to contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ School Phone(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Levels \_\_\_\_\_ Total Years Teaching: \_\_\_\_\_

Current NHAEA member ID# \_\_\_\_\_ Current NAEA member ID # \_\_\_\_\_ Expires \_\_\_\_\_

School Address(es) \_\_\_\_\_

Home email: \_\_\_\_\_ Work email: \_\_\_\_\_

Summer address: \_\_\_\_\_

Summer phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

# Principals

Are you proud of your school's  
Visual Art Department?

If so, please encourage your art teacher to apply.

Applications are now being sent out to all principals and NHAEA member art educators for the 2012-13 Art Educator of the Year.

Questions regarding the NHAEA Art Educator of the Year please contact Barbara Levin Morrison, awards chairperson  
[morbarbara@gmail.com](mailto:morbarbara@gmail.com)