

The Gahanna Jefferson Education Association

FRIEND OF EDUCATION

It is time once again to recognize a person or a group of people who were outstanding supporters to education.

Please review the guidelines below and obtain a nomination form from your faculty representative if there is someone you would like to nominate.

Guidelines:

Purpose

The purpose of the "Friend of Education" is to recognize any community member(s) who has supported the educators in Gahanna.

Criteria

1. Nominee must have volunteered to support Gahanna teachers in some way that was a benefit to the community.
2. Nominee must be recommended by a current GJEA member, who will outline the nominee's qualifications on the nomination form.

Timetable

1. Nomination forms are due to the Chair of the Friend of Education Committee by April 15th. The award shall be publicized in the February and March issues of *The Advocate*.
2. The committee shall select honorees by May 1 and notify them shortly thereafter.
3. Honorees and/or guest shall be invited to receive the award at the May GJEA banquet.

Award

1. Each honoree shall receive a plaque bearing his or her name as a "Friend of Education."
2. The honoree's name shall also be placed on a plaque containing the names of all honorees. This plaque shall hang in the lobby of Central Office.
3. No more than 3 honorees shall be inducted in any one school year.

Committee

1. The Friend of Education Committee shall be composed of 3 members of GJEA – 1 rep per level MS, HS, elem
2. The committee's decisions shall be final