



Pioneer of the Year Nomination Form 2022

Please use this form to submit your nomination for the 2022 Pioneer of the Year Award. The nominee should be a person residing in Lake Wales for more than 50 years, whose service to the quality of life and community is outstanding. The selection of the award winner will be made by the Pioneer of the Year Committee, and the award will be presented at the 46th Annual Pioneer Days Festival on Saturday, October 29, 2022 at 10 AM.

Nomination Deadline: Friday, September 2, 2022 by 5 PM. Fill out this form completely.

Nominee Name _____

Address _____

City/ST/Zip _____

Phone _____ **Email** _____

Nominator _____

Phone _____ **Email** _____

Please submit this form, a narrative about the nominee up to 500 words and three images to:

<p>Lake Wales History Museum Attn: Pioneer of the Year 325 S Scenic Highway Lake Wales, FL 33853</p>	<p>OR</p>	<p>jlizarralde@lakewaleshistory.org Subject: Pioneer of the Year Nomination</p>
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Past Recipients of the Pioneer of the Year Award

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| 1978: Morris Jones | 2001: Constance Van Hook |
| 1979: Janyce Ahl | 2002: Vita Hinshaw |
| 1980: Bessie Snyder | 2003: George Whitehurst and Martha White |
| 1981: R.L. Johnson | 2004: George Edwin Albritton and Mollie Albritton Cooper |
| 1982: W.D. Crews | 2005: Frank Hunt |
| 1983: Kenneth Rhodes | 2006: Hazel Mary Grace Alexander |
| 1984: Sam Keen | 2007: Horace Herndon |
| 1985: Henry F. and Douglas Bullard | 2008: Joe Martin |
| 1986: Myra Curtis Chandley | 2009: William M. Hardman |
| 1987: Marie Kirch | 2010: The Jahna Family |
| 1988: Mr. and Mrs. H.G. McClendon | 2011: G. Ellis Hunt |
| 1989: Juanita Wetmore | 2012: Edwin Friedlander |
| 1990: Mada Fraser Babcock | 2013: Clinton Horne |
| 1991: Jeresa Austin | 2014: Jim Maggard |
| 1992: Lee Roy Horton | 2015: Linda Kimbrough |
| 1993: Margaret Smith | 2016: Mimi Reid Hardman |
| 1994: Tom Campbell | 2017: Marilyn Newell |
| 1995: Thalia Johnson and Stapleton Gooch | 2018: William "Bill" Johnson |
| 1996: Mildred Kingsbury | 2019: Milford Myhre |
| 1997: Roger Cain | 2020: No Festival due to COVID-19 |
| 1998: Mary L. Zipprer | 2021: Gladys Howell |
| 1999: Ola Belle Tillman | |
| 2000: Robert E. Lasseter, Jr. | |