

2018 CENTRAL OHIO SENIOR CITIZENS HALL OF FAME CEREMONY ~ WEDNESDAY, MAY 16

12:15 pm Live Musical Entertainment

1:00 pm Recognition Ceremony ~ each inductee receives:

Hall of Fame lapel pin ♦ individual recognition on stage by county commissioners ♦ framed portrait by a professional photographer ♦ full page in the program for a story & professional photo

3:00 pm Reception ~ professionally catered; live musical entertainment



Are you inspired by someone who is age 60 or older?

NOMINATE THAT PERSON! The Hall of Fame recognizes older adults who are sharing their vitality, dedication and talent in ways that significantly improve the lives of others.

Deadline: December 31, 2017

TIPS FOR A WINNING NOMINATION

- Write your nominee's inspiring story to touch the hearts of readers.
- Describe your nominee's life since reaching the age of 60 & how he/she is a role model for active involvement in the community.
- Be detailed & use complete sentences; your story is the only basis for selection; it will be used for the inductee's page in the program.
- Include some dates / length of time involved.
- *optional* - Enhance nomination with letters of support from others (maximum of 3)
- Recognize nominee for unpaid efforts (not a job).
- Please do ***not*** send certificates, news clippings, photos, resumes or memorabilia.
- **No** posthumous or self-nominations, please.

ELIGIBILITY

- 60 years of age or older & a legal resident of Ohio for 5 years
- Resident of Delaware, Fairfield, Fayette, Franklin, Licking, Madison, Pickaway, or Union County
- Available for a professional photo in early April
- Willing to accept the honor on stage in the ceremony on Wednesday, May 16, 2018.

- A married couple may be nominated together if both have been equally involved in the same activities & both meet eligibility criteria. (*Submit one nomination giving information on both.*)

EXAMPLES OF RECOGNIZED EFFORTS

Volunteering; leadership in organizations; church activities; community service; awards / honors; helping hand to neighbors; special achievements; caregiving for family or friends; etc. Individuals are selected for their efforts in a variety of areas. No specific area or example is preferred or required.

QUESTIONS?

Call the **Central Ohio Area Agency on Aging** at **614/645-7250** or **1-800-589-7277** with questions or to request a sample program.

EASIER NOMINATION PROCESS

Submit an electronic nomination: first, download the PDF nomination form from www.coaaa.org to your computer desktop; type directly on the PDF form, save the file on your computer; then return it as an e-mail attachment to coaaa@coaaa.org.

OR, print and complete a 'paper' nomination form. You may either fax the nomination to 614-645-6146 or mail it to:

COAAA Hall of Fame
3776 S. High St.
Columbus OH 43207

Optional - **Letters of support** (3 maximum) may be e-mailed to coaaa@coaaa.org; faxed to 614-645-6146; or sent via postal mail.



Please do NOT nominate individuals without their consent.

2018 HALL OF FAME NOMINATION

DEADLINE
DEC. 31, 2017

1) Nominee's (or couple's) Name(s):

2) Address: _____

_____ (city) (zip)

3) County: _____

4) Phone: _____

5) E-mail: _____

6) Age(s): _____ male female

8) Nominated by: _____ a group, or _____ an individual

9) Nominator's Name (group or individual):

Contact if group: _____

10) Address: _____

_____ (city) (zip)

11) Phone: _____

12) E-mail: _____

7) In **600 words**, please tell your nominee's inspiring story by answering the question **"Why does this individual (or couple) deserve recognition?"** (type below or submit a separate document)