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|  | USATF National Officials Committee  **James Grey Award Criteria**  The James Grey Award goes to an official who gives of themselves by leadership, fellowship, and developmental welfare of other officials through USATF training and its various official programs. | Grey, Jim-1 |

The *James Grey Award* was established at the Mid-Year National Officials Executive Committee Meeting in 2006 when the Maine Association came forward and wanted

to sponsor a National Officials Award. After a year of discussing the idea the National Officials Executive Committee established the following criteria to receive the

*James Grey Award* at the Mid-Year Meeting in 2007 . . .

* Must be a Certified USATF Track and Field Official for a ten (10) year period.
* Must be a National or Master Level official in good standing with the Association which they are certified, with the National Officials Committee and with USATF.
* Recognition by peers for excellence and achievement by an individual who by providing the leadership, setting the example, and going out of his/her way to help

in the development of others in the USATF Officials organization.

Nomination and Selection Process

All the nominees for the *James Grey Award* will be presented to the National Officials Executive Committee by the Awards Sub-Committee. The Awards Sub-Committee will

be divided into eleven areas with the committee members serving as the Area Representative for the assorted Association of USATF that make up each zone. The Awards

Committee Area Reps will canvass their respective areas through recommendations from other USATF Certified Officials, Association Officials Certification Chairs and from Association Presidents for candidates for the *James Grey Award.* Once approved by the Area Reps these names, along with letters of recommendation of his/her accomplishments

are to be sent to the National Officials Committee Vice-Chair of Awards who will then present them to the National Officials Executive Committee. The *James Grey Award* winner

will then be determined by a vote of the National Officials Committee Executive Committee at the annual mid-year meeting.

The five finalists and the winner of the *James Grey Award* will be presented at the Annual USATF Convention.

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|  | | USATF National Officials Committee  James Grey Award  **Recognition by peers for excellence and achievement by an individual who by providing the leadership, setting the example, and going out of his/her way to help in the development of others in the USATF Officials organization.**  **2007 through 2022**  Sponsored by: Maine Association | | | |  |
| **2007 Award Winner**  Ruter, Charles-1  **Charles Ruter**  Fern Creek, Kentucky  Kentucky | **2008 Award Winner**  Price, Bill-1  **William Price**  Smithburg, Maryland  Potomac Valley | | **2009 Award Winner**  C:\Users\Gordon\Pictures\Val Foss\100_2094-1.jpg  **Val Foss**  Canaan, Maine  Maine | **2010 Award Winner**  Description: C:\Users\Gordon\Pictures\Jim Carlisle\JC3-1.jpg  **Jim Carlisle**  Carrollton, Texas  Southwestern | **2011 Award Winner**  Description: C:\Users\Gordon\Documents\Len Krsak\Len Krsak-6.JPG  **Len Krsak**  Westerville, Ohio  Ohio | |
| **2012 Award Winner**  James Hume -1  **James Hume**  San Mateo, California  Pacific | **2013 Award Winner**  Dennis Olafson and Len Krsak 5-23-2012 1-00-060  **Dennis Olafson**  Lebanon, Oregon  Oregon | | **2014 Award Winner**  Kathy McLymond and Mike Armstrong 5-26-2012 1-06-023  **Mike Armstrong**  Springdale, Arkansas  Arkansas | **2015 Award Winner**    **Roger Burbage**  Raleigh, NC  North Carolina | **2016 Award Winner**    **Richard Schornstein**  Colorado Springs  Colorado | |
| **2017 Award Winner**    **Donald Berry**  Belmont, Maine  Maine | **2018 Award Winner**    **Robert Kern**  Milwaukee, WI  Wisconsin | | **2019 Award Winner**    **E. Scott Rose**  Chillicothe, Ohio  Ohio | **2020 Award Winner**    **Irene Herman**  San Francisco, Cal  Pacific | **2021 Award Winner**    **Mark Kostek**  Fremont, Nebraska  Nebraska | |

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| James Grey Area Winners and Nominees  **Nominations for the James Grey Award are good for 3 Years.**  **An official can be re-nominated to be considered for another 3 Years.**  **\*\*\*\*\*** **Hall of Fame Inductees are no longer eligible for the James Grey Award** **\*\*\*\*\***  Those names in **Blue** have already received the Andy Bakjian Award for the various Associations.  **Bold Print (Red)indicates they are currently nominated in their 3 Year Cycle and while the** regular print **has been nominated in the past but are outside their 3 Year Cycle and must be re-nominated**  **to be considered for the James Grey Award.**  ***Those names in Red are Nominees for the 2022 James Grey Award*** | | |
| **Paula Everdale**  Area 1 . . . Awards Chair  ***Associations***  Alaska, Inland Northwest, Pacific Northwest, Oregon and Snake River | **Irene Herman**  Area 2 . . . Awards Chair  ***Associations***  Central California, Hawaii, Pacific,  San Diego-Imperial and Southern California | **Terry Sudria**  Area 3 . . . Awards Chair  ***Associations***  Dakotas, Minnesota, Montana,  Nebraska and Wyoming |
| **James Grey Award Winners in Area 1**  **Dennis Olafson (Oregon) . . . 2013**  **Nominations from Area 1 - Officials**  Paul Bodenshot (Pacific Northwest)  ***Kenny Emrick (Pacific Northwest) – 2022***  William Hickman (Pacific Northwest)  ***Mike Olsen (Oregon) - 2022***  Sandy Paskin (Oregon)  **NOC Hall of Fame**  Darlene Hickman (Pacific Northwest) 2015  Dennis Olafson (Oregon) 2018  Kelly Rankin (Oregon) 2012  Lawrie Robertson (Pacific Northwest) 2011  Robert Springer (Pacific Northwest) 2018 | **James Grey Award Winners in Area 2**  **James Hume (Pacific) . . . 2012**  **Irene Herman (Pacific) . . . 2020**  **Nominations from Area 2 - Officials**  Dennis Boyle (Pacific)  Shirley Connors (Pacific)  **NOC Hall of Fame**  **Andy Bakjian (Southern California) 2007**  **Richard Connors (Pacific) 2009**  **Leo Costanzo (Pacific) 2007**  **Horace Crow (Pacific) 2007**  **Jim Hume (Pacific) 2020**  **George Kleeman (Pacific) 2008**  **Lori Maynard (Pacific) 2008**  **Al Minturn (Southern California) 2010**  **John Murray (Pacific) 2020**  **Robert Podkaminer (Pacific) 2010**  **John Shirey (Pacific) 2019**  **Eugene Stemm (Southern California) 2012** | **James Grey Award Winners in Area 3**  **Mark Kostek (Nebraska) . . . 2021**  Nominations from Area 3 – Officials  None  **NOC Hall of Fame**  **Dee Jensen (Dakotas ) 2007** |
| **Sherry Hott**  Area 4 . . . Awards Chair  ***Associations***  Arizona, Colorado, Nevada,  New Mexico and Utah | **Mica Barton**  Area 5 . . . Awards Chair  ***Associations***  Border, Gulf, South Texas,  Southwestern and West Texas | **Patricia Hanna**  Area 6 . . . Awards Chair  ***Associations***  Arkansas, Missouri Valley, Oklahoma,  Ozark and Southern |
| **James Grey Award Winners in Area 4**  **Richard Schornstein (Colorado) . . . 2016**  Nominations from Area 4 - Officials  Sherry Hott (Arizona)  ***Rhiny Williams (New Mexico) - 2022***  **NOC Hall of Fame**  Lloyd Bert Garcia (New Mexico) 2021  Finn Hansen (Utah) 2007  Tom Hott (Arizona) 2017  Dan Reynolds (Arizona) 2014 | **James Grey Award Winners in Area 5**  **Jim Carlisle (Southwestern) . . . 2010**  **Nominations from Area 5 - Officials**  Mica Barton (Southwestern)  Stan Scott (West Texas)  **NOC Hall of Fame**  Herb “Diboll” Allen (Gulf) 2010  Chester Bradley (Southwestern) 2007  James Carlisle (Southwestern) 2016  Shirley Crowe (Gulf) 2008  John C.D. Drolla, Jr. (South Texas) 2011  Emmitt Griggs (Gulf) 2008  Delores Murray (Southwestern) 2020  Fred Newhouse (Gulf) 2020  Shelby Sharpe (Southwestern) 2015  Billy Walters (Southwestern) 2011  W. A. Wise (West Texas) 2009 | **James Grey Award Winners in Area 6**  **Mike Armstrong (Arkansas) . . . 2014**  Nominations from Area 6 - Officials  John Deardorff (Missouri Valley)  Gloria Louis (Southern)  ***Darren Muci (Missouri Valley) - 2022***  **NOC Hall of Fame**  Mike Armstrong (Arkansas) 2021  Ginger Mulanax (Ozark) 2016  Tom Turk (Missouri Valley) 2008 |
| **Larry Henning**  Area 7 . . . Awards Chair  ***Associations***  Illinois, Indiana, Iowa,  Michigan and Wisconsin | **Kenny Morton**  Area 8 . . . Awards Chair  ***Associations***  Kentucky, Lake Erie, Ohio,  Virginia and West Virginia | **Gail Barna**  Area 9 . . . Awards Chair  ***Associations***  Alabama, Florida, Georgia, North Carolina,  South Carolina and Tennessee |
| **James Grey Award Winners in Area 7**  **Robert Kern (Wisconsin) . . . 2018**  **Nominations from Area 7 - Officials**  ***Peter Henkes (Wisconsin) - 2023***  Richard Leutzinger (Iowa)  ***Mike Trego (Indiana) - 2022***  ***Douglas Weir (Michigan) - 2022***  **NOC Hall of Fame**  John Davis (Illinois) 2007  Carroll Deweese (Michigan) 2019  Gene Edmonds (Indiana) 2013  Win Eggers (Illinois) 2015  Rex Harvey (Iowa) 2010)  Keith Mitchell (Indiana) 2009  Eric Zemper (Michigan) 2014 | **James Grey Award Winners in Area 8**  **Len Krsak (Ohio) . . . 2011**  **Scott Rose (Ohio) . . . 2019**  **Charles Ruter (Kentucky) . . . 2007**  **Nominations from Area 8 – Officials**  William Anderson (Virginia)  Bill Boyd (Virginia)  Bill Buttermore (Ohio)  ***Harold “Lefty” Martin (Ohio) - 2023***  ***Jennifer “JJ” Meadows (Kentucky) - 2022***  Donna Messenger (West Virginia)  Elinor Tootle (Ohio)  Robert Stacey (Kentucky)  **NOC Hall of Fame**  Doug Allen (Kentucky) 2019  Ron Althoff (Ohio) 2008  Gordon Bocock (Kentucky) 2015  James Flanik (Lake Erie) 2014  Ed Gorman (Ohio) 2016  James Grey (Ohio) 2014  Karen Krsak (Ohio) 2016  Len Krsak (Ohio) 2014  Linda Melzer (Ohio) 2011  Richard Messenger (West Virginia) 2017  Kenny Morton (Kentucky) 2021  **Scott Rose (Ohio) 2021**  **Charles Ruter (Kentucky) 2007** | **James Grey Award Winners in Area 9**  **Roger Burbage (North Carolina) . . . 2015**  **Nominations from Area 9 - Officials**  ***Lemuel “LB” Clayton (North Carolina) – 2022***  ***Richard Forbid (North Carolina) - 2023***  Rod Larsen (Florida)  Connie Talbert-McClinton (Alabama)  ***Houston Young (Alabama) - 2022***  **NOC Hall of Fame**  John Blackburn (South Carolina) 2018  Roger Burbage (North Carolina) 2019  Richard Moss (Georgia) 2011  Jerome Perry (North Carolina) 2012  Murray Sanford (Georgia) 2008  Robert Tice (North Carolina) 2017  Stanley Underwood (Tennessee) 2009 |
| **Sue Polansky**  Area 10 . . . Awards Chair  ***Associations***  Long Island, Mid-Atlantic, New Jersey,  Niagara, Potomac Valley and Three Rivers |  | **Greg Burnett**  Area 11 . . . Awards Chair  ***Associations***  Adirondack, Connecticut, Maine,  New England and New York |
| **James Grey Award Winners in Area 10**  **William Price (Potomac Valley) . . . 2008**  ***Nominations from Area 10 - Officials***  ***Perry Jenkins (Niagara) - 2022***  ***Allen Naylor (Potomac Valley) - 2023***  ***James Pearce (Potomac Valley) - 2022***  **NOC Hall of Fame**  Clarence Crawford (Three Rivers) 2008  Edward Koch (New Jersey) 2013  Mary Onken (New York) 2016  Sue Polansky (Long Island) 2014  Gary Westerfield (Long Island) 2013 | **James Grey Award Winners in Area 11**  **Don Berry (Maine) . . . 2017**  **Val Foss (Maine) . . . 2009**  **Nominations from Area 11 – Officials**  Fred Adler (Metropolitan)  ***Diane Wright (Connecticut) - 2022***  **NOC Hall of Fame**  Don Berry (Maine) 2021  Laurie Boemker (New England) 2014  Ken Caouette (New England) 2007  David Katz (New York) 2017  Tom McTaggart (New York) 2015  Barbara Palmer (Adirondack) 2007  Patricia Rico (Metropolitan) 2007  Heliodoro Rico (Metropolitan) 2008  Warren Ring (Metropolitan) 2009 |

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Please type below why the nominee should be considered for the James Grey Award. Please include appropriate resume to justify this nomination

Date Nomination Received by Awards Chair: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(**Please Return Nomination Form with completed resume as soon as possible – August 31, 2022 Deadline)**