

Outstanding Volunteer

Previous Recipients

2024 – Adam Chamberlin
2023 – Jess Van Vliet
2022 – Mike Watson & Arthur Beauregard
2021 – Kyle McLoughlin
2020 – Matt Logan
2019 – Mandy Vandenberg
2018 – Eric Batty
2017 – Shane Lund & Steve Lang
2016 – Julie Tucker
2015 – Linda Hawkins
2014 – Mike Watson
2013 – Coleman Boomhour
2012 – Mike Raaymaker
2010 – Chris Sayer & Mike Ceelan
2009 – B. Hartnett
2008 – D. Leon
2007 – D. Lund & E. Plowman
2006 – Denise & Rory Quigley
2005 – S. Mentis
2004 – D. Cayer
2003 – G. Taillon
2002 – P. Dickie

Awarded to individuals who are members of the ISA Ontario Chapter and who have provided a significant and ongoing contribution of their personal time to assist the Chapter in carrying out its day-to-day operations.

Note: This award cannot be re-awarded to the same individual more than once in a five-year period. To receive it a second time, the qualifying period in which criteria is examined must be in at least a five-year period after the initial award was received.

Criteria

1. Member and Volunteer. The nominee must be validated as a current member and volunteer of the ISAO by the ISAO. If you are unsure of their status, please check with the ISAO By e-mail to info@isaontario.com prior to submitting a nomination.

2. Significant and ongoing Contribution of Personal time. “On-going” is meant as a 3 to 5-year period. “Significant” is meant as an average of 50 hours per year.

Provide a listing of this person’s personal volunteer hours over a 3 to 5-year period. Provide contact person(s) who can verify this contribution. The contact person(s) can include the same person who is submitting the nomination, of course.

3. Assist the Chapter in carrying out its day-to-day operations. Provide a detailed listing of the person’s volunteer service to ISAO such as serving on a committee and/or the ISAO Board; and other volunteer activities related to the day to day activities of the ISAO such as the ISAO tree climb competitions, educational seminars, annual conference; certification functions; Women in Arboriculture; and any other ISAO events and activities. (Our apologies if an important activity was missed in this listing.) This nomination should be submitted by person(s) who have worked with, witnessed or supervised the nominee’s volunteer activities. Where the nominee has been active in many areas, letters of endorsement describing the nominee’s contributions from those various areas by someone who has witnessed that volunteerism should be provided.