Rotary Club of Park Cities Awards

Wilbur Hawkins Spirit of Rotary Award (est. 1997)

Presented to a Club member for enthusiastic service.

Recipients:

Pam Boyd 1998; Jess Johnson 2001; Elaine Allen 2003;

Jack Kearney 2007; George Keeling 2008; Charles Delphenis 2009; Ley Waggoner 2010; Howard Fitch 2011; Christopher (Chris) Short 2013; Chad Harbour 2014; Nolan Duck 2015; Bill Sleeper 2016; Tom Swift 2017; Karl Von Bieberstein 2019; Stan Wright 2020; Betty Dawson and Paul Pirok 2021; Joi Gold 2022; Jeff Brady 2023

The purpose of this award is to recognize a Club member who promotes the culture, joy and spirit of our Club through humor and fun, while serving as an example of service for others. This award honors the life, happy personality and good humor that Wilbur Hawkins had in his more than 44 years as a Charter Member of the RCPC. His spirit was contagious, his passion for Rotary was evident in all areas of his life and he was truly an ambassador for our Club.

Hugh B. McAfee, Jr. Service Above Self Award (est. 1998)

Presented to a Club member for exemplary service.

Recipients:

Hugh B. McAfee, Jr. 1998; Robert Q. Smith, Jr. 2001;

Doug Means, Karl von Bieberstein & Phillip Bankhead 2006;

Tracy Gomes 2008; Roy Washburn 2009;

Dr. Michael Rainwater 2010; Eric Heitkamp 2011:

Jarl Johnson 2012; Jina McDaniel 2013; Linda Tunnell, Tracy Gomes & Ley Waggoner 2014; Fred Brown 2015; Jim Mills 2016; Tom Rhodes & Stan Wright 2017; Phillip Bankhead 2018; Bud Naifeh 2019; Pam Carvey 2020; Richard Stanford 2021; Sarah Oliai 2022; Holly Hollenbeck 2023

The purpose of this award is to recognize a Club member who has demonstrated exemplary humanitarian service, in any form and at any level, with an emphasis on personal volunteer efforts and active involvement in helping others through the four avenues of Rotary service. This award honors the life of Hugh B. McAfee, Jr., who actively pursued spreading Rotary good will, who constantly sought to bring Rotary into the lives of others, knowing the benefits it afforded everyone and who lived a life of service.

Col. Robert Q. Smith, Jr. Club Service Award (est. 2001)

Presented to a Club member for exceptional Club service.

Recipients:

George Echerd 2001; Lu Sneed 2003; Mike Riddle 2006;

Cleve Clinton 2007; Dennis M. Harrison 2008; Ruth Alhilali 2009; Susan Rogers 2010; Charlotte Hudgin 2011: Chris Clausen 2012; Betty Dawson 2013; Bill Matthews 2014; Happy Franklin 2015; Barb Jeffries 2016; Doug Means 2017; Mark Neace 2018; Sarah Oliai 2019; Duston Burns 2020; Jeff Sheehan and Dan Drabinski 2021; Patsy Watson 2022; Tom Swift 2023

The purpose of this award is to recognize a Club member who has worked internally to serve the Club and the Club's traditions. This award honors the life of Col. Robert Q. Smith, his devotion to duty, his undying

love for our Club, his passion for raising money for our Club's Foundation, his perfect attendance of 37 years and his humor and straight-forward delivery in presenting the weekly Foundation report.

C.C. Collie Distinguished Leadership Award (est. 2011)

Presented to a Club member for exceptional leadership both at the Club and District levels.

Recipient:

Greg Pape 2011; Charlotte Hudgin 2013; Rick Amsberry 2014; Happy Franklin 2017; Rick and Lisa Amsberry 2018; Tracy Gomes 2020; Doug Gill 2021; Holly Hollenbeck 2022; Mark Neace 2023

The purpose of this award is to recognize a Club member for exceptional leadership both at the Club and District levels. It honors the leadership of C.C. Collie, who has served our Club and Rotary International in many different capacities. Collie joined Rotary in 1976 and became Club President in 1982-1983. He was selected as District Governor in 1985-1986 and also served as District Governor in 1987-1988 upon the untimely death of Governor Elect Dwight Sleeper. He was a Discussion Leader at Lone Star PETS for 20 years (1988 thru 2008) and served Rotary International in many capacities. He is a member of the Paul Harris Society and a Major Donor to The Rotary Foundation.

Linda Tunnell New Member Award (est. 2012)

Presented to a Club member for noteworthy Club service from the beginning of Club membership

Recipient:

Mary McMahon 2012; Tom C. Dortch 2013; Shawn Foster 2014; Steve Franks 2015; Kathleen Klaviter 2016; Daniel Drabinski 2017; Marcia Zidle and Kat Massey 2018; Jill Jordan 2019; Chris McNeill 2020; Holly Hollenbeck 2021; Evan Altemus 2022; Susan Glen 2023

The purpose of this award is to recognize a Club member who immediately embraces the object of Rotary and uniquely impacts the Rotary Club of Park Cities from the beginning of his or her membership. The award honors Linda Tunnell and the traits of initiative and vitality which she demonstrated from her first year of membership in 1999. Her continued influence in the Club ultimately led her to serving as Club President during the Rotary year 2007-2008. Her exemplary service continues today most notably in the accomplishments of the Hillcrest Interact Club which has grown under her leadership into a primary force of service, ethics and mentoring on the school campus and in the community.

Lifetime Achievement Award (est. 2013)

Presented to a Club member for Devotion to the Ideals and Principles of Rotary

Recipient:

Charles Delphenis 2013; C.C. Collie 2014; Greg Pape 2015; Moody Alexander 2016; Rodney W. Pirtle 2017; Bill Sleeper 2018; Douglas Means 2019; Linda Tunnell & Ley Waggoner 2020; Phillip Bankhead 2021; Fred Brown 2022; Cleve Clinton 2023

This award honors a member of the Rotary Club of Park Cities who has been an active member for many years and has, above all, exemplified the ideal of "Service Above Self." The awardee has demonstrated leadership in advancing the goals of the Club, the District, and Rotary International. This award recognizes

the contributions over the span of the honoree's membership including attendance, committee service (or work), recruiting, mentoring, fellowship and financial support.

Cleveland G. Clinton Collaborative Award (est. 2014)

Presented to a Club member for outstanding leadership in promoting the collaborative partnerships with outside agencies and entities.

Recipient:

Dawson Orr 2014; Tania Boughton 2016; Karen Farris 2017; Orville Salmon 2018, Stephanie Bohan 2019; Trisha Cunningham 2020; Eric Heitkamp; Michael Rainwater 2022; Ley Waggoner 2023

The purpose of this award is to recognize a Club member for outstanding leadership in promoting collaborative partnerships with outside agencies and entities. It honors the leadership of Cleveland G. Clinton who served as President of the Club in 2013-2014 and who fostered the concept of collaborative partnerships. His strategic priority was to enhance Club visibility through community partnerships. During his Presidency, partnerships were established with North Texas Food Bank and strengthened with Highland Park Independent School District. Because of his vision and dedication, the Club's community reach has been greatly enhanced.

Stan Wright Community Service Award (est. 2022)

Presented to a Club member who has exhibited a passion and commitment for serving the community.

Recipient:

This award honors a member of the Rotary Club of Park Cities who has served in a leadership position on RCPC teams as well as outside organizations that serve our community. It honors the life of Stan Wright who served as Chair of the North Texas Mobile Food Pantry Distribution Project as well as the Park Cities 4th of July Parade Activities at Goar Park. Additionally, he was active in the Park Cities YMCA where he received the Charles E. Seay Outstanding Leadership Award, delivered Meals on Wheels and served as an usher for many years at Highland Park Presbyterian Church.

Recipient:

Richard Stanford 2023