



# Ohio Middle Level Association

## 2010 EDUCATOR OF THE YEAR Nomination Form

The Educator-of-the-Year award is the most distinguished honor the Ohio Middle Level Association can bestow upon an individual to recognize his or her contributions to middle level education.

### Nomination Criteria

- All OMLA members are eligible to nominate a candidate.
- Individual nominated may be a teacher, administrator, or parent.
- Nominee must be a current member of the Ohio Middle Level Association.
- Previous recipients may not be nominated for the award.

### Criteria for Evaluation of Nominations

- Nominated individual promotes the middle school concept through involvement in exemplary programs, leadership, or research that serves the needs of middle level students.
- The candidate is involved at the local, regional, and state levels.

### Awarding the Honor

- A committee of the Ohio Middle Level Association Executive Board members will review all applications and determine the award recipient.
- The selected Educator-of-the-Year will be recognized at the OMLA annual state conference.

**Application Deadline: November 20, 2009**

**Ohio Middle Level Association Educator of the Year Award  
Previous recipients who are not eligible for this award:**

1979 Burt Reed	1995 William Kaderly
1980 Gordon Vars	1996 Dana Cowardin
1981 Vince Barra	1997 Ed Vittardi
1982 Herb Broda	1998 Diana Haap
1983 John Haschak	1999 Barbara Miller
1984 Bob Edwards	2000 Steve Raines
1985 Rob Hayden	2001 Nancy Poliseno
1986 Wayne Ambrose	2002 Don Jostworth
1987 Helena Sturkey	2003 Janet Litzel
1988 Larry Lewis	2004 David Kommer
1989 Charlotte Wagner	2005 Charles Beard
1990 Gordon Gerber	2006 Gerald Manganella
1991 Philip Binkley	2007 Shannon Federinko
1992 Joe Mucciarone	2008 John Swaim
1993 Tom Fletcher	2009 Jack Berckemeyer
1994 Susan Wynn	



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*Please print or type all information.*

Name of Nominee:	_____
Nominee's School:	_____
School Address:	_____ _____
Current Position:	_____
Professional Experience:	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____

**Please submit a narrative stating the basis for this nomination.**

Name of Recommending OMSA Member:	_____
School:	_____
Telephone:	_____
Signature:	_____
Date:	_____

**Send completed application to:** Thom Jones  
8705 Avery Road  
Dublin, Ohio 43017

*Applications must be postmarked no later than November 20, 2009*