

**2024**

**E. T. and Vam York Service Above Self Award**

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**The Rotary Club of Gainesville**

To express their appreciation for the support provided by Alachua County Rotarians during Dr. E.T. York’s tenure as District 6970 Governor, the late Dr. E. T. York and his late wife Vam provided an endowment to fund in perpetuity the Rotary Club of Gainesville Service Above Self Award. In 2010 the award was renamed after its benefactors. Presented annually, this distinguished award symbolizes Rotary’s commitment to service and the desire of the Rotary Club of Gainesville to encourage and recognize service to others in our community. The award takes its name from the Rotary motto “Service Above Self.”

The recipient will be an individual or organization from the Gainesville/Alachua County area that has rendered outstanding, dedicated and unselfish service to enhance the quality of life of the citizens and youth of our area. The award is based on achievement during any appropriate time span - a year, or a lifetime. The award may be made in the memory of an individual.

**What is the award?**

* A $1,000 gift to The Rotary Foundation, for support of international scholars, in honor of the recipient;
* Designation of the recipient as a Paul Harris Fellow of The Rotary Foundation. (In the event the recipient is an organization, or is an individual who is already a Paul Harris Fellow, the recipient may nominate another individual to receive the Paul Harris Fellowship, subject to approval of the Club’s Board of Directors.)
* A special plaque presented to the recipient, with name and date of recognition:
* The inscription of the recipient’s name on a permanent plaque containing the names of all previous recipients. (This plaque is displayed prominently at the Gainesville airport terminal.)

**The deadline for accepting nominations is:**

**Friday, February 14, 2025**



*An individual, organization or group may submit as many entries as desired. Entries must be typed or printed. Deadline for nomination is Friday, February 14, 2025.*

**— NOMINATION FORM —**

**Name of Nominee:** Click or tap here to enter text. **Telephone:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Address:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Birthplace:** Click or tap here to enter text. **Birthdate:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Occupation:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Contact Person (if Nominee is group or Organization):** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Contact Telephone:** Click or tap here to enter text. **Home** [ ]  **Work** [ ]  **Cell** [ ]

**NOMINATOR**

**Name:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Address:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Telephone:** Click or tap here to enter text. **Home** [ ]  **Work** [ ]  **Cell** [ ]

**Email:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**— NOMINATION STATEMENT —**

The nominee will be judged primarily on the information provided on this nominee form. Other supporting information (news clippings, letters of commendation, etc.) may be included if necessary. It is important that you describe thoroughly the nominee’s service in our community and its’ impact.

**1. Describe the nominee’s service data: Community involvement; charitable, church and service organizations; youth organizations; health related organizations; ecology and sports related organizations; political achievements.**

Click or tap here to enter text.

**2. Describe how the service of this individual or group has affected the community or persons served.**



Click or tap here to enter text.

**3. Educational and professional data (if nominee is an individual).**

Click or tap here to enter text.

**4. Other comments.**

Click or tap here to enter text.

**Please send completed application to:** **lyndareinhart.rotary@gmail.com**

2024 E. T. and Vam York Service Above Self Award Committee

Attention: Lynda Reinhart

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