

BASS FEDERATION



OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

Federation Category

Federation Awards Categories

CONSERVATION

BASS Federation members unite to:

Lobby for or against proposed legislation affecting our environment and the sport of fishing.

Support existing legislation and cleanup efforts in our communities.

Protect our fisheries and our rights as anglers.

Enhance fisheries through habitat placement projects, cleanup projects and stocking projects.

Ensure the preservation of our environment, our fisheries and our sport for future generations.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Federations function as valuable community resources, contributing time, money and energy to promote and support local charities and to improve the lives of those within their own communities. This category should include support for charities or needy organizations through voluntary manpower, donations and fundraising; or conducting seminars, tournaments or other events to promote the sport of fishing while lending a helping hand.

PUBLIC RELATIONS

Positive public image plays a vital role in advancing our sport. The public relations award recognizes the Federation that effectively utilizes media outlets to promote its activities and goals while improving the reputation of bass anglers as a whole.

SPECIAL EVENT

Each year our Federations host thousands of events, with many of them benefiting other organizations within their communities. This award honors the Federation with the most well-run event, such as a tournament, fundraiser or other activity which benefits youth or a charitable organization.

YOUTH

Each Federation entering this category places a special emphasis on youth participation in growing our sport. The winning Federation should sponsor events targeted at attracting and involving young people in all aspects of the sport of fishing, from conservation efforts to conducting tournaments. The winning Federation must sponsor a junior club.

BASS MEMBER OF THE YEAR

This award recognizes the most organized, active and involved BASS member in your state Federation. The individual should engage in activities such as youth, conservation, community service and public relations while continuing to encourage and promote the Federation.

FEDERATION OF THE YEAR

This award recognizes the Federation which has put together a well-rounded program that involves strong conservation, youth and community service programs. The Federation should communicate effectively with news media, state agencies and governmental bodies to maintain positive public relations.

BASS Federation . . . Improving our communities, our sport and our future.

FEDERATION

List all relevant project numbers _____

CONSERVATION

Federation members unite to: Lobby for or against proposed legislation affecting our environment and the sport of fishing. Support existing legislation and cleanup efforts in our communities. Protect our fisheries and our rights as anglers. Enhance fisheries through habitat placement projects, cleanup projects and stocking projects. And, insure the preservation of our environment, our fisheries and our sport for future generations.

Explain why this Federation is outstanding in the area of conservation.

Limit answer to one page.

FEDERATION

List all relevant project numbers _____

COMMUNITY SERVICE

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Explain why this Federation is outstanding in the area of community service and public relations.

Limit answer to one page.

FEDERATION

List all relevant project numbers _____

PUBLIC RELATIONS

Positive public image plays a vital role in advancing our sport. The public relations award recognizes the club that effectively utilizes media outlets to promote their activities and goals while improving the reputation of bass anglers as a whole.

Explain why this Federation should earn the public relations award. Limit answer to one page.

FEDERATION

List all relevant project numbers _____

YOUTH

Each Federation entering this category must place a special emphasis on youth participation in growing our sport. The winning Federation should sponsor events targeted at attracting and involving young people in all aspects of the sport of fishing, from conservation efforts to conducting tournaments.

Explain why this Federation is outstanding in the area of youth. Limit answer to one page.

FEDERATION

List all relevant project numbers _____

SPECIAL EVENT

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Explain why this Federation deserves the special event award. Limit answer to one page.

FEDERATION

List all relevant project numbers _____

FEDERATION OF THE YEAR

This award recognizes the Federation which has put together a well-rounded program that involves strong conservation, youth and community service programs. The Federation should communicate effectively with news media, state agencies and governmental bodies to maintain positive public relations.

Explain why this Federation deserves recognition as Federation of the Year.

Give a brief summary of Federation activities. Limit answer to one page.

FEDERATION

List all relevant project numbers _____

OUTSTANDING BASS MEMBER OF THE YEAR

This award recognizes the most organized, active and involved BASS Member. The individual should engage in activities which teach the importance of conservation and community service while continuing to encourage the enjoyment of fishing.

Explain why this individual should be considered for Outstanding BASS Member of the Year.

Limit answer to one page.

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PROJECT SUMMARY

Project # _____ Award Categories: Con, CS, PR, Event, Yth, Fed/yr., BASS/Mem.

Project Name: _____

Chapter Name: _____

Quick Stats:

Annual Event Yes No Total number of man hours _____ If fundraiser, amount raised _____

Contributing or sponsoring organizations:

Brief description of project to include why you chose this project and the goals you wished to achieve:

The following pages should include all correspondence, newspaper/media materials (no video-tapes), photographs (no photocopies) and all other background information which explains the project.

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