



Citizen Of The Year

This award will be presented annually to an individual (or couple) whose volunteerism and outstanding service and dedication have made a significant contribution to the community during the preceding year. Qualities looked for are as follows:

- A person who continually volunteers his or her time, dedication and talents to the town and the citizens of the town to make St. James a great place to live, work, play and learn.
- A person who has made a positive difference in the lives of fellow citizens
- Someone who is dedicated to St. James and concerned for others. They may serve on service, school, church or community committees.
- A person who has shown a willingness to work with other St. James residents, who is enthusiastic about the town and its citizens, and who works continually towards the betterment of the community.
- A person with the qualities of honesty and integrity.
- A person who has performed an outstanding achievement or act of heroism
- Someone who has overcome significant personal adversity

Criteria for the Citizen of the Year Award:

- Nominee must live or work in St. James or immediate surrounding area.
- Nominee must be age eighteen (18) or older
- The achievement(s) on which the nomination is based must have occurred between January 1, 2019 and December 31, 2019 to be eligible.
- Nominations should be based on the qualities provided above.

HOW TO NOMINATE

If you have a friend, neighbor, co-worker or relative that you feel fits the above-mentioned qualities and criteria, please complete the attached form and provide a written statement giving details which will help the board make their selection of the winning nomination. You may provide with your nomination, letters from others who would also support the nomination and may have additional information to add about the nominee's contributions to the community.

The nomination form, statement and any additional information must be turned in all together at one time. You may drop the nomination off at the Tourist Information Center Mon- Sat from 8am-2pm, or you may email a complete copy of the nomination in a PDF format to director@stjameschamber.net

The deadline to submit nominations is Friday, January 10, 2020.



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NOMINATION FORM

Deadline: Friday, January 10, 2020

Please complete the form below, providing as much detail as possible to assist the Board of Directors in voting for the winning entry.

I place in nomination the name of the following individual/couple for consideration to receive the 2019 Citizen of the Year Award:

Nominee's Information	
Name:	
Physical Address:	
Company/Organization Name if applicable:	
Email Address:	
Telephone Number:	
Submitting Person's Information	
Name:	
Telephone Number:	
Email Address:	
Relationship to Nominee:	

Please use the following page or attach a printed page giving a detailed letter or statement as to why the nominee should be awarded the title of Citizen of the Year.

Nominations can be dropped off at the St. James Tourist Information Center, Monday – Saturday from 8am – 2pm or can be emailed in a PDF format to director@stjameschamber.net . You may provide supporting letters of the nomination from others, however all information must be received together as one nomination packet.

All nominees will be invited to attend the St. James Chamber of Commerce Annual Dinner where the winner will be announced. Cost of the Annual Dinner event is \$35.00 per person. Winner of the award will be reimbursed for two tickets.



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NOMINATION LETTER/STATEMENT

Use this page to write or attach your letter of nomination. Be sure to include significant achievements, community activities, great strengths, special qualities, and any awards or recognition received for services.