Pied Piper Award
2008

It’s Time To Be Appreciated
For Your Brilliant Ideas

The Pied Piper Award recognizes excellence in the creation of promotional materials for a library program, or the creation of an individual program that promotes service to the young people of New York State Libraries. Send us a description of your creative program or copies of your promotional materials. You may be one of the dedicated librarians to be awarded the 2008 Pied Piper Award from the Youth Services Section of NYLA! Please review the criteria for submission and send all required information including the form below to:

Cathy Henderson
Greece Public Library
2 Vince Tofany Blvd.
Greece, NY 14612

Entries must be received by December 5, 2007 for items produced between January 1, 2007 and December 1, 2007.

Name:__________________________________________________________

Library:_________________________________________________________

Address:_________________________________________________________

Phone: ____________________ Fax: ______________ Email:_____________

By my signature below, I attest that all materials submitted for review is free of any and all copyright restrictions:

Signature ___________________________ Date ________________________
Criteria for Submission

All submissions must have been created and/or implemented within the twelve months prior to December 1st of the award year. For example, the 2008 award will be for work produced or programs implemented between January 1, 2007 and December 1, 2007.

Printed promotional material submissions: may include flyers, bookmarks, booklists, kits and tutorials or other promotional materials created for a programs special library event. Please submit three (3) original copies and one black and white master of all printed promotional materials.

Program submissions: must include instructions, how the program was implemented, who the intended audience of the program was, publicity generated about the program and the results achieved. Please submit three (3) full color packets and one (1) black and white master packet off all program materials as described above.

Deadline: December 5, 2007. The winner will be announced at the 2008 YSS Spring Conference.

Please note:

* Executive Board members and Pied Piper Committee members may not apply for the Pied Piper Award during their term of office.

* All materials must be submitted by December 5th of the award year. For example, all materials submitted for the 2007 award must be received by December 5, 2007.

* All materials submitted must be free of all copyright restrictions. The copyright statement on the application form must be signed.

* By submitting an entry, all responsible parties agree that other librarians may use, reproduce, and/or adapt the work to their own needs, provided proper credit is given. The basic concept of the printed material or program must be relatively easy to reproduce.

* Those responsible for submission of the winning submission may be asked to do one of the following:

  • If possible, supply one hundred (100) copies of their publication or program information for distribution to YSS members at the Spring Conference. If a large packet of information is submitted and is too expensive to reproduce, directions or instructions must be clear enough in order for others to reproduce the work.
  • Present their program at the YSS roundtable during NYLA Conference or the following year’s YSS Spring Conference.
  • Submit the information electronically so that it may be reproduced in our YSS Newsletter or on the YSS website.