

2008
TRUSTEE OF THE YEAR AWARD
Honoring outstanding service to a member library

Nominees should meet the following Eligibility Requirements:

- Member of the Board of Trustees of a SALS member library for the 2008 calendar year.
- Initiated service(s), program(s) or community involvement on behalf of the library.
- Demonstrated exemplary leadership characteristics.
- Pursued excellence in the library and sought to have the library make a difference in the community.

NOMINATION PROCEDURE:

- An individual may be nominated by the Library Director or a Trustee. The nomination should be submitted on **library letterhead** and be accompanied by any supporting materials. **Nominations by e-mail or fax will not be accepted.**
- Two awards will be given. One Trustee per library will be considered.
- The nomination must be received at SALS before 4:30 pm, Friday, March 27, 2009, Attention: Sara Dallas
- SALS Personnel Committee is responsible for the selection of the award recipients.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF AWARD:

- Award winners will be announced at the April 21, 2009 SALS Board Meeting and the awards will be presented at the SALS 51st Annual Meeting on May 18, 2009.
- Awards consist of a framed certificate honoring the recipient's achievements on behalf of his/her library and a financial award in the Trustee's name to his/her library.
- In the event that the award recipient is not present at the Annual Meeting, the certificate will be given to the library's Board President for presentation at the library's next Board meeting.

January 20, 2009