The Saratoga County 2024 Public History Award

Description:

The Saratoga County Public History Award is presented annually by the Saratoga County History Center at Brookside Museum to an individual or individuals that have made a significant contribution in preserving, interpreting, researching, publishing, promoting or otherwise extending knowledge and understanding of the history of Saratoga County. Their efforts demonstrate evidence of long-term dedication and personal commitment to advancing the understanding of that history.

Nomination Process:

Nominations for the 2024 award should be submitted to the History Center's Award committee by completing the form at www.brooksidemuseum.org by January 15, 2024. Selection of the award winner(s) targeted for March 1, 2024

Nomination submission form (attached pdf) should include:

- **Nominee Biography (~100 words)** Career or volunteer positions held, awards presented, public recognition achieved.

- **Nomination Narrative ~(250 words)**
  Examples of contributions may include but are not limited to the following:
  1. Programs and activities led by the nominee such as educational and interpretive programs; special events; festivals; reenactments; exhibits; historic preservation projects; tours; publications; development and implementation of new technology (websites, social media, documentaries); workshops, seminars and public presentations.
  2. Efforts to expand the preservation of Saratoga County History through research, documentation, conservation, genealogical and archival work, oral history projects, etc.

- **References.** Individuals and organizations that could be contacted by the Award Committee to assist in the selection of the award winner(s).

- **Documentation (optional)** Copies or links to articles and reviews (either by or about the nominee), brochures, and any other supporting materials that document exhibits, programs, historic preservation, and any other activities may accompany the award submission.

Notes:

- **Place of Residence –** Nominations are accepted on the basis of the nominee's contributions to Saratoga County History, regardless of residency.

- **Confidentiality –** Nominations will remain confidential by both the submitter and the Award committee until a selection is announced.