

Annual Chamber Awards Banquet

"The Academy Awards"



The Cheyenne County Chamber will be accepting nominations for the Annual Chamber Award Banquet, Saturday, February 10, at the Country Inn and Suites. Please take the time to recognize our great community leaders and return this form by **January 26, 2018.**

New Business of the Year — Given to a new business that has had a positive impact on the business community in 2017.

Name of Business: _____

Why are you nominating them? _____

Your Name: _____ phone # _____

Outstanding customer service — Outstanding customer service involves understanding the product or service being sold, going beyond customers' expectations, fulfilling explicit and implied promises to customers, showing respect and interacting with customers outside the parameters of business transactions. Exceptional customer service also involves developing real relationships with customers and listening to their concerns and desires.

Nomination: _____ phone# _____

Why are you nominating them? _____

Your Name: _____ phone# _____

Business Revitalization — Given to a business that has made considerable improvements or renovations to their business in 2017.

Name of Nominee: _____ phone # _____

Why are you are nominating them? _____

Your name: _____ phone # _____

Economic Development Project of the Year — Given to a company or developer for the most outstanding contribution with a major project completion affecting the economy of the area in 2017.

Name of Nominee _____ phone # _____

Why are your are nominating them? _____

Your name: _____ phone # _____

Community Leader Award — Given annually to an individual that has had a significant impact on the business and industry community.

Name of Nominee: _____ phone # _____

Why are you are nominating them? _____

Your name: _____ phone # _____

E.K. Yanney Award—E.K. Yanney was a banker from Lodgepole that was very active in economic development issues on a county-wide basis. He saw the need to make sure things in Sidney were progressive and growing, because it also affected all the other regional towns. He was very involved with the early day economic development groups such as Panhandle Growth Inc., and the High Plains Development Group, serving as president of both organizations. He was very active and support of the Cheyenne County Chamber of Commerce. It was his influence, along with John Egging, to give the Chamber a “County-wide” perspective, as opposed to just being know as a Sidney Chamber of Commerce.

Name of Nominee: _____ phone # _____

Why are you nominating them? _____

Your Name: _____ phone # _____

Citizen of the Year — The Citizen of the Year award(s) is given to honor an individual who has made an impact throughout the years throughout the area and recognized and regarded with pride as a role model. This outstanding citizen(s) is chosen for their definable, exceptional deeds, that have made their community a better place to live.

Name of Nominee: _____ phone # _____

Why are you nominating them? _____

Your Name: _____ phone # _____

Community Impact Award — Given to an organization, entity or developer that was instrumental in assisting business and industry development in the community.

Name of Nominee: _____ phone # _____

Why are you nominating them? _____

Your Name: _____ phone # _____

Heroes Among Us — What is a hero? We understand not everyone can make a stunning rescue or stop a bank robbery, but there are unsung heroes in our community. Below are five different examples of heroes. Nominate your hero:

- *Traditional heroes* are described as individuals who show exceptional talent or who perform a single great moral action.
- *Transparent heroes* are defined as individuals who do their heroic work behind the scenes, outside the public spotlight.
- *Transitional heroes* are described as people whose heroism is unique to a particular developmental stage in our lives.
- *Trending heroes* are defined as individuals who are on a trajectory toward becoming heroes.
- *Transitory heroes* are described as people who perform a single non-moral action that bring them great momentary fame.

Name of Nominee: _____ phone # _____

Why are you nominating them? _____

Your Name: _____ phone # _____

*Your name and contact information will not be shared. We will contact you if your nomination receives a award to get additional information. Please **return to the address below on or before January 26, 2017.***