



THE JOSEPH G. ROGERS AWARD

**For Dedication, Accomplishments
and Excellence
in YMCA Competitive Swimming and Diving**

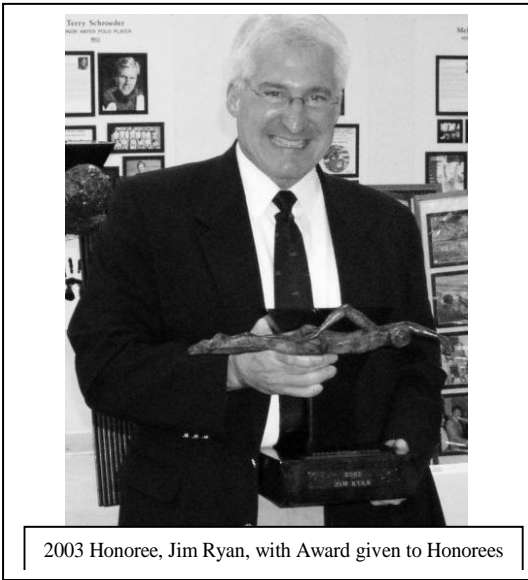
This award was established in 1974 as recognition of long and exceptional leadership, insight, dedication and friendship by a man whose YMCA career has touched and enriched the lives of countless young people. In his lifetime, Joe Rogers was the first recipient of the National Distinguished Service to Aquatics Award, was the organizer of the National Operating Council on Aquatics, and represented the YMCA on the U.S. Olympic Men's Swimming Committee.

The Joseph G. Rogers Award statue is permanently located in the International Swimming Hall of Fame Museum, Fort Lauderdale, Florida, with each Honoree's name affixed in bronze on the base. A replica of the statue is presented to each Honoree at the YMCA of the USA National Swimming and Diving Championships.

The creator of the statue is Daniel Gluck, whose abstract religious and sports sculptures (including the Brian Piccolo Award) are now on view in many public places around the United States. The beautifully sculptured award of bronze and marble stands over four feet in height, weight nearly 1,000 pounds and has a mounted swimming figure that stretches nearly four feet in length.



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2003 Honoree, Jim Ryan, with Award given to Honorees

AWARD HONOREES

1974	Edward L. Griffin	Minneapolis, MN
1975	Harold T. Frierhood	Bridgeport, CT
1976	James R. Stocker	Western Springs, IL
1977	Glenn Hummer	Huntington, IN
1978	C. Eugene Keltner	Orlando, FL
1979	John deBarbadillo	York, PA
1980	Charles McCaffree	East Lansing, MI
1981	Margaret Kelso	Dolton, IL
1982	Louis A. Cox	Dayton, OH
1983	Paul A. Atkinson	Kettering, OH
1984	William E. Daisley	Erie, PA
1985	Dr. Harold Henning	Naperville, IL
1986	Jack H. Tanner	Birmingham, AL
1987	G. Robert Mowerson	Minneapolis, MN
1988	Archie Harris	Normal, IL
1989	Clyde Truttmann	Green Bay, WI
1990	Ed Henn	Cincinnati, OH
1991	Dr. James E. Counsilman	Bloomington, IN
1992	Susan D. Clayton	Frazer, PA
1993	Wesley E. Walker	Kankakee, IL
1994	Lynn L. Rickert	Union City, IN
1995	Robert L. Golay	Tucson, AZ
1996	Gloria J. Summers	Chillicothe, OH
1997	John H. Higgins	Annapolis, MD
1998	Charles Butt	Brunswick, ME
1999	Glenda Pae	Dauphin, PA
2000	Millard Freeman	Key West, FL
2001	Jack VerHelst	Boone, IA
2002	Don Varner	Johnstown, PA
2003	Jim Ryan	Berwyn, PA
2004	Buck Dawson	Fort Lauderdale, FL
2005	Claudia Multer	Hamilton, OH
2006	Stu Marvin	Fort Lauderdale, FL
2007	Don Leas	Payson, AZ
2008	Rich Mueller	Sandwich, IL

NOMINATION GUIDELINES

Nominations of deserving candidates who demonstrate the YMCA core values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility intertwined with a sincere dedication to furthering and upgrading YMCA competitive swimming and diving standards are accepted each year by the Selection Committee. This individual must be a person with broad competitive swimming and diving interests with a thread woven to the YMCA at any and all levels for a period of not less than 5 years. Contributions and accomplishments must include some which have been on the national level.

Please complete the following information when submitting a nominee for consideration by the Selection Committee. Once a person has been placed in nomination they will be notified and mailed an information form to complete. This form will remain on file for a period of two years.

Information to be included:

1. Name, address and phone number of the nominee.
2. Informative paragraph(s) to give the Selection Committee insight as to your candidate's contribution(s) to the YMCA's competitive swimming and diving program.
3. Should there be a need to seek additional information and/or clarification of material submitted, please include your name, address and phone number with your nomination.

Mail the nomination information to:

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