

Unsung Hero Award Policy

Recognizing UUCV Individuals as Unsung Heroes

It is the policy of the Board of Trustees (Board) of the Unitarian Universalists of the Cumberland Valley (UUCV) to honor a person or persons in the congregation who have made significant personal contributions. Typically, this recipient has not sought recognition or been given adequate appreciation for all that she/he has done. In the past, our founding ministers selected the recipient, and in our transition process to a new settled minister, the Board has assumed the responsibility.

Consequently, the Board proposes to continue the award through the following process:

1. In February of each year, a Board Member will be appointed to coordinate and seek nominations for the Unsung Hero award from the congregants. Nominations from the congregation at-large will be sought by using our media resources and congregational posting announcements. A date for final submission will be established by the Board for some time in February.
2. The coordinating Board member will have two other at-large committee members who will review, select, and recommend the person(s) to the Board.
3. In March the recipient will be announced at a Sunday Service which is to be coordinated with the Worship Coordinator.
4. The named recipient(s) will be added to the Unsung Hero commemorative plaque, and the coordinator will write an article for the newsletter to announce the recipient.
5. This honor is a one-time honor and the recipient(s) cannot have received this honor in the past.