



ASIAN AMERICAN COALITION OF CHICAGO

The 26th Annual Lunar New Year Celebration

Cultural Threads Woven into the Fabric of a United Future

Hosted by the Korean American Association of Chicago

January 24, 2009 ~ Hyatt Regency O'Hare

AWARD GUIDELINES

COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD: honors one person from each community who has shown exemplary service and dedication to enhance the well being of his/her community members.

- Nominee must be resident of Illinois for a minimum of one year.
- Nominee must be sponsored by an organization that has been established for a minimum of one year.
- Only one nomination may be made per community; multiple nominees per community will not be accepted.
- The person or agency sponsoring a nominee for the Community Service Award must be on the AACC Awards Committee or a member of the 2008/2009 Asian American Coalition of Chicago.

PING TOM MEMORIAL (Pan-Asian) AWARD: honors one person who has performed notable community service for the Asian American community.

- Nominee cannot be a member of the host community; therefore, this year's nominees cannot be of Korean ancestry.
- Nominee must be sponsored by an organization that has been established for a minimum of one year.

GRAND ASIAN AWARD: presented to one non-Asian who has performed exceptional community service for the Asian community.

- Nominee must be non-Asian.
- Nominee must be sponsored by an organization that has been established for a minimum of one year.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Please submit the nomination form to the 2008 AACC Award Chair, Paul Park, by November 21, 2008. Nominations after the deadlines will not be considered by the award committee.

Please submit nominations via mail to the address below or to info@aacchicago.org. Please see nomination form for more details.