



# HALL OF FAME NOMINATION

**Nominate a person living or deceased whose impact on Princeville has been notable?**

**Welcome to the Princeville Hall of Fame.** A community committed to preserving and celebrating its historic significance.

## **BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

**Bobbie Jones- Mayor**  
**JoeRoam Myrick – Mayor Pro Tem**  
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**Alvin Jones – Commissioner**  
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## **MISSION:**

1. To honor citizens or individuals abroad who have made broad and lasting contributions to the betterment of the Town of Princeville or who have brought recognition to the community through their accomplishments.
2. To stimulate an interest in and an appreciation for the history of this community and the understanding of the resiliency of citizens.
3. To inspire area young people to greater achievement and community investment.
4. Improve the area's economy by increasing tourism, thereby creating new jobs.

## **NOMINATION GUIDELINES:**

The nominee must have made broad, significant, and lasting contributions to the betterment of the community or brought recognition to the community through their accomplishments that subsequently lead to community awareness. All nominations will be considered by the Selection Committee. The Selection Committee will consist of 5 members and every effort will be made to select committee members that have no ties to the Town of Princeville. This way, he/she can remain impartial. Inductees will be officially announced on Friday, February 16, 2024, during the Town's 139<sup>th</sup> banquet celebration. All materials submitted for inductee consideration will become a part of the permanent files of the Princeville Hall of Fame records and will not be returned.

## **CRITERIA:**

- Any individual, organization civic, charitable, religious, industrial, or professional may enter one or more nominees by following the guidelines and criteria. For each category, there must be an application submission. Please assure that the nominee meets the category description.
- The completed form is the primary tool used to determine the merits of each nominee for induction into the Princeville Hall of Fame.

- The official nomination form supplied by the Town must be used. The form will be posted on the Town’s webpage. The nomination form can also be mailed upon request or picked up from the Town Hall, Monday-Friday from 8am-4:00pm.
- The nominee must be or have been a legal resident of the Town of Princeville (past or current). Exceptions will be considered for non-residents who have had a long and distinguished work history and contribution to the Town of Princeville.
- All nominations will be considered by the Selection Committee. The selection committee’s decisions are final. Inductees will be notified prior to the official public announcement on February 16, 2024. It will be the nominator’s responsibility to ensure that the inductee meets all timeline request submissions. The inductee and one guest will receive complementary tickets to the banquet.
- It is the nominator’s responsibility to provide complete and adequate background information on the nominee, including photographs. Articles, speeches, letters, etc. may also be submitted.
- An Inductee per category will be selected.

**PLEASE NOTE:** It is very important that the inductee or the inductee’s family cooperate with the photographer by making available pictures and other memorabilia reflecting the inductee’s accomplishments. These items will be returned by the photographer.

## **CATEGORIES**

- (1) **Sports:** The purpose of the Sports Hall of Fame is to celebrate a sport star of today or of the past from the Town of Princeville or an individual abroad who made a positive impact on the community and brought recognition to the Town as a sports star.
- (2) **Education:** The Education Hall of Fame honors an individual who has gone above and beyond their expected duties in creating a safe and inclusive environment to empower the people around them through learning resources, building a strong sense of community, overcoming challenges and being a lifelong learner. Sharing learning experiences and opportunities with the community. Using his/her educational skills to impact households in the community.
- (3) **Public/Community Service:** The Public/Community Service Hall of Fame honors an individual who served as a public figure and one who exceeded the call of duty in serving the community. One who is at the forefront or was with projects, activities, events, and demonstration of forward thinking for the Town, producing positive outcomes.
- (4) **Agricultural:** The Agricultural Hall of Fame touches the lives of every person. The food we eat, the clothes we wear, the way of life that developed the values, economy and culture of the community all find roots in agriculture. The focus is community farming with produce positively impacting the community, assisting with food insecurities.
- (5) **Entrepreneurship:** The Entrepreneurship Hall of Fame honors a successful and influential person. One who made or makes a significant impact including revenue and profit achievement, employment generation, contribution to community-oriented projects and innovation of product or service.
- (6) **Entertainment:** The Entertainment Hall of Fame honors one who has or had a lifelong career of performing and entertaining. One who is recognized for his/her advanced skills,

training, and talent, shared with this community to inspire, mentor and or have left a remaining legacy.

- (7) Citizenship: The citizenship Hall of Fame honors an individual who has significantly contributed to the community, programming, activities and served as a great neighbor.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Nomination packets are available starting January 2, 2024. Application submissions must be submitted on or before January 31, 2024, by 4pm. Applications can be emailed to [Acarter@townofprinceville.com](mailto:Acarter@townofprinceville.com). All email submissions will receive a receipt confirmation response. If you do not receive an email confirmation of the application submission, it is the nominator's responsibility to call to confirm receipt. If submission is by postal mail, packet must be postdated and received by January 31, 2024. The application must be completed in its entirety. Otherwise, it will be disqualified from the process. The Town will promote this endeavor on as many platforms as possible. For more information relating to this process, please call the Town Hall at (252) 823-1057.

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## PRINCEVILLE'S HALL OF FAME (PHOF) APPLICATION

### NOMINATOR'S INFORMATION

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Full Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_  
Zip/Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_ Primary phone number \_\_\_\_\_  
Secondary phone number \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

### NOMINEE'S INFORMATION

Prefix \_\_\_\_\_ (Mr., Mrs., Miss, Dr., Prof., etc.) Full Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_  
Zip/Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_  
Primary phone number \_\_\_\_\_ Secondary phone number \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname or name known by \_\_\_\_\_  
Is the nominee  Living  Deceased  
If deceased, who will accept the inductee recognition \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone number \_\_\_\_\_  
email \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Dates of residency in Princeville \_\_\_\_\_ (put N/A if never lived in Princeville).

Nomination category \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Do not exceed a 600-word count (space included) for each of the following nominee highlights inquiry.**

Why should this nominee be selected for the Princeville Hall of Fame (PHOF)? \_\_\_\_\_  
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Broad category contribution made to the Town of Princeville by nominee.

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Family background of nominee.

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Current & background employment of nominee.

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Nominee's membership in Local, State, Regional and Nationwide organizations.

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Volunteerism with Local, State, Regional and National organizations