

# **The Bunker Hill High School – Musselman High School Alumni Association Outstanding Alumni Award**

## **Purpose of the Outstanding Alumni Award**

The purpose of the Outstanding Alumni Award is to recognize alumni who have maintained a high standard of excellence and distinguished themselves through their work, personal accomplishments, or in the lives of others. These individuals exemplify the ideals of the school and the community it serves and should be held as role models for current and future students.

## **Award Criteria**

### **Nominees:**

- Must be an alumni of either Bunker Hill High School or Musselman High School as defined by the *Merriam-Webster Dictionary* as “a person who has attended or has graduated from a particular school”;
- Must have attended either Bunker Hill High School or Musselman High school for a minimum of at least two (2) years;
- Must have attended or graduated at least ten (10) years prior to the year of nomination;
- Must be in good standing in their community, past and present;
- Must have demonstrated positive leadership and service or contributions to their community; and
- Must exhibit personal characteristics recognized by society as acceptable, appropriate, and worthy enough to be acknowledged as a “role model.”

### **Other:**

- Awards may not be given posthumously;
- A maximum of three (3) individuals will be selected each year;
- Former nominees who were not previously selected to receive the award may be nominated again; and
- Nominations for the Outstanding Alumni Award will be open January 1 through March 1 of the award year.

## **Selection Committee**

As specified in the *Constitution and By-Laws of the Bunker Hill High School – Musselman High School Alumni Association*, the Outstanding Alumni Committee oversees the receipt of nominations and selection of the recipients of the yearly awards. Each year, the Chairperson of the current Outstanding Alumni Award Committee will present to the alumni association president a slate of five (5) volunteer judges to serve as the selection committee for the award(s). Upon approval, those who have been recommended will be invited to serve on the panel. Individuals serving on the panel must be members in good standing in the alumni association and cannot be a nominee for the current year award. The Chairperson may at their discretion excuse and/or replace a member of the selection committee in the event a conflict of interest arises, such as a family member being nominated. The Outstanding Alumni Award Committee will notify only the nominator(s) of the individual(s) who have been selected to receive the award.

***Please see reverse for Nomination Form***