



MASA Awards Dinner

April 4, 2018

Sponsored By Tueth Keeney Cooper Mohan & Jackstadt PC and Horace Mann

Friend of Education Award

Scott Goldstein	Southwest
Sue Heckart	West Central
Hollis + Miller Architects	Greater Kansas City
Leroy Huff	Northeast
Randy & Veronica McDonnell	Greater St. Louis
Neil Nuttall	Northwest
Gary Romine	Southeast
Sean Siebert	South Central
Margie Vandeven	Statewide MASA

Honorary Life Members

W. A. Andy Anderson	Canton R-V
Steven Brotherton	Affton
Jim Carver	Arcadia Valley R-II
Brad Crocker	Valley R-VI
Freddie Doherty	Oak Grove R-VI
Michael Fulton	Pattonville R-III
Tim Hager	Iron Co C-4
Stephen Kleinsmith	Nixa
Ken Latham	Chaffee R-II
Jeffrey Lindsey	Ste Genevieve R-II
Jeffrey Marion	St Charles R-VI
Desmond Mayberry	Central R-III
Robert Newhart	St Joseph
Brad Pollitt	Sedalia
Janie Pyle	Raytown C-2
Lyn Reed	Van Buren R-I
Jim Schultz	North Andrew Co. R-VI
Jim Simpson	Lindbergh
Wesley Townsend	Pleasant Hill R-III
Donna Wright	Sweet Springs R-VII

New Superintendent Award

Mark T. Bedell	Kansas City	Greater Kansas City
Scott Cook	Mt. Vernon	Southwest
Bethany Deal	Richwoods R-VII	South Central
Jerry Girdner	Princeton R-V	Northwest
Derek Lark	Santa Fe R-X	West Central
Judd Marquis	Bellevue R-III	Southeast
Matthew Miller	Moberly	Northeast
Jim Wipke	Fox C-6	Greater St. Louis

Special Retiree

Phil Lewis	MASSP
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Emeritus Educators

Terry Adams	Greater St. Louis
Dennis Fisher	Greater Kansas City
Jerry Giger	South Central
Ronald Lankford	Southwest
Bryan McDonald	West Central
James L. Ruse	Northwest
Nicholas J. Thiele	Southeast
David Tramel	Northeast

Twenty-Five Year Service Award

Roger Barnes	Chillicothe R-II	Northwest
Troy Bollinger	Central R-III	Southeast
Patrick Call	Maries Co R-II	South Central
Freddie Doherty	Oak Grove R-VI	Greater Kansas City
Brian Garner	Stanberry R-II	Northwest
Tim Hager	Iron Co C-4	Southeast
Jeff Marion	St Charles R-VI	Greater St. Louis

Pearce Award Nominees (see back for bios)

Timothy D. Hager	Iron County C-4	Southeast
Jeff Marion	St. Charles R-VI	Gtr St. Louis
Allan Markley	Raytown C-2	Gtr Kansas City
Robert Newhart	St. Joseph	Northwest
Kevin D. Patterson	Ozark R-VI	Southwest
Peter Stiepleman	Columbia 93	Northeast
Wesley Townsend	Pleasant Hill R-III	West Central
Lori VanLeer	Washington	South Central

Dessert Reception to Follow Awards Banquet Immediately Next Door

Sponsored by Stifel

Pearce Award Nominees



Timothy D. Hager

Iron County C-4 School District
Southeast MASA District

Timothy Hager is the superintendent at the Iron County C-4 School District. Previously he served as the superintendent of the East Carter R-II Schools. Timothy was principal at Southern Reynolds Co. R-II High School and middle school and elementary principal at Doniphan R-I and Van Buren R-I Schools.



Kevin D. Patterson

Ozark R-VI School District
Southwest MASA District

Kevin Patterson is the superintendent at Ozark R-VI School District. Kevin has served the Ozark Schools as an administrator for 22 years. Prior to his role as superintendent, Kevin was the assistant superintendent, Junior High and High School principal.



Jeff Marion

St. Charles R-VI School District
Greater St. Louis MASA District

Jeff Marion has served as the St. Charles R-VI District superintendent for the past six years. Previously, Jeff served as an assistant superintendent at St. Charles R-VI and as a principal and assistant principal at Pattonville, Ft. Zumwalt and Wentzville School Districts.



Peter Stiepleman

Columbia Public Schools 93
Northeast MASA District

Peter Stiepleman is the superintendent of the Columbia Public Schools 93. Peter has also served the Columbia Public Schools as an assistant superintendent, principal and assistant principal. Peter also served as an assistant principal in the Oakland (CA) Unified School District.



Allan Markley

Raytown C-2 School District
Greater Kansas City MASA District

Allan Markley has served as the Raytown C-2 superintendent for the past ten years. Previously, Allan served as superintendent for Logan-Rogersville and Sparta R-III School Districts. Allan also served as a principal at Sparta High School.



Wesley Townsend

Pleasant Hill R-III School District
West Central MASA District

Wesley Townsend is completing his 15th year as superintendent of the Pleasant Hill R-III School District. Previously, Wesley served as superintendent at the Hayti R-II School District. He also served as middle school/high school principal in the Hayti schools and at North Pemiscot R-I Schools.



Robert Newhart

St. Joseph School District
Northwest MASA District

Robert Newhart is the superintendent at St. Joseph School District. Previously, Robert served as superintendent for the Princeton R-V, Lexington R-V and Polo R-VII School Districts.



Lori VanLeer

School District of Washington
South Central MASA District

Lori VanLeer is completing her ninth year as superintendent of the School District of Washington. Lori also served as an assistant superintendent and assistant principal in the Washington schools.