

Town of Topsfield



Topsfield, Massachusetts

Recreation Committee

The Maryellen McGee “Pillar of the Community Award”

This annual award is given in loving memory of Maryellen McGee, a long-time resident of Topsfield and Professor of Leisure Studies at Salem State College, who sadly passed away on December 3rd, 2005 after a brief struggle with cancer. She was an example to all those who knew her of what's truly a remarkable human being: She was selfless, caring, generous, genuine, intelligent, helpful and thoughtful. She was involved in many community activities, such as the Topsfield Recreation Committee, HAWC, the American Red Cross, Strongest Link AIDS Services, TESPTO and Campfire Girls.

This award will be presented annually at the Holiday Walk, which was one of Maryellen's favorite events, to a member of the Topsfield community who has for many years gone out of their way to make life better for the people of Topsfield. The recipient is selected each year by the Topsfield Recreation Committee. Persons eligible for this award are those who demonstrate superior community service and have contributed their time, resources, and efforts to community organizations.

Nominations for this award should be submitted to the chair of the Topsfield Recreation Committee. Please state your reasons for nominating this candidate on an attachment or on the back of this form. Consider creativity, achievement, special recognitions, honors, or any other special successes, which make the nominee deserving of this prestigious award.

Nominee Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

E-mail: _____

Nominator Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

E-mail: _____

Applications must be received by November 1, 2009. Send them to Pillar of Community Award, C/O Stephen Powers, P.O. Box 44, Topsfield, MA 01983. Nomination forms are available on the Topsfield Recreation Website at www.topsfieldrecreation.org.