



Business  
Leader  
of the Year  
Award

# 2010 Business Leader Awards

May 26, 2010 12:00pm at the Springside Inn

## Nomination Request

Help us recognize the value of our business community, and acknowledge their contribution to the economy & overall development of Cayuga County.

Awards will be given in the following categories:

### **Terri Bridenbecker Young Professional Award**

Recognizes a individual who is pursuing excellence in their career. A young professional is a goal oriented person under the age of 40.

### **Small Business of the Year Award**

- \* **In Business 2-5 Years** - demonstrates entrepreneurship evidenced by diversification, creativity & imagination.
- \* **In Business 6-14 Years** - demonstrates the ability to overcome adversities in the ever-changing business environment.
- \* **In Business 15+ Years** - demonstrates staying power with a commitment to community involvement.

### **Business Leader Award**

- \* **Under 50 Employees** - a business that continually invests in Cayuga County & has shown leadership by taking an active role in the future of our community.
- \* **Over 50 Employees** - a business that continually invests in Cayuga County & has shown leadership by taking an active role in the future of our community.

### **Non-Profit of the Year Award**

Recognizes a non-profit organization that contributes to the success of our community by raising the quality of life, or contributes to the economic base of Cayuga County.

#### **Nomination Guidelines:**

- \* The nominee's business must be a Chamber Member in good standing for a minimum of *two years*.
- \* All nominees must be living at the time they are nominated.
- \* The Award Committee may decline to recommend a nominee for an award, or may recommend that two individuals share an award.

**Please turn over for Nomination Form**

# 2010 Business Leader Awards

You are encouraged to nominate your own business or another.

Nominate more than one business...Just make copies of this form.

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## Check which Award your nomination is for:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Terri Bridenbecker Young Professional Award           | <input type="checkbox"/> Business Leader Under 50 Employees |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Small Business of the Year Award in business 2-5 Yrs  | <input type="checkbox"/> Business Leader Over 50 Employees  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Small Business of the Year Award in business 6-14 Yrs | <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Profit of the Year             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Small Business of the Year Award in business 15+ Yrs  |   |
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Past nominations may be re-submitted. *A maximum of one additional page may be used.*

Name of Nominee \_\_\_\_\_ Business \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Years business has been established \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Years as CEO/Owner/Manager \_\_\_\_\_

Current Number of Employees \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Years as Chamber Member \_\_\_\_\_

**Why are you nominating this business/ individual(s)?**

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**Contribution to the Community** *(include organizations, offices held, dates, etc.)*

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## Proud Sponsors of this Year's Luncheon:



# Five Star Bank

**NOMINATION DEADLINE : May 6, 2010**

**All Information will be kept confidential**

Nominator \_\_\_\_\_ Business \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Return This Form To:**

Cayuga County Chamber of Commerce

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