

# Niagara River Region Chamber of Commerce Award Honorees

## 2019

**Chairman's Partnership Award** – Niagara Frontier Publications  
**Lewiston Business of the Year** – Casa Antica  
**Youngstown Business of the Year** – The Youngstown Galley  
**Ransomville Business of the Year** – Ransomville Speedway  
**Sanborn Business of the Year** – G-Mac's Inn  
**Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – Rev. Msgr. David G. LiPuma  
**Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year** – Shawn D'Luhy  
**Town of Porter Citizen of the Year** – Gary Zanardi  
**Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – Glenn Wienke

## 2018

**Chairman's Partnership Award** – Kiwanis Club of Lewiston  
**Lewiston Business of the Year** – Canterbury Place  
**Youngstown Business of the Year** – Lakeside Quarter Horses  
**Ransomville Business of the Year** – Ed's Garage  
**Sanborn Business of the Year** – Innovative Card Solutions  
**Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – Alexander & Colleen Swavy  
**Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year** – Helen Murray  
**Town of Porter Citizen of the Year** – Linda White  
**Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – David Perrault

## 2017

**Chairman's Award** –Niagara Falls National Heritage Area  
**Lewiston Business of the Year** – Apple Granny  
**Youngstown Business of the Year** – Sanger Farms & Bakery  
**Ransomville Business of the Year** – O'Connor Family Greenhouses and Garden Center  
**Sanborn Business of the Year** – Wilco Auto Care  
**Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – Claudia Marasco & Arlene Sliz  
**Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year** – Paul Waterstrat  
**Town of Porter Citizen of the Year** – Claudia Fleckenstein & Ellie Murphy  
**Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – Thomas Deal  
**River Region Partnership Award** – Rainbow Air, Inc.

## 2016

**Chairman's Award** – Modern Corporation  
**Lewiston Business of the Year** – Warren's Village Hardware  
**Youngstown Business of the Year** – Ray's Tavern  
**Ransomville Business of the Year** – Porter Empty Return Center  
**Sanborn Business of the Year** – Niagara County Central Rotary  
**Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – Tim Henderson  
**Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year** – Robert "Bob" Monroe  
**Town of Porter Citizen of the Year** – Hon. David Truesdale  
**Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – Ronald Winkley  
**River Region Partnership Award** – Supermarket Liquors and Wines

## 2015

**Chairman's Award** – Rivershore, Inc.  
**Lewiston Business of the Year** – Lewiston Music  
**Youngstown Business of the Year** – The Ontario House "Stone Jug"  
**Ransomville Business of the Year** – Knead the Dough  
**Sanborn Business of the Year** – KeyBank  
**Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – Tasia Fitzpatrick

**Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year** – Marjorie McCollum  
**Town of Porter Citizen of the Year** – Tom Baia  
**Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – Paulette Glasgow  
**River Region Partnership Award** – Lewiston Council on the Arts

## **2014**

**Chairman's Award** – Great Lakes Real Estate  
**Lewiston Business of the Year** – Water Street Landing  
**Youngstown Business of the Year** – Bandana's Bar & Grill  
**Ransomville Business of the Year** – Patti's Cut Above  
**Sanborn Business of the Year** – Sanborn Old General Store Antique Co-op  
**Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – James R. Franey  
**Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year** – Tina Oddy  
**Town of Porter Citizen of the Year** – Ransomville Volunteer Fire Company  
**Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – Lee Simonson  
**River Region Partnership Award** – Brett's Tent & Awning

## **2013**

**Chairman's Award** – Artpark & Company  
**Lewiston Business of the Year** – The Brickyard BBQ & Pub / Tin Pan Alley  
**Youngstown Business of the Year** – Melloni's Market Place  
**Ransomville Business of the Year** – Fillmore Chapel United Methodist Church  
**Sanborn Business of the Year** – Wendt's Propane and Oil  
**Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – Dr. Jerry Mosey  
**Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year** – Claudia Andres  
**Town of Porter Citizen of the Year** – Bill and Jean Siddall  
**Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – Lewiston Volunteers of Mount St. Mary's Hospital & Health Center  
**River Region Partnership Award** – Tedesco Construction Services, Inc.

## **2012**

**Chairman's Award** – First Niagara Bank  
**Lewiston Business of the Year** – Angel to Apple  
**Youngstown Business of the Year** – Ashker's Cafe and Ice Cream Shop  
**Ransomville Business of the Year** – Ransomville Free Methodist Church  
**Sanborn Business of the Year** – H.A. Treichler & Sons Greenhouse  
**Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – Robert Hotchkiss Welch  
**Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year** – Neil Riordan  
**Town of Porter Citizen of the Year** - Kathy Zasucha and Ramona Lockhart  
**Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – Niagara Powerlifting Club

## **2011**

**Chairman's Award** - DiMino's Lewiston Market, Inc – Tops  
**Lewiston Business of the Year** - Lewiston Village Pub & Restaurant  
**Youngstown Business of the Year** - Heritage Auto Service and Repair  
**Ransomville Business of the Year** - Ransomville Bus Lines, Inc.  
**Sanborn Business of the Year** - Sanborn Market Place  
**Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** - Richard Hermanson  
**Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year** - Timothy Adamson  
**Town of Porter Citizen of the Year** - Paul Beatty Sr. & Paul Beatty Jr.  
**Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** - Town of Lewiston Recreation Program Volunteer Baseball & Softball Coaches

## **2010**

**Chairmans Award** – Old Fort Niagara  
**Town of Porter Citizen of the Year** – Nancy Orsi

**Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – Home Delivered Meals Volunteers from Lewiston Senior Center & Sanborn  
**Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** – Claudia J. Marasco  
**Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year** – Dave Webb  
**Lewiston Business of the Year** – The Village Bake Shoppe  
**Youngstown Business of the Year** – Anchor Spirits  
**Ransomville Business of the Year** – Johnston’s Restaurant  
**Sanborn Business of the Year** – Tina’s Place Restaurant

## **2009**

**Chairmans Award** - Niagara University  
**Town of Porter Citizen of the Year** - Suzanne Dietz  
**Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** - Jonathan Schultz  
**Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** - Pam Hauth  
**Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year** - Peggy Hanson  
**Lewiston Business of the Year** - Coppins Service Center, Inc.  
**Youngstown Business of the Year** - Main Street Pizzeria  
**Ransomville Business of the Year** - The Motor Clinic  
**Sanborn Business of the Year** - Sanborn Area Historical Association

## **2008**

**Chairman’s Award** - Whirlpool Jet Boat  
**Town of Porter Citizen of the Year** - John MacArther  
**Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** - Margaret “Peggy” Salada  
**Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** - Lester Meyers  
**Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year** - Gretchen Duling  
**Lewiston Business of the Year** - The Orange Cat Coffee Co.  
**Youngstown Business of the Year** - Victoria’s Family Haircare and Tanning  
**Ransomville Business of the Year** - JF Machining  
**Sanborn Business of the Year** - The Mill Marketplace

## **2007**

**Chairman’s Award** - Mt. St. Mary’s Hospital and Health Center  
**Youngstown Business of the Year** - The Youngstown Village Diner  
**Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year** - John “Butch” Cannon  
**Ransomville Business of the Year** - KiPo Motors Chevrolet of Ransomville  
**Town of Porter Citizen of the Year** - Douglas Diez  
**Sanborn Business of the Year** - Rhoney Funeral Home  
**Lewiston Business of the Year** - Tin Pan Alley and The Brickyard  
**Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** - Ronald Winkley  
**Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** - Robert L. Bull Jr., MD

## **2006**

**Chairman’s Award** - New York Power Authority  
**Youngstown Business of the Year** - Old Fort Niagara and Robert Emerson, Executive Director  
**Youngstown Citizen of the Year** - Robert C. Reese/RCR Yachts  
**Ransomville Business of the Year** - Peter Baker Farms  
**Porter Citizen of the Year** - William Choboy  
**Lewiston Business of the Year** - Gorge Travel, Inc.  
**Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** - Marianne Gittermann, Recreation Department  
**Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** - William (Bill) Mayne  
**Sanborn Business Person of the Year** - Glenn Wienke

## **2005**

**Chairman's Award** - Artpark & Company

**Youngstown Business Person of the Year** - Margery Stratton, Dan and Lucy Wilson Realty

**Youngstown Citizen of the Year** - John Trunzo

**Ransomville Business of the Year** - Stevenson Hardware

**Porter Citizen of the Year** - Mildred Hillman

**Lewiston Business of the Year** - Hibbard's Dry Cleaners, Hibbard's Liquor Store, Hibbard's Custard Stand and Hibbard Agency

**Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** - Mike Molnar

**Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year** - Mayor Richard Soluri

**Sanborn Business Person of the Year** - Hoover Dairy

## **2004**

**Business of the Year** – Favorite's Pizza

**Business Person of the Year** – Margy Toohey, Lewiston Insurance Agency

**Benjamin Barton Service Award** – The Niagara River Charter Captains Association & The Niagara River Anglers

**Morgan Lewis Partnership Award** – Niagara University

**Lewiston Mayor & Supervisor's Award** – Mamie & Si Simonson

**Youngstown-Porter Mayor & Supervisors Award** – Tom Tower, Tom Tower's Farm Market

**Special Recognition Award** – Former Lewiston Supervisor Sandra Jo Maslen & Artpark's 30<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration

## **2003**

**Business of the Year** – Carmelo's Coat of Arms

**Business Person of the Year** – Marcia Steiner, Mount St. Mary's Hospital & Health Center

**Benjamin Barton Service Award** – Vince Corriere, Vines Lewiston Restaurant, Vincenzo Morreale, Vincenzo's Pizza House, Bobbie Scully, Village Vendor, Richard Williams, Lewiston Postman

**Morgan Lewis Partnership Award** – Modern Corporation

**Lewiston Mayor & Supervisor's Award** – Gary Townsend

**Youngstown-Porter Mayor & Supervisors Award** – Cora Gushee

**"WOW" Award for Customer Service Excellence** – Janice McCaw, HSBC Bank USA

## **2002**

**Business of the Year** – Stuart Sports

**Business Person of the Year** – Brad Hardison, Hardison Funeral Homes, Inc.

**Benjamin Barton Service Award** – The Lewiston Garden Club

**Morgan Lewis Partnership Award** – Niagara Frontier Publication/Lewiston Sentinel

**Lewiston Mayor & Supervisor's Award** – Mert & Eleanor Marshall

**A Community Salute to our Firefighters & Police Officers**

## **2001**

**Business of the Year** – Village Hardware

**Business Person of the Year** – John Roberts, Apple Granny Restaurant

**Employee of the Year** - Sally Schoonmaker – Joette's Fashion & Gift Boutique

**Benjamin Barton Service Award** – Lewiston-Queenston Rotary

**Morgan Lewis Partnership Award** – Sally & Susan Knize, The Caravan

**Past President's Civic Pride Award** – The Quain Weber Family