

The Wisconsin Polka Hall of Fame

A Non-Profit, Wisconsin based corporation formed in 1995, Dedicated to Recognize and Honor those individuals who have excelled in the Performance, Preservation, and Promotion of Polka Music in the State of Wisconsin.

The Wisconsin Polka Hall of Fame historically maintains the various ethnic backgrounds of the traditional music of Wisconsin for generations to come.

Members of the Wisconsin Polka Hall of Fame are entitled to **Nominate and Vote** for persons who have made contributions to Polka Music in the State of Wisconsin. Awards are given to Winners of the Nominees in categories as:

- Lifetime Achievement
- Cultural Heritage Award
- Support and Promotion
- Honor Roll Award
- Side Person of the Year
- Band of the Year
- Youth Achievement
- Youth Mentor

2010 WPHF NOMINEES

Lifetime Achievement

Alvin Styczynski* (winner) Norm Dombrowski

Honor Roll

Alvin Styczynski Harold Otto
Mark Jirikovec Gary Brueggen
Neal Zunker Roger Bright Bill Sackett

Support & Promotion

Aaron Schulte "Tuba Dan" Jerabek

Side Person of the Year

Tom Schneider Guenther Uhlig
Laurie Solberg Denis Thull Cliff Penniston
Mike Marnocha Curt Traska

Cultural Heritage Award

Pommersche Tansdell Freistadt
(S.V.E.V.) D'Oberlandler

Band of the Year

Polish Connection
Neal Zunker and the Music Connection
New Generation

Youth Mentor

Jason J. Sebranek

Youth Achievement

Emmitt Raczkowski

Please join us at the...

Wisconsin Polka Hall of Fame

Spring Dance

Sunday April 10th, 2011

Heritage Farm

(Located 5 miles south of Kewaunee)

N2251 State Road 42

Kewaunee, WI 54216

Music by Dave Duescher

1-5 pm

The Wisconsin Polka Hall of Fame

Invites you to become a member

Your membership allows you to Nominate and Vote for your favorite Wisconsin musician, band and other "Polka Music" related person.

Join Now!!!

One Year \$10.00

Three Year \$25.00*

*Includes WPHF CD

For first time members*

****LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP**

ONLY \$100.00**

Includes WPHF CD + any future Hall of Fame album releases

Send your name, address, phone #, and Email address with check to:

Membership Processing

C/o Tom Schneider

2021 S. Kernan Ave. Appleton, WI 54915

Only 1 name per enrollment form, please

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____

STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____

EMAIL _____

CHECK all that apply. I am a:

Band Leader ___ Sideman ___ Dancer ___

Club Owner ___ Music Lover ___

For more information - please visit us at:
www.wisconsinpolkahalloffame.com

Membership

Join the **Wisconsin Polka Hall of Fame** and help support the official music and dance in the State of Wisconsin! Memberships help the Wisconsin Polka Hall of Fame to recognize and honor music of various ethnic backgrounds, promoters, supporters, and musicians throughout Wisconsin. Let's keep this rich Wisconsin tradition of polka music and the official State dance preserved for generations to come. **Only with your help and support** will this be possible!

Benefits of Membership

- **Voting Rights**
 - Nominate & Vote Candidate(s) into the Wisconsin Polka Hall of Fame
 - Nominate & Elect Board Members
- Discounts at sponsored dances
- Receive newsletter updates and other information
- "Three Year" and "Lifetime Members" receive a **FREE** Wisconsin Polka Hall of Fame, Inc. CD (New Members Only)
- * "Lifetime Members" will receive ALL future CDs as created.*

Thank you for supporting the Wisconsin polka music!

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Nominees & Inductees

The procedure of selecting and voting for nominees and inductees into the **WPHF** are performed by the **WPHF** membership at large, with each member (the Officers and Board of Directors included), casting one vote. The process begins in late summer when nomination requests are mailed to the entire roster of members. The returned forms are presented unopened, to a certified public accountant for tabulation and are returned to the **WPHF** Board.

The qualified **nominees** are posted on a ballot in their appropriate categories, and again, sent to the entire membership where this vote is for **induction**. The tabulation process is repeated and the resulting information (tabulated only by the **Certified Public Accountants**) allows the board to manufacture the awards and plaques. At this time, only the **Lifetime Achievement Award** winner is made public. All other award winners are only known by the **CPA** and kept secure, until late Fall, when the sealed envelopes are opened for each respective category at the **Awards Ceremony**.

WISCONSIN POLKA HALL OF FAME 2010-2011 A.D.

OFFICERS

<u>President</u>	<u>Vice-President</u>
"Tuba Dan" Jerabek	Mark Hildebrand
<u>Secretary</u>	<u>Treasurer</u>
Aaron Schulke	Tom Schneider

Board of Directors

Rick Gundrum	Don "Red" Roskopf
Dan Jerabek Jr.	Barry Motl
Kevin Hemm	Greg Laabs
	Gary Brueggan



2011

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TODAY!