

2016

The Johnathan U. Newman

Legal Citizen of the Year Award Dinner



Classroom Law Project's Annual

LEGAL CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARD DINNER & BENEFIT

Wednesday, April 27, 2016

Classroom Law Project is a nonprofit organization of individuals, educators, lawyers and civic leaders building strong communities by teaching students to become active citizens. With five dedicated staff and more than 600 volunteers, last year alone CLP brought high-quality civic education programs to more than 50,000 students and 700 teachers across the state of Oregon.

Now in its 32nd year, Classroom Law Project's Jonathan U. Newman Legal Citizen of the Year Award Dinner & Benefit is one of Portland's most celebrated events within the legal, civic and business community. Each year, over 400 guests come together to honor Oregon's civic leaders and educators and to raise critical funds for one of the nation's premiere civic and law-related education organizations.

The Jonathan U. Newman Legal Citizen of the Year Award recognizes the late Judge Newman for his leadership in encouraging and instilling respect for civic education. Each year, a leader is honored for his or her demonstrated commitment to the mission and principles of Classroom Law Project, including forwarding the principles and ideals of civic education and inspiring future citizens.

Classroom Law Project also honors an exemplary civic educator in Oregon. The Civic Educator of the Year Award is given to a teacher in Oregon who enhances the future of our democracy by instilling in his or her students the intelligence, energy and virtue to become participating citizens.

As CLP's most important fundraiser, proceeds from the Legal Citizen of the Year Award Dinner support the tens of thousands of students and hundreds of teachers who benefit each year from our hands-on, innovative programs including *We the People: The Citizen and the Constitution*, mock trial, *Project Citizen*, and myriad trainings and support offered to educators around the state.

2016 Legal Citizen of the Year Honoree

THE HONORABLE THOMAS A. BALMER
Chief Justice, Oregon Supreme Court

2015 - 16 Civic Educator of the Year

MS. NANCE CASE
Teacher, Terra Linda Elementary School

Event Details

Wednesday, April 27, 2016
The Sentinel Hotel, Portland
Cocktail Hour: 5:00 p.m.
Dinner & Awards: 6:30 p.m.

2016 President's Level Circle Member Sponsors:

Lewis & Clark Law School
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BENEFITS OF SPONSORSHIP:

- Exposure to an exclusive audience of more than 450 civic, legal and business leaders in the Portland metro area
- Exceptional opportunity to entertain clients
- Details of levels and benefits on the reverse

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS:

Presenting Sponsor:	\$ 10,000
Cocktail Hour Sponsor:	\$ 6,500
Wine Glass Sponsor:	\$ 5,000
Dessert Sponsor:	\$ 5,000
VIP Table Sponsor:	\$ 3,250
Table Sponsor:	\$ 1,750

HOW TO PARTICIPATE:

To secure a sponsorship or to reserve a table today, contact Jeannemarie Halleck, Director of Development, at 503.224.4424 or development@classroomlaw.org.

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Pre-Event Promotion						
Recognition on CLP website	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Recognition in Oregon State Bar Bulletin ad & other ads	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Logo or name on printed invitation (2,500 mailed) *	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Credit in all press releases	✓	✓				
Event Recognition						
Recognition in printed event program (600 printed) **	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Logo or Name on event signage	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Recognition on screens during pre-dinner presentation	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Custom recognition	Public recognition at dinner; name/logo on all table tents at dinner.	Feature at cocktail hour, including name/logo on napkins and table tents.	400 wine glass souvenirs & labeled wine bottles with name/logo at dinner.	400 labeled artisan chocolates with name/logo at dinner.		
Event Amenities						
Table of 10 at the event	2	1	1	1	1	1
Table seating placement	Premium	Premium	Preferred	Preferred	Preferred	Standard
Valet parking for cars	10	4	2	2		
Post-Event						
Donor impact report listing	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Recognition in Thank You ad	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

* If registered by Feb. 1, 2016

** If registered by March 1, 2016

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About the Honorees:

THE HONORABLE THOMAS A. BALMER

Chief Justice, Oregon Supreme Court

Thomas A. Balmer was elected by his colleagues as Oregon's 43rd Chief Justice and began service on May 1, 2012. He was first appointed to the Supreme Court by Governor John Kitzhaber in 2001; he was elected in 2002 and re-elected in 2008 and 2014. Chief Justice Balmer practiced with the Portland law firm of Ater Wynne LLP and its predecessor firm, Lindsay, Hart, Neil & Weigler from 1982-93 and 1997-2001, and also served as Managing Partner. He was Deputy Attorney General of Oregon (1993-97) under Attorney General Theodore R. Kulongoski. Earlier in his career, he worked in D.C. and in Boston, and was a Trial Attorney with the Antitrust Division of the U.S. Department of Justice (1979- 80).

Chief Justice Balmer received his J.D. from the University of Chicago Law School in 1977 and his A.B. from Oberlin College in 1974. He has been as an Adjunct Professor of Law at Northwestern School of Law of Lewis & Clark College and an Adjunct Professor of Political Science at Lewis & Clark College. He is the author of numerous articles, book reviews, book chapters and op-ed columns on antitrust, constitutional law and other topics.

Chief Justice Balmer's law-related activities include serving as Chair (1992-93) and Board Member (1989-93) of Multnomah County Legal Aid Service, Inc.; Chair (2007-09) and Board Member (1999 to present) of Classroom Law Project; and Board Member (2004-11) of the Oregon Law Institute. He currently serves on the Advisory Committee of the Campaign for Equal Justice and the University of Chicago Law School Public Interest Advisory Committee. Chief Justice Balmer has participated in various international legal programs, including lecturing on judicial ethics in Tashkent, Uzbekistan (under the auspices of the United Nations); working with judges and schools on law-related education in Zagreb, Croatia, and speaking to judges and court administrators through the Russian-American Rule of Law Consortium. He is a member of the Board of Directors of the Conference of Chief Justices and is Chair of the Civil Justice Improvements Committee.

Chief Justice Balmer has been a volunteer the Goose Hollow Family Shelter since 1994 and served as a founding Board Member (2000-01) of the Portland Parks Foundation and as a Board Member of Chamber Music Northwest (1997-2003). He has coached youth soccer and lacrosse teams, served on several committees of the Portland City Club, and been a member of budget advisory committees for Metro and the City of Portland.

Chief Justice Balmer was raised in Portland and attended Portland Public Schools. He is married to Mary Louise McClintock, Director of Education Programs for the Oregon Community Foundation. They have two children.

MS. NANCE CASE

Teacher, Terra Linda Elementary School

A teacher for over 30 years, Ms. Case takes young minds and guides them towards being active citizens. She does this within the walls of her classroom, in the greater school community, and in the halls of the state capitol. Her students don't just study the Constitution, they own it.

Using the acclaimed We the People: The Citizen & the Constitution curriculum, Ms. Case begins with lessons on how and why our country was founded and culminates with students enacting congressional hearings – where the students are the constitutional experts. Listening to students' expert testimony are legislators, judges, police officers, teachers, civic leaders and, of course, proud and amazed parents. Ms. Case doesn't stop with her 5th graders. She also mentors other teachers so they, too, can bring this rich resource into more classrooms.

Nance Case is a model teacher and citizen. Students learn by her example. Her patience, perseverance and passion combine to build well-informed, active citizens. With Nance Case, the future is in good hands and Classroom Law Project is proud to recognize her as the Civic Educator of the Year.



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2012	Jim Westwood	1996	Bob & Marilyn Ridgley
2011	Hon. Paul De Muniz	1995	Hon. Kristena A. LaMar
2010	Hon. Jean Kerr Maurer	1994	Hon. Donald H. Londer
2009	Marilyn R. Cover	1993	Harold C. Hart
2008	25th Anniversary of CLP	1992	Hon. W. Michael Gillette
2007	Hon. Ancer L. Haggerty	1991	Hon. Edward Leavy
2006	Hon. Susan M. Leeson	1990	Hon. Charles S. Crookham
2005	David Frohnmayer	1989	Hon. Robert E. Jones
2004	Senator Ron Wyden & Senator Gordon Smith	1988	Hon. Richard L. Unis
2003	Hon. Wallace P. Carson, Jr.	1987	Hon. Otto J. Skopil
2002	Vera Katz	1986	Hon. James M. Burns
2001	Sidney I. Lezak	1985	Hon. Kenneth J. O'Connell
2000	Hon. Edwin J. Peterson	1984	Hon. A. Ted Goodwin

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