The Jerry Bryant Award

This award goes to a person in our industry who has made a significant contribution during the past year. Maybe it is someone who has built an innovative product, turned a business around, made a significant contribution to the future of boating in the Northwest, generated publicity for boating or received national recognition.

Past Recipients:

1970 – Jack E. Chambers
1971 – John C. Rottler
1972 – J. Orin Edson
1973 – Thomas F. Kincaid
1974 – William F. West
1975 – Clifford W. Davidson
1976 – J. Eldon Opheim
1979 – Tedrowe Watkins
1981 – Eileen Crimmin
1982 – Harry A. Esborg
1983 – Barney Hein
1984 – Louis V. Larsen
1985 – Norman C. Blanchard
1986 – A.I. Jan Janofsky
1987 – Dave Livingston
1988 – Fletch Newland
1990 – Bob Teague
1991 – Dave Keyes
1992 – Robert Jacobsen, Sr.
1993 – Hal Schlomann
1997 - John P. Swanberg
2000 - Jessica Muffet
2001 – Jack Wolfe
2002 – Larry Carpenter
2003 – John Wedeberg
2004 – Jeff Briggs
2005 – Steve Messmer
2006 – Robert “Tolly” Tollefson
2007 – Robert Hale
2008 – Alan Bohling
2009 – Margie Freeman
2010 – Kevin Roggenbuck
2011 – Dwight Jones
2012 – Ken Smith – Smart Plug Systems
2013 – Greg Norwine
2014 – Martha Comfort
2015 – Scott Anderson
2016 – Tom Rogers
2017 – Carl Sutter
2018 – Bruce Hedrick
2019 – Michael Collins

The Latham Goble Award

This award is for a person who has made a significant contribution to the boating industry and the future of boating in the Northwest and is not in the boating industry**.**

Past Recipients:

1960 – Dwight S. Hawley
1961 – Max Crittenden
1962 – John Vanderzicht
1963- Walter A. VanCamp
1964 – George T. Treadwell
1965 – Marvin B. Durning
1966 – Everett G. Henry
1967 – Seattle Power Squadron
1968 – Robert W. Graham
1969 – US Coat Guard Aux. Flotilla #26
1970 – John M. Haydon
1971 – Locktenders Chittenden Locks
1972 – Corinthian Yacht Club
1973 – US Coast Guard Aux. Flotilla #29
1974 – Russ Freeman
1975 – Eustace E. Vynne, Jr.
1976 – Bill Knight, Seattle PI
1977 – Water & Air Patrol, Seattle PD
1979 – W. Environmental Trade Assoc. of WA
1983 – 13th Coast Guard District
1986 – The Seattle Times
1987 – Seafair
1988 – Roy F. Cuzner
1989 – Seafirst Bank
1990 – Steve Downey
1991 – George Prescott
1992 – Robert F. Goodwin
1993 – Mike Kalian
1997 – Charles W. Hurter & Gretchen B. Hurter
2000 – Jon Marvin Jonsson
2001 – Dewey Nichols
2002 – Jon and Marcie Edwards
2003 – Norm Dicks
2004 – Senator Jim Horn
2005 – Cliff Webster
2006 - Tod Lieweke
2007 – Steve Greaves
2008 – Seattle Yacht Club
2009 – James Horan
2010 – Pat Pattillo
2011 – Michael Campbell
2012 - Lisa Samuelson
2013 – Christie Johnson
2014 – Jay Hereford
2015 – Frank Haw
2016 – James Tupper
2017 – Al Wolslegel
2018 – Jerry Belur
2019 – Bob Donegan
2024- Doug Levy, Ted Kutscher, Carl Burke

The Robert Rittenhouse Award

This award is for a person or group from outside of Washington in our industry who has made a significant contribution during the past year. Maybe it is someone who has built an innovative product, turned a business around, made a significant contribution to the future of boating in the Northwest, generated publicity for boating or received national recognition.

Past Recipients:

1977 – Don Holm
1986 – James Hadley
1987 – Rey Young, Jr.
1988 – Larry Barber
1989 – James W. Canton
1990 – Randy Cummings
1991 – Rick Buck
1992 – Don Church
1993 – Jill E. Broggi
1997 – Don L. Rueppell
2000 – Dave Obern
2001 – Brian Platz and Bob VanderLinden
2003 – Bob O'Loughlin
2004 – Jon Englund
2005 – Paul Donheffner
2006 – Page Stevens
2007 – Mike McCuddy
2008 – Bob & Peggy Buck
2009 – Steve Rander
2010 – Jim Farrand
2011 - Trey Carskadon
2017 – Liz Hamilton
2018 – Thom Dammrich

The Nate Bahner Award

This award is presented to a young leader in the marine industry who has demonstrated exceptional leadership. A young rising star in the marine industry

Past Recipients:

2012 – Nate Bahner
2013 – Jeff Messmer
2014 – Brian Kaloper
2015 – Bonnie Robertson
2016 – Sterling Hines-Elzinga
2017 – Ryan Helling
2018 – Jake Beattie
2019 – Logan Brown