



Arkansas High School Athletic Administrators' Association Awards and Past Recipients

State of Arkansas Athletic Director of the Year

2017-18 – Steve Daniels, Conway	1998-99 – H. B. Stewart, Greenwood
2016-17 – Stephen Wood, Greenbrier John Utley, Lake Hamilton	1997-98 – Johnny Toombs, Texarkana
2015-16 – Kevin Downing, Siloam Springs	1996-97 – Buzz Bolding, Conway
2014-15 – Steve Roberts, Cabot	1995-96 – Ronnie Carter, Lonoke
2013-14 – Steve Quinn, Benton	1994-95 – Gary Segrest, Hot Springs Lakeside
2012-13 – Stephen Wood, Greenbrier	1993-94 – Tom Tice, Harrison
2011-12 – Phillip Lansdell, El Dorado	1992-93 – David Alpe, Malvern
2010-11 – Johnny White, Cabot	1991-92 – Jim Cox, Fordyce
2009-10 – Buzz Bolding, Conway	1990-91 – Joe Reese, Hot Springs
2008-09 – Dick Johnson, Fayetteville	1989-90 – Don Hubbard, Magnolia
2007-08 – Doug Killgore, CAC	1988-89 – Harvey Smith, Hope
2006-07 – Johnny Johnson, Little Rock	1987-88 – Bill Reed, Texarkana
2005-06 – Jim Dickerson, Russellville	1986-87 – David Alpe, Malvern
2004-05 – Lonnie Myers, Van Buren	1985-86 – Dick Hendrickson, North Little Rock
2003-04 – Derrill Smith, El Dorado Bubba Payton, Lake Hamilton	1985 – Ray Peters, Little Rock
2002-03 – Gary Goss, North Little Rock	1984 – Sid Simpson, Pine Bluff
2001-02 – Johnny White, Cabot	1983 – Bill Stancil, Fort Smith
2000-01 – Dick Johnson, Fayetteville	1982 – Bill Mayo, Blytheville
1999-00 – Jim Rowland, Fort Smith	

State Award of Merit

A plaque presented by individual state athletic director associations annually. The most prestigious award a state presents to an individual in conjunction with the NIAAA for outstanding leadership and meritorious achievement in interscholastic athletic administration.

Year	Inside	Outside
2018	Steve Daniels	Hotel Hot Springs and Spa
2017	Bill Hogle	Arkansas Correctional Institute
2016	Norman Mitchell	Arkansas Army National Guard
2015	Janet Wood	Centennial Bank
2014	David Daniel	Tim Cowan – Athletic Surfaces Plus
2013	Doug Quinn	Daktronics, Johnny White
2012	Doug Killgore	Hot Springs Convention Center – Leann Shewbart
2011	Jerry Cecil	5 Star Sports, Dick Johnson
2010	Lauren West	Greg Hatcher
2009	Johnny Johnson	Eddie Horner, All-American, Inc.
2008	Rick McLaughlin	Arkansas Correctional Ind.

Year	Inside	Outside
2007	Jim Dickerson	US Track & Turf
2006	Fred Lilly	Drive Time Sports
2005	Ronnie Carter	HSAPC
2004	Tom Farmer	ARVEST
2003	Lonnie Myers	AWA
2002	Annette Scogin	Tyson Food
2001	Gary Segrest	Doyne Davis
2000	Derrill Smith	SW Bell
1998	Ronnie Higgins	
1997	Johnny Toombs	
1996	Lamar Cole	
1995	Jim Cox	
1994	Jim Rowland	
1993	Richard Payton	
1992	H. B. Stewart	
1991	Buzz Bolding	
1990	Harvey Smith	
1989	Bill Reed	
1988	Bill Mayo	

Distinguished Service Award

Award presented annually at the National Conference awards luncheon to NIAAA members in recognition of their length of service, special accomplishments, and contributions to athletic administration at the local, state, and national levels.

Year	Inside	Outside
2018	Doug Kilgore	Mascot Media
2017	Mark Holderbaum	Bubba Cope
2016	Bill Hogleund	Arkansas Athletic Trainers Association
2015	Stephen Wood	Wal-Mart
2014	Jerry Cecil	Greg Hatcher – The Hatcher Agency
2013	Jim Rowland	Austin Hotel, Barrie Kiger-Nagy
2012	Johnny Johnson	5 Star Sports – Dick Johnson
2011	Lauren West	US Track and Turf – Frank Johnson
2010	Jerry Cecil	Coca Cola
2009	Jim Dickerson	Danny Beaver, Graduate Sales
2008	Johnny White	US Track & Turf
2007	Buzz Bolding	Life Touch
2006	Annette Scogin	
2005	Fred Lilly	Tyson Foods
2004	Wadie Moore	Arkansas Corrections Industries
2003	Dick Johnson	
2002	Kathy Tadlock	Steve Arrison – HSAPC

Year	Inside	Outside
2001	Jimmy Coates	Wilson Sporting Goods
2000	Glen Siler	Greg Ogden, AWA
Year	Inside	Outside
1999	Gary Segrest	Bob Hurt - Photo
1998	Jim Rowland	Ed McCorkie
1997	Joe Reese	Steve Girard
1996	Bettye Francis	Affiliated Foods
1995	Jerry Hall	
1994	Johnny Toombs	David Bazzell
1993	Gary Goss	Gary Harris
1992	Wallace Chandler	Dr. John Clark
1991	N/A	
1990	Bill Mayo	
1986	Bill Stancil	

NIAAA National Awards (Distinguished Service Award)

2013 – Fred Lilly
 1990 – Bill Mayo
 1986 – Bill Stancil
 1983 – Lee Cassidy
 1982 – Dr. John McColough Smith

NIAAA Citation Award

2018 – Scott Passmore	2006 – Dick Johnson
2017 – Scott Passmore	2005 – Gary Segrest
2016 – Jerry Cecil	2004 – Jimmy Coates
2015 – Jerry Cecil	2003 – Gary Segrest
2014 – Jerry Cecil	2002 – Jimmy Coates
2013 – Fred Lilly	2001 – N/A
2012 – Fred Lilly	2000 – Jim Rowland
2011 – Fred Lilly	1999 – Jim Rowland
2010 – Doug Killgore	1998 – Jim Rowland
2009 – Doug Killgore	1986 – Bill Mayo
2008 – Gary Segrest	1979 – Dick Hendrickson
2007 – Annette Scogin	

National High School Sports Hall of Fame Honorees

2008 – Dick Hendrickson
 2004 – Jim Rowland
 1998 – Bill Mayo

NIAAA Hall of Fame Nominees

2018 – Jim Rowland
2012 – Bill Mayo
2011 – Bill Mayo

Frank Kovaleski Professional Development Award Nominee

Award presented annually to a recipient who most possesses and has contributed to the vision of Professional Development – the legacy of Frank Kovaleski. Frank was instrumental in the creation of the Leadership Training Institute of the NIAAA.

2018 – Steve Janski
2017 – Doug Killgore
2016 – Mark Holderbaum
2015 – Rodney Echols
2014 – Jerry Cecil
2013 – Jerry Cecil
2012 – Jerry Cecil
2011 – Doug Killgore
2010 – Doug Killgore
2009 – Doug Killgore
2008 – Doug Killgore
2007 – Doug Killgore

State Classification Athletic Directors' of the Year

1A

2018 – David Byer, Maynard
Carla Catlett, Western Yell Co.
2017 – Jeff Whiteaker, Calico Rock
2016 – Charles Brown, Armorel
2015 – None nominated
2014 – None nominated
2013 – Charles Brown, Armorel
2012 – Bobby Hulse, Norfolk

2A

2018 – Tony Hartsfield, Lafayette County
2017 – Mark Headley, Lavaca
2016 – Gary Rieck, Quitman
2015 – Carla Catlett, Western Yell County
2014 – Ronnie Efird, Magnet Cove
2013 – Michael Carter, Conway Christian
2012 – Chris Kordesmeier, St. Joseph
2011 – None Submitted
2010 – None Submitted
2009 – Jay Turley, Murfreesboro

2008 – Jason Sanders, Foreman
2007 – Gary Segrest, Mineral Springs

3A

2018 – Mike Poff, Smackover
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2016 – Charlie Sorrels, Atkins
2015 – Randall Betts, Cedarville
2014 – None nominated
2013 – Marc Davis, Fountain Lake
2012 – Charlie Sorrels, Atkins
2011 - Marc Davis, Fountain Lake
2010 – Marc Davis, Fountain Lake
2009 – Curt Ledbetter, Cedarville
2008 – Chris Long, Smackover
2007 – Clay Totty, Rison

4A

2018 – Deon Birkes, Lincoln
2017 – Brad Reese, Heber Springs
2016 – Chris Babb, Arkadelphia
2015 – Mike Green, Prairie Grove
2014 – Chris Babb, Arkadelphia
2013 – Brian Little, Gentry
2012 – Doug Quinn, Bauxite
2011 - Joe Cook, Malvern
2010 – Randy Hicks, Arkadelphia
2009 – Randy Deaton, Stuttgart
2008 – Doug Killgore, Central Arkansas Christian
2007 – Doug Killgore, Central Arkansas Christian

5A

2018 – Ricky Tucker, Camden Fairview
2017 – Marvin Lindsey, Magnolia
Stephen Wood, Greenbrier
2016 – Bill Hogle, Hope
Ed Sellers, Vilonia
2015 – David Hixson, Blytheville
2014 – Jerry Jordan, Beebe
2013 – Stephen Wood, Greenbrier
2012 - Dale Schenk, Paragould
2011 – Johnny Watson, LR Christian
2010 – Rick McLaughlin, Lakeside Hot Springs
2009 – Doug Quinn, Blytheville
2008 – Randy Hicks, Arkadelphia
2007 – Don Campbell, Wynne

6A

2018 – David Daniel, Jonesboro
2017 – John Utley, Lake Hamilton
2016 – Kevin Downing, Siloam Springs
2015 – Paul Johnston, Marion
2014 – Steve Quinn, Benton
2013 – John Utley, Lake Hamilton
2012 – Phillip Lansdell, El Dorado
2011 - Janet Wood, Mountain Home
2010 – David Daniel, Jonesboro
2009 – Janet Wood, Mountain Home
2008 – Dusty Duncan, Marion
2007 – Johnny Johnson, Little Rock

7A

2018 – Steve Daniels, Conway
2017 – Steve Janski, Fayetteville
2016 – Gary Davis, North Little Rock
2015 – Mike Lee, Bryant
 Steve Roberts, Cabot
2014 – Steve Daniel, Conway
2013 – Mike Lee, Bryant
 Scott Passmore, Bentonville
2012 – Barry Gebhart, Fayetteville
2011 - Johnny White, Cabot
2010 – Buzz Bolding, Conway
2009 – Dick Johnson, Fayetteville
2008 – Tom Farmer, Bryant
2007 – Annette Scogin, Springdale

Athletic Director Newcomer of the Year

2018 – Kevin Ramey, Pea Ridge
2017 – Michael Banning, Clarksville
2016 – Ricky Tucker, Camden Fairview
2015 – Wayne Stehlik, Springdale
2014 – Chris Babbs, Arkadelphia
2013 – Bill Hogle, Hope
2012 – David Daniel, Jonesboro
2011 – Barry Gebhart, Fayetteville
2010 – Jim Gentry, Hot Springs
2009 – John Utley, Lake Hamilton