

DCON 2025 Awards

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Awards Application Google Form:

<https://bit.ly/DCON25AWARDS>

Questions/Concerns? Contact Govnonor Anis Choudhury at

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Instructions

1. **ALL** awards need to be submitted by **Sunday, February 9th, 2025 by 11:59 PM EST.**
2. All club officers and dues-paid members are permitted to submit award applications.
3. All award applications must be submitted through the Google Form. If you are applying for more than one award, then you must fill out the form again
4. **As a disclaimer be advised that there have been changes to this year's award application, some include:**
 - a. **All Awards: Please elaborate on your responses with as much detail as possible and provide relevant evidence of the work you would like to have recognized.**
 - b. **Tiered Club Awards:**
 - i. **If an event is used for multiple awards it will only be recognized for one award, for example if your event wins *Distinguished Service Project* then it cannot win *Distinguished Fundraiser* even if you apply for both.**
 - ii. **If you would like to recognize a specific member of a club award that had the most contribution to the execution of the said club event then please specify. If you do not have a specific person to recognize then you can put your club's name in response to "Who was the main person planning this event?"**
 - iii. **If there is no response to "Who was the main person planning this event?" then no plaque (if applicable) will be awarded.**
 - c. **Distinguished Club Award:**
 - i. **Applications will be graded by a [point system](#).**
 - ii. **Points will be awarded based on the form submissions you provide, in accordance with the specified point system.**
 - iii. **The maximum a club is able to get is 75 points. Please head to the District Club Award section for a more detailed description of this year's point system.**
5. Please read each award essay question carefully and answer all of the parts. There is a word limit on some of the questions. Word limits are merely suggestions as we grade based on quality, not quantity. You do not have to meet the number of words, but please do not exceed this word limit.
6. If you need any help uploading or submitting any supplements, please reach out to the Governor, who is listed above.
7. You will receive a confirmation receipt upon submitting your application.

- a. Please make sure to read the instructions and the application carefully.
 - b. The confirmation receipt **DOES NOT** confirm that the application has been completed properly but rather that we have received whatever has been submitted.
8. All information submitted (number of service hours, etc.) must be within the timeframe of **February 1st, 2024 to February 1st, 2025**.
 9. Divisional and district-sponsored projects and events are ineligible for the district awards process.
 10. All information on the award applications will be cross-referenced with submitted Monthly Report Forms. **Please make sure whatever information submitted in each application is present in your club's MRFs.**
 11. You can navigate freely through the Google Form after providing your email. You do NOT have to fill in the information to view all of the application questions and the variety of different awards. To make it simpler, included is a list of all of the DCON Awards broken up by category:

[District Convention Awards 2024](#)

Club Member and Officer Awards

Choose this category if you are a club member or club officer! These applications are open to any dues-paid Circle K'er.

Distinguished Club President

Distinguished President's Award has been created to not only recognize a president's hard work and dedication towards their home club but also how they have fostered the three tenets of Circle K International.

Distinguished Club Vice President

This award serves to recognize the efforts that all Vice Presidents have put in towards their club.

Distinguished Club Secretary

This award is granted and awarded to recognize the astounding effort and time the secretary has put into his or her tasks.

Distinguished Club Treasurer

This award is meant to honor a treasurer of a New York Circle K club who is seen to have gone above and beyond their duties as treasurer.

Distinguished Club Editor/Webmaster

This award serves to honor the Editor/Webmaster who has gone above and beyond their call of duty.

Distinguished Committee Chair

This award serves to reward and recognize those committee chairs who have gone above and beyond their call of duty.

Distinguished Member Award

This award serves to reward and recognize those general club members who have contributed a

great deal to Circle K and implemented the three tenants of: Service, Leadership, and Fellowship.

Club Awards

Choose this category if you are applying for an award for your entire club!

Distinguished Service Project

This award serves to recognize the best organized and executed service project of the service year. A service project can be long term, a meeting, or an event.

Distinguished Leadership and Development

The award serves to recognize the club with the best initiatives to encourage and develop leaders in their own club.

Distinguished Fellowship

This award serves to recognize the club that has best dedicated their efforts to creating an open and warm family within Circle K.

Distinguished Fundraiser

This award serves to recognize the club with the best fundraiser.

Distinguished Club Award

This award serves to reward any club who has exemplified the three tenants of Circle K and contributed to both the campus and Circle K community.

Distinguished K-Family

This award serves to reward the best K-family event held by a Circle K club.

Outstanding Interclub Event

This award serves to recognize the clubs that have organized an interclub event that encompasses the spirit of the virtues of Circle K.

Outstanding Club Newsletter

The purpose of this award is to recognize the newsletter that best represents Circle K and demonstrates creativity and effort.

Outstanding Club Website

This award serves to recognize the best website that shows the most creativity and website that also represents Circle K.

Outstanding Club Scrapbook

The Outstanding Club Scrapbook award serves to recognize the scrapbook with the most spirit, representing Circle K, and most creativity.

Outstanding Club Video

This award serves to reward the best club video that best represents Circle K International and demonstrates effort and thought.

Outstanding Club Apparel

The Outstanding Club Apparel award serves to recognize the most creative and representative Circle

K apparel. Apparel refers to anything that can be worn (t-shirts, beanies, socks, etc.)

Outstanding Social Media

This award recognizes the club with the best use of Social Media (Facebook page, Instagram, etc.)

Individual Award Nominations

Choose this category if you would like to nominate a dedicated and passionate Circle K'er, Kiwanian, or Advisor for an award. These are some of the highest honors that they can receive and it will be an opportunity for that person to be recognized.

John R. Jack Outstanding Circle K Member Award

This award is presented annually to a Circle K member that has gone above and beyond their call of duty. From attending district events to actively participating in their home club's activities, this member shows enthusiasm towards the three tenants of Circle K and uses the opportunity to participate and give back to their community.

Larry Jonas Outstanding First Year Member Award

This award is presented annually to a first-year Circle K member in good standing who exemplifies dedication to service, willingness for fellowship, and courage to lead through their actions. Their enthusiasm for the club and potential to grow is awarded for this honor.

Anthony J. Palangi Outstanding Kiwanian Award

This award is dedicated to the Kiwanian who has shown selfless efforts towards service, leadership, and fellowship, dedication towards Circle K, and devotion towards its members.

Outstanding Club Advisor

This award serves to recognize the faculty advisor who has shown guidance, encouragement, and support to their Circle K club throughout the service year.

Rising Leader Award

This award recognizes a former Key Clubber who has transitioned into their first year of Circle K and demonstrated exceptional leadership, dedication, and a strong commitment to the growth and future success of Circle K International.