

Nomination Form

G. Lynn Nisbet Award

In Recognition of Outstanding Contributions That Have Developed
the Travel Industry in North Carolina

Rules and Regulations

In recognition of outstanding contributions groups or businesses have made to develop the travel industry in North Carolina, the North Carolina Travel Industry Association established awards named for individuals who contributed so much to travel in North Carolina during their lifetime.

G. Lynn Nisbet Award to a Business or Organization

1. That the business or organization be headquartered or represented by a bona fide branch in the State of North Carolina.
2. That the business or organization's contribution be an apparent service to travel in North Carolina, with special emphasis accorded to the statewide aspect of this contribution.
3. That consideration for this award be predicated on an obvious effort. Although it may have been primarily for the benefit of the particular organization or business, it has unquestionably and materially benefited travel promotion and/or development across the State of North Carolina.
4. That the principal officer of the organization or business be designated as a recipient on behalf of the organization or business.

Additional Guidelines for Awards

1. No elected government official, government employee, or governmental agency can be considered for the awards during his/her term of office or employment.
2. No organization whose primary funding (50% or more) comes from tax or governmental sources is eligible.
3. An unsuccessful candidate one year may be renominated for the Award the following year or for any number of subsequent years.
4. No president, president-elect, or immediate past president or employee of the NCTIA is eligible for consideration during his or her term in office or employment.

G. Lynn Nisbet Award

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| 2007 | Petty Enterprises |
| 2006 | Duplin Winery |
| 2005 | Great Smoky Mountains Railroad |
| 2004 | Lowe's Motor Speedway |
| 2003 | Grove Park Inn Resort & Spa |
| 2002 | North Carolina Aquarium Society |
| 2001 | Screen Gem Studios |
| 2000 | Cataloochee Ranch |
| 1999 | Nantahala Outdoor Center |
| 1998 | The Bob Timberlake Gallery |
| 1997 | Handmade in America |
| 1996 | Granite Communications |
| 1995 | Worthy Is the Lamb |
| 1994 | Pine Needles Resort |
| 1993 | Southern Shows |
| 1992 | Biltmore Estate |
| 1991 | Kitty Hawk Kites |
| 1990..... | WRAL-TV |
| 1989 | N.C. Shakespeare Festival |
| 1988 | Carolina Telephone and Telegraph |
| 1987 | AAA Carolina Motor Club |
| 1986 | Southern Appalachian Historical Assn. |
| 1985..... | The State Magazine |
| 1984 | Grandfather Mountain Highland Games |
| 1983 | Discovery Place |
| 1982 | N.C. High Country Host |
| 1981..... | Winston-Salem Chamber of Commerce |
| 1980 | Piedmont Airlines |
| 1979 | Furniture Factories Marketing Assn of the South |
| 1978 | Roanoke Island Historical Association |
| 1977 | Old Salem |
| 1976 | WBTV Carolina Camera |
| 1975 | First Union National Bank |
| 1974 | Carowinds |
| 1973 | N.C. Azalea Festival |
| 1972 | Greensboro Jaycees |
| 1971 | N.C. Press Association |
| 1970 | Cherokee Historical Association |
| 1969 | Pinehurst, Inc. |
| 1968 | Robbins Brothers |
| 1967 | Asheville Chamber of Commerce |
| 1966 | N.C. Association of Broadcasters |
| 1965 | R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company |