

**NATIONAL THELMA "PETE" REED MEMORIAL AWARD
NOMINATION - DEADLINE: JUNE 1**

Award Criteria: This award is presented to an individual member who has volunteered many hours at the local or state level in conservation projects, educational efforts, community service, or chapter leadership development. The member may *not* currently be a national leader of the League (national officer, executive board, national director, or national committee chair) but, by virtue of his /her grassroots efforts, is considered an "up and coming" future leader of the Izaak Walton League. Questions about the nominee are listed below as a guide to the specific information the awards committee is looking for. One of these awards may be presented each year.

Please type or print all information clearly. Please be certain the nominee's name is spelled correctly - the name and spelling given will be used on awards and plaques.

Nominee: _____ Chapter (if applicable): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Is the nominee willing and able to attend the convention to accept the award: _____

Name of nominee's local newspaper: _____

Newspaper Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Attach a summary of the nominee's qualifications to this form. Please consider each of the following questions and answer each as thoroughly as possible. Remember that the awards committee may not know the nominee and this information is designed to help the committee learn enough about each nominee to make a knowledgeable decision. Include supporting material with the nomination (such as news clippings or letters of recommendation).

- How long has the nominee been an active member of the League?
- Has he/she held office at the local level? Which positions?
- Which conservation-related committees (either for the League or in the community) does he/she serve on?
- Describe some specific conservation-related activities or programs he/she has regularly been involved with during the past year.
- What other local, state, or national recognition has he/she received for his/her conservation efforts?
- How has his/her work had a positive effect in furthering the League's mission and goals?
- Are there other details that will help the committee learn about the nominee?

Your Name and Title: _____

(i.e., Awards Committee Chair, or National Director or Chapter President, etc.)

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Email: _____

Division Representative (please print and sign): _____

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