The Barry Diemert Staff Arts Award

Policy

This award will be presented annually to a Staff Arts member, who has made a significant contribution to Staff Arts.

By sponsoring this award the Staff Arts wishes to honor the contributions made by Barry Diemert to Staff Arts, by recognizing others who have made similar contributions and in so doing support, in a tangible way, the arts in TCDSB schools.

Regulations

1. A plaque shall be posted containing the following information:
   - **Staff Arts Logo**
   - **Title**: "Barry Diemert Staff Arts Award"
   - **Inscription**: "Presented annually to a Staff Arts member, who has made a significant contribution to Staff Arts."
   - **Award winner**: The year, name and school of the award winner will be inscribed each year.

2. The Award
   - The $500 award will be presented in the award winner's name, to the home school of the award winner. This award will be used to further the arts in the school.
   - Non-school based award winners shall designate a TCDSB school to be the beneficiary of the award.

3. Nominations
   - All Nominations shall be sent to the Secretary of the Staff Arts Board of Directors before May 31 each year.
   - The nominations will be forwarded to the Award Selection Committee on June 1 each year.
   - All past and preset members of Staff Arts shall be eligible for nomination.
   - Current members of the Staff Arts Board of Directors and current members of the Award Selection Committee shall be ineligible while they hold office.
   - Nomination ballots will be made available through the office of the Secretary of the Staff Arts Board of Directors.

4. Selection committee:
   - Consist of three members, appointed by the Start Arts Board of Directors. May not be current members of the Staff Arts Board of Directors.
   - Shall serve a two year term which may be repeated.
   - The selection committee shall meet in June of each year to review the nominations for the award and then recommend the award winner to the Staff Arts Board of Directors.

5. Final Selection
   - The Staff Arts Board of Directors shall have final approval of the Award Selection Committee's recommendation.
   - The selection shall be announced in September of each year.