

ILLINOIS JAYCEES INDIVIDUAL AWARDS SUBMISSION FORM -- MONTHLY & TRIMESTER

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PLEASE CHECK THE APPROPRIATE CATEGORY: (Use this form for ONLY those entries listed below)

- Rookie (*Member for 12 months or less at time of submission*)
 Jaycee (*Member for more than 12 months at time of submission*)
 Local Officer

Submission Month/Trimester: 1st Trimester

Month & Year Entrant Joined: 10/2002

Name of Entrant: Dawn Sullivan

Office Held: Secretary

Home Chapter: Highland, IL **Region:** Gateway

of Members Recruited: 1

List Projects Involved in and Role Played In Each - (*briefly/concisely explain why they should be recognized*):

I do not know where to start with Dawn. She joined the Jaycees when she moved down here in October, 2002, and has done everything she can to make us the awesome chapter we are. Luckily, I work about five feet away from Dawn and not only does she help with all my duties, she is always there to listen to me and help me make decisions. Some days we turn our desks into Jaycee work desks.

Dawn is currently serving as our Secretary. She has attended all four board meetings and all four monthly meetings. Like every good secretary she takes minutes, always has minutes at the meeting, and publishes our newsletter. The newsletter has been a problem the last few years (we didn't receive them on a regular basis) and Dawn has made it her goal to get out a quality newsletter that is out each and every month. Dawn is diligent about getting articles from everyone. So far she has reached this goal by sending out 4 newsletters. Dawn has also been attending visitations with the chapter.

Besides her secretarial duties, she attended all Schweizerfest meetings, which this trimester is 5 meetings. It is very important that our board members are involved in our biggest project. Schweizerfest is our biggest fundraiser, that involves a committee of 20 people, brings in more than 5,000 people to our town, activates 85% of our members and makes between \$13,000.00- \$20,000.00 for our chapter. Dawn has volunteered to run the soda stand at this event. This involves ordering the soda, water, and ice. She will also have to staff this stand for the entire weekend.

It is our 15th Anniversary this year and this will be Dawn's first big project as chairman. She is planning is a Scavenger Hunt. She is doing a great job of contacting past presidents to help her get information, since she is just a rookie, and does know that much of what happen years in the past.

Dawn also stepped up to create an Easter Basket for a contest. One of our banks in our town has an Easter Basket Contest every year. Organizations are asked to decorate Easter Baskets and then they will be given away to families that can't afford to buy children anything at Easter. Dawn had a horse and carriage and all kinds of candy and games in the basket. I think it was the most beautiful basket there!

I think that Dawn is doing a great job as Secretary and will go very far with the Jaycees! My theme this year is "It's a Good Time" and Dawn is definitely one the of the reasons I and the entire chapter are... HAVING A GOOD TIME. I hope you will consider Dawn Sullivan as THE Outstanding Officer of the Trimester.

Name of Person Submitting: Tricia Buehne

Position Held: Chapter President

(*If not the Chapter President, your must obtain the Chapter President's Signature*)

Local Chapter President's Signature : _____

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PLEASE NOTE:

State awards will be presented at each quarterly GA, do you wish to be notified if your entrant is selected? YES NOT NECESSARY

Illinois Jaycees Individual Awards Submission Form

Please check the appropriate category:

{ X } Officer

Submission for Month / Quarter: June

Month & Year Entrant Joined: Feb 02

Name of entrant: Joey "Joe Joe" Bridges

Office Held: State Director

Home Chapter: Collinsville Gateway Region

of Members Recruited (for Period):0

List Projects involved in and role played in each ---

*Several Visitions

*Chaired Hall Clean UP

*Attended all 6 meetings

* Attended all 3 board meetings

*Worked Horseradishfest

Joey Bridges is our State Director. The Collinsville Jaycees have been traveling all over the region and state this year. We had visitations to Breese, Highland, and the Region Visit In New Baden in June. Also the chapter has been very active in attending projects of other chapters that includes The Breese Sesquicentennial, The Highland Jaycees' Schweizerfest, the Alhambra Jaycee's Homecoming, and New Baden's June Jamboree. All of these fell in the month of June.

Joey also worked hard on the Hall Clean Up this month. He chaired this event. Not only did he get workers, but organized the paint selection, bought the paint and all accessories, bought ceiling fans, took care of the ice machine and patched the hole in the wall. Joey also worked the only other project we had this month, the Horseradishfest Beer Stand.

Joey attends all meetings and board meetings. He is always prepared and make sure the chapter knows what is going on in our region and state. He writes his newsletter articles and has them on in time. Joey also takes care of our web page. Joey Bridges goes above and beyond his officer duties so we hope you will consider him for the Officer of the month for June.

President Peter Coppens (618-779-2433)

Illinois Jaycees Individual Awards Submission Form

Please check the appropriate category:

{ X } Local Officer

Submission for Month / Quarter: 3rd Quarter
Name of entrant: Julie (Fowler) Britsch
Home Chapter: Collinsville Gateway Region

Month & Year Entrant Joined: 6/1/02
Office Held: Membership VP
of Members Recruited (for Period):

List Projects involved in and role played in each ---

*Attended May GA

*Hall Clean Up/Painting

*Attended all 6 meetings

* Attended all 3 Board meetings

Julie Fowler Britsch has had a busy second quarter. She ALWAYS has our renewals and new members sent in by close out night. President Pete never has to worry about a close out night call because she has it under control. Not only does she mail renewal forms out and make phone calls, Julie implemented sending out Birthday cards to the entire membership this year. She has taken this on as a personal addition to her area and another form of communication for the chapter. The Collinsville Jaycees were +2 this quarter and I'm sure it's because of Julie doing her job. As an officer Julie writes newsletter articles, attended all six meeting and the 3 board meetings. She doesn't just sit around, but make a contribution at these meetings. She also attended the GA in May.

This Quarter Julie was also involved in the Hall Clean Up project. At this project we not only cleaned, but also decided to paint the main hall area. Julie worked hard the entire weekend to make sure the painting was taken care of. Julie also stepped up when the New Baden Jaycees needed a judge for their Kid's Karaoke Contest. Not only did she judge, she ended up staying the entire day and helping them out with the BBQ and serving food.

Julie has been a member since 2002. Each year you can see an improvement in all she does. Julie has two projects that she has been working on that will take place next quarter. On top of all she had going on this quarter, Julie to married in April.

I hope you will consider Julie Fowler Britsch as Officer of the Second Quarter. I know we do.

President Peter Coppens

INDIVIDUAL AWARD SUBMISSION

Chapter Name: New Baden Jaycees

Individual Name: Cindy Thoele

Month/Period 3rd Trimester

Category: Local Officer Office: Secretary

Date Joined Jaycees 08/01

of Members Recruited: currently working on 2

Cindy has just been a machine this last trimester. Every project that our chapter has done, Cindy has been involved with. She is currently chairing our annual Kid's Christmas Party and our Basket of Booze raffle. During this trimester, she was instrumental in getting one of our newer members Jeremy Rakers to chair a project, our very first Casino Bowl. She also attended our 9 Pin No Tap Bowling Tournament, Kid's Halloween Party, Monday Night Football Party, Monthly BBQ, and Scavenger Hunt. Cindy also attended the Region Planning Board session and has attended our local Chamber of Commerce meetings. Cindy prepares our agendas for every meeting, along with the meeting minutes. She attends every project and is always volunteering to do more when help is needed. Cindy hasn't recruited anyone this trimester, but it's certainly not for a lack of trying. She has friends selling raffle tickets and has made deals with them if they sell a certain amount, their dues will be paid. Without Cindy, our chapter may have fallen apart this last trimester. We look forward to having Cindy as our next President. She is a "take charge" type of person and deserves to be recognized at **The Outstanding Local Officer of the Third Trimester.**

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Submission Month/Trimester: November
Name of Entrant: Shaun Voegele
Home Chapter: Highland, IL **Region:** Gateway

Month & Year Entrant Joined:
Office Held: Membership V.P.
of Members Recruited: 10+

List Projects Involved in and Role Played In Each - (*briefly/concisely explain why they should be recognized*):

It's really hard to know where to start with this officer. He has been such an asset to our chapter it is amazing. This month, however, he outdid even himself. He chaired our annual fundraiser for MS, which took a lot of time and meeting with the local bars. It also meant making sure everyone had what they needed to set up their golf holes. He attended all of our meetings, and recruited(or got on past presidents to recruit) enough members to put us at plus one for the year. Above this, however, he even activated over 7 of the new members by getting them to work our casino night. He even got one to take his job over next year. That's a great officer!

There's really no question in my mind who deserves to be the Outstanding officer for November – that would be Shaun Voegele.

Name of Person Submitting: Darin L Brandt **Position Held:** Chapter President
(If not the Chapter President, you must obtain the Chapter President's Signature)

Local Chapter President's Signature : _____
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DEADLINE: First of each month (*this is NOT a postmark deadline*)
Trimester deadlines 5/1 for 1 9/1 for 2 1/1 for 3

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