

NOMINATIONS ARE NOW BEING ACCEPTED Ventura County Area Agency on Aging

2024 LEGACY Awards

Consider nominating an exceptional business, organization, or individual that exemplifies commitment to service for:

Older Adults People with Disabilities Caregivers

DEADLINE TO SUBMIT NOMINATIONS IS SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2024

Submit your nomination form to roger.horne@ventura.org.

All nominations must meet the LEGACY Award guidelines.

For more information, please contact (805) 477-7306.





2024 VCAAA LEGACY AWARD GUIDELINES

Deadline to submit nominations is Sunday, September 1, 2024. Award recipients will be announced in November 2024. Award categories include:

- → Business/Organization
- → Dementia-Friendly Business/Organization
- → Community Member (Volunteer Based)

Award Description: The VCAAA LEGACY Awards are designed to recognize businesses, organizations, and community volunteers who have excelled in their roles to help improve the lives of older adults, individuals with disabilities, and caregivers.

Eligibility Requirements: Any individual, business, or organization must meet all requirements listed below in order to be eligible to receive a VCAAA LEGACY Award.

Category Eligibility Requirements:

- (a) Business/Organization A business or organization nominated or selected to receive a VCAAA LEGACY Award must do business and serve clients in Ventura County. This category also includes all faith-based organizations. To be eligible, a business or organization must provide services for individuals 60 and older, individuals with disabilities, and/or caregivers. Individual recipients/business owners may not be members of the VCAAA's staff or Advisory Council; however, groups/organizations that are nominated may include members that are affiliated with the VCAAA. One award will be given in this category each year.
- (b) Dementia Friendly Business/Organization A business or organization nominated as Dementia Friendly must do business and serve clients in Ventura County. To receive this award, a business/organization must exemplify the Dementia Friendly Ventura County movement and must be making strides to better the customer service experience for individuals with dementia and their caregivers. To be eligible, a business or organization must provide services for individuals 60 and older, individuals with disabilities, and/or caregivers. Individual recipients/ business owners may not be members of the VCAAA's staff or Advisory Council; however, groups/organizations that are nominated may include members that are affiliated with the VCAAA. One award will be given in this category each year.
- (c) Community Member (Volunteer Based) A community member nominated or selected to receive a VCAAA LEGACY Award must reside in Ventura County and must be working solely as a volunteer and cannot receive compensation for the work performed on behalf of their fellow Ventura County residents. Recipients of this award must be 60 years old or older and must be providing services for individuals 60 and older, individuals with disabilities, and/or caregivers. Recipients may not be members of the VCAAA's staff or Advisory Council. As many as two awards will be given in this category each year.



2024 VCAAA LEGACY AWARD NOMINATION FORM

All nominations must meet the VCAAA LEGACY Award guidelines included in the nomination packet. Please submit all nomination forms to roger.horne@ventura.org. Deadline is Sunday, September 1, 2024.

Name of Person Making Nomination: Email: Phone Number:		
NOMINEE INFORMATION Name of Community Member or Business/Organization: Email: Phone Number:		
Please select <u>ONE</u> category for this nomination:		
Business/Organization Den	mentia Friendly Business/Organization	Community Member (Volunteer)
Check the box to indicate that your please provide a description of why this service/work, and contributions to the or	s business/organization/individual is b	peing nominated. Include details of