

## **The Connecticut State Rifle and Revolver Association Shooters Hall of Fame**

*The Connecticut State Rifle and Revolver Association Shooters Hall of Fame is established to recognize those members of our organization that have made a significant contribution to the shooting sports and/or the Association.*

*A committee, made up of current Hall members, will make selections to the Connecticut State Rifle and Revolver Association Shooters Hall of Fame on an annual basis. The committee will review nominations submitted by the Association at large in each of the various disciplines. The selection committee will consist of an odd number of members of Connecticut State Rifle and Revolver Association Shooters Hall of Fame. The chairman and the committee are selected by the Association Board of Directors and serves at its pleasure. Selection to the Hall will be by a simple majority based upon a written secret ballot.*

*As a rule, nominees must have demonstrated a sustained period of excellence in the area for which they are nominated, a single outstanding accomplishment, while laudatory, is not sufficient cause for election to the Hall of Fame.*

*A nominee must have been a member of the Connecticut State Rifle and Revolver Association during the period of time that covers the nomination as well as holding current membership. The only exception to this requirement applies to deceased historically significant individuals who have made noteworthy contributions to the shooting sports.*

*A nomination must include the nominee's name, address, and shooting association affiliations as well as the name and address of the nominator. The nomination itself should be a narrative detailing the nominee's accomplishments. The actual nomination may not exceed one single space typewritten pages of 12-point type.*

*There is no requirement that each discipline fill a position each year. Disciplines to be considered are special recognition, air gun, bench rest, black powder, hunter/trapper, high power rifle, pistol, shotgun, silhouette, smallbore rifle and volunteer.*

*The Association presents each member with memento in recognition at induction.*

## **The Connecticut State Rifle Association Hall of Fame Class of 1983**

*Thomas Fenton-Special Recognition  
Charles Goss-Volunteer  
Adam Vabalas-Pistol  
Wallace Lyman-High Power  
Debbie Lyman-Smallbore*

*David Lyman-Air Rifle  
Ted Borkowski-Black Powder  
Joseph Vinci-Bench Rest  
Frank Scotto-Silhouette  
Ken Ramage-Hunter*

### **Class of 1984**

*William Brophy-Special Recognition  
Craolyn Anthony-Volunteer  
Paul Sheaffer-Pistol  
Richard Scheller-High Power*

*Edward Ebdon-Smallbore  
Ron Whaley-Air Gun  
Ray Palmucci-Black Powder  
Mary Scotto-Silhouette*

### **Class of 1985**

*Art Jackson-Special Recognition  
Billie Johnston-Volunteer  
"Doc" Watson-Pistol  
Stephen Rocketto-High Power*

*Al Metzger-Smallbore  
Dave Thompson-Black Powder  
George Dirgo-Silhouette  
Lester Hull-Hunter*

### **Class of 1986**

*Charles E, Lyman III  
John Yetter, Sr.-Volunteer  
John Lucas-Pistol  
Harold Slocum-High Power*

*Harold Rocketto-Smallbore  
David Brennan-Bench Rest  
Matty Regan-Silhouette*

### **Class of 1987**

*Daniel Juliani-Special Recognition  
Abraham Rocketto-Volunteer  
Raymond Wilber-Pistol*

*Maurizio DeFina-High Power  
Gail Barry-Smallbore  
Arnie Wilhite-Silhouette*

### **Class of 1988**

*Joseph Carten-Special Recognition  
Patti Clark-Volunteer  
William F. O'Brien-Pistol*

*Mark Lasrich-High Power  
Hugh Allen-Smallbore*

### **Class of 2004**

*Bill Johnston-Special Recognition  
Brad Palmer-Volunteer  
Charles Allen-Pistol  
Ron Sekellick-High Power*

*Cory Brunetti-Smallbore  
Jeffrey Doerschler-Smallbore  
Emily Caruso-Air Gun*

### **Class of 2005**

*Harry Wilcoxson-Special Recognition  
Nicole Panko-Volunteer*

*Ian Cheeseman-High Power  
William Lange-Smallbore*

### **Class of 2006**

*Catherine Smittner-Special Recognition  
Ted Lussier-Volunteer  
Raymond McQueeney-Pistol*

*James Kallenbach-High Power  
Jay Sonneborn, Jr.-Smallbore  
Greg Lonczak-Air Gun*

### **Class of 2007**

*Roger McQuiggan-Special Recognition*  
*John Coggshall-High Power*

*Julie Coggshall-High Power*  
*Shawn McDonnell-Smallbore*

### **Class of 2008**

*Stephen Schady -Special Recognition*  
*Amanda Eisnboss-High Power*

*Claudia Duksa-Smallbore*  
*Gregory Tomsen-Smallbore*

### **Class of 2009**

*Sharon Sekellick-Special Recognition*  
*Jeff Mendyka-High Power*

*Ryan Castonguay-High Power*

### **Class of 2010**

*Kris Friend-High Power*  
*Shawn Carpenter-Smallbore*

*Ernest Mellor-Silhouette*  
*Jane Lyman-Special Recognition*

### **Historically Significant Figures**

*Harry Anthony*  
*Harry Vaughn Cail*  
*David Carlson*  
*Samuel Colt*  
*John Crowley*  
*Robert Gadd, Sr.*  
*John C. Garand*  
*Benjamin Hotchkiss*  
*Eric Johnson*  
*Melvin Johnson*  
*Fred Kuhn*  
*Jack Lacey*

*Jim Lacey*  
*Charles E. Lyman, II*  
*William Lyman*  
*John H. Marlin*  
*Ray Morgan*  
*James Ripley*  
*William B. Ruger*  
*Christopher Spencer*  
*Walter Tomsen*  
*Oliver Winchester*  
*Eli Whitney*

