Niagara River Region Chamber of Commerce Award Honorees

2019
Chairman’s Partnership Award – Niagara Frontier Publications
Lewiston Business of the Year – Casa Antica
Youngstown Business of the Year – The Youngstown Galley
Ransomville Business of the Year – Ransomville Speedway
Sanborn Business of the Year – G-Mac’s Inn
Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year – Rev. Msgr. David G. LiPuma
Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year – Shawn D’Luhy
Town of Porter Citizen of the Year – Gary Zanardi
Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year – Glenn Wienke

2018
Chairman’s Partnership Award – Kiwanis Club of Lewiston
Lewiston Business of the Year – Canterbury Place
Youngstown Business of the Year – Lakeside Quarter Horses
Ransomville Business of the Year – Ed’s Garage
Sanborn Business of the Year – Innovative Card Solutions
Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year – Alexander & Colleen Swavy
Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year – Helen Murray
Town of Porter Citizen of the Year – Linda White
Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year – David Perrault

2017
Chairman’s Award – Niagara Falls National Heritage Area
Lewiston Business of the Year – Apple Granny
Youngstown Business of the Year – Sanger Farms & Bakery
Ransomville Business of the Year – O’Connor Family Greenhouses and Garden Center
Sanborn Business of the Year – Wilco Auto Care
Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year – Claudia Marasco & Arlene Sliz
Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year – Paul Waterstrat
Town of Porter Citizen of the Year – Claudia Fleckenstein & Ellie Murphy
Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year – Thomas Deal
River Region Partnership Award – Rainbow Air, Inc.

2016
Chairman’s Award – Modern Corporation
Lewiston Business of the Year – Warren’s Village Hardware
Youngstown Business of the Year – Ray’s Tavern
Ransomville Business of the Year – Porter Empty Return Center
Sanborn Business of the Year – Niagara County Central Rotary
Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year – Tim Henderson
Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year – Robert “Bob” Monroe
Town of Porter Citizen of the Year – Hon. David Truesdale
Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year – Ronald Winkley
River Region Partnership Award – Supermarket Liquors and Wines

2015
Chairman’s Award – Rivershore, Inc.
Lewiston Business of the Year – Lewiston Music
Youngstown Business of the Year – The Ontario House “Stone Jug”
Ransomville Business of the Year – Knead the Dough
Sanborn Business of the Year – KeyBank
Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year – Tasia Fitzpatrick
2014
Chairman’s Award – Great Lakes Real Estate
Lewiston Business of the Year – Water Street Landing
Youngstown Business of the Year – Bandana’s Bar & Grill
Ransomville Business of the Year – Patti’s Cut Above
Sanborn Business of the Year – Sanborn Old General Store Antique Co-op
Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year – James R. Franey
Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year – Tina Oddy
Town of Porter Citizen of the Year – Ransomville Volunteer Fire Company
Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year – Lee Simonson
River Region Partnership Award – Brett’s Tent & Awning

2013
Chairman’s Award – Artpark & Company
Lewiston Business of the Year – The Brickyard BBQ & Pub / Tin Pan Alley
Youngstown Business of the Year – Melloni’s Market Place
Ransomville Business of the Year – Fillmore Chapel United Methodist Church
Sanborn Business of the Year – Wendt’s Propane and Oil
Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year – Dr. Jerry Mosey
Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year – Claudia Andres
Town of Porter Citizen of the Year – Bill and Jean Siddall
Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year – Lewiston Volunteers of Mount St. Mary’s Hospital & Health Center
River Region Partnership Award – Tedesco Construction Services, Inc.

2012
Chairman’s Award – First Niagara Bank
Lewiston Business of the Year – Angel to Apple
Youngstown Business of the Year – Ashker’s Cafe and Ice Cream Shop
Ransomville Business of the Year – Ransomville Free Methodist Church
Sanborn Business of the Year – H.A. Treichler & Sons Greenhouse
Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year – Robert Hotchkiss Welch
Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year – Neil Riordan
Town of Porter Citizen of the Year - Kathy Zasucha and Ramona Lockhart
Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year – Niagara Powerlifting Club

2011
Chairman’s Award - DiMino’s Lewiston Market, Inc – Tops
Lewiston Business of the Year - Lewiston Village Pub & Restaurant
Youngstown Business of the Year - Heritage Auto Service and Repair
Ransomville Business of the Year - Ransomville Bus Lines, Inc.
Sanborn Business of the Year - Sanborn Market Place
Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year - Richard Hermanson
Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year - Timothy Adamson
Town of Porter Citizen of the Year - Paul Beatty Sr. & Paul Beatty Jr.
Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year - Town of Lewiston Recreation Program Volunteer Baseball & Softball Coaches

2010
Chairmans Award – Old Fort Niagara
Town of Porter Citizen of the Year – Nancy Orsi
Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year – Home Delivered Meals Volunteers from Lewiston Senior Center & Sanborn Village
Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year – Claudia J. Marasco
Lewiston Business of the Year – The Village Bake Shoppe
Youngstown Business of the Year – Anchor Spirits
Ransomville Business of the Year – Johnston’s Restaurant
Sanborn Business of the Year – Tina’s Place Restaurant

2009
Chairmans Award - Niagara University
Town of Porter Citizen of the Year - Suzanne Dietz
Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year - Jonathan Schultz
Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year - Pam Hauth
Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year - Peggy Hanson
Lewiston Business of the Year - Coppins Service Center, Inc.
Youngstown Business of the Year - Main Street Pizzeria
Ransomville Business of the Year - The Motor Clinic
Sanborn Business of the Year - Sanborn Area Historical Association

2008
Chairman’s Award - Whirlpool Jet Boat
Town of Porter Citizen of the Year - John MacArther
Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year - Margaret “Peggy” Salada
Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year - Lester Meyers
Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year - Gretchen Duling
Lewiston Business of the Year - The Orange Cat Coffee Co.
Youngstown Business of the Year - Victoria’s Family Haircare and Tanning
Ransomville Business of the Year - JF Machining
Sanborn Business of the Year - The Mill Marketplace

2007
Chairman’s Award - Mt. St. Mary’s Hospital and Health Center
Youngstown Business of the Year - The Youngstown Village Diner
Village of Youngstown Citizen of the Year - John “Butch” Cannon
Ransomville Business of the Year - KiPo Motors Chevrolet of Ransomville
Town of Porter Citizen of the Year - Douglas Diez
Sanborn Business of the Year - Rhoney Funeral Home
Lewiston Business of the Year - Tin Pan Alley and The Brickyard
Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year - Ronald Winkley
Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year - Robert L. Bull Jr., MD

2006
Chairman’s Award - New York Power Authority
Youngstown Business of the Year - Old Fort Niagara and Robert Emerson, Executive Director
Youngstown Citizen of the Year - Robert C. Reese/RCR Yachts
Ransomville Business of the Year - Peter Baker Farms
Porter Citizen of the Year - William Choboy
Lewiston Business of the Year - Gorge Travel, Inc.
Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year - Marianne Gittermann, Recreation Department
Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year - William (Bill) Mayne
Sanborn Business Person of the Year - Glenn Wienke
2005
Chairman’s Award - Artpark & Company
Youngstown Business Person of the Year - Margery Stratton, Dan and Lucy Wilson Realty
Youngstown Citizen of the Year - John Trunzo
Ransomville Business of the Year - Stevenson Hardware
Porter Citizen of the Year - Mildred Hillman
Lewiston Business of the Year - Hibbard’s Dry Cleaners, Hibbard’s Liquor Store, Hibbard’s Custard Stand and Hibbard Agency
Village of Lewiston Citizen of the Year - Mike Molnar
Town of Lewiston Citizen of the Year - Mayor Richard Soluri
Sanborn Business Person of the Year - Hoover Dairy

2004
Business of the Year – Favorite’s Pizza
Business Person of the Year – Margy Toohey, Lewiston Insurance Agency
Benjamin Barton Service Award – The Niagara River Charter Captains Association & The Niagara River Anglers
Morgan Lewis Partnership Award – Niagara University
Lewiston Mayor & Supervisor’s Award – Mamie & Si Simonson
Youngstown-Porter Mayor & Supervisors Award – Tom Tower, Tom Tower’s Farm Market
Special Recognition Award – Former Lewiston Supervisor Sandra Jo Maslen & Artpark’s 30th Birthday Celebration

2003
Business of the Year – Carmelo’s Coat of Arms
Business Person of the Year – Marcia Steiner, Mount St. Mary’s Hospital & Health Center
Benjamin Barton Service Award – Vince Corriere, Vinces Lewiston Restaurant, Vincenzo Morreale, Vincenzo’s Pizza House, Bobbie Scully, Village Vendor, Richard Williams, Lewiston Postman
Morgan Lewis Partnership Award – Modern Corporation
Lewiston Mayor & Supervisor’s Award – Gary Townsend
Youngstown-Porter Mayor & Supervisors Award – Cora Gushee
“WOW” Award for Customer Service Excellence – Janice McCaw, HSBC Bank USA

2002
Business of the Year – Stuart Sports
Business Person of the Year – Brad Hardison, Hardison Funeral Homes, Inc.
Benjamin Barton Service Award – The Lewiston Garden Club
Morgan Lewis Partnership Award – Niagara Frontier Publication/Lewiston Sentinel
Lewiston Mayor & Supervisor’s Award – Mert & Eleanor Marshall
A Community Salute to our Firefighters & Police Officers

2001
Business of the Year – Village Hardware
Business Person of the Year – John Roberts, Apple Granny Restaurant
Employee of the Year - Sally Schoonmaker – Joette’s Fashion & Gift Boutique
Benjamin Barton Service Award – Lewiston-Queenston Rotary
Morgan Lewis Partnership Award – Sally & Susan Knize, The Caravan
Past President’s Civic Pride Award – The Quain Weber Family