



SANDY IRWIN VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR AWARD

Sandy Irwin exemplified the definition, spirit, and intent of the word “volunteer”. Throughout her involvement in hockey from the local to state level she constantly performed acts of kindness, freely giving of her talent, time and effort for the simple pleasure of serving others and making the game better. She did so with complete humility, passion, and compassion.

The Sandy Irwin Volunteer of the Year Award is given yearly to the member of the NYSAHA that strives to demonstrate the same qualities and personal characteristics that Sandy possessed.

Past Award Winners

2023 Jody Cullen – Alexandria Bay
2022 Jolie Urso - Rye
2021 Nedra Miller - Rochester
2020 Matt Cullen – Alexandria Bay
2019 Sue Tessier – Pulaski
2018 Gary Joseph – Amherst
2017 Fred Nielson – Port Washington
2016 Charlie Millner – Plainview
2015 Kevin Rodgers – Rockville Centre
2014 Linda O’Neill – Hamilton
2013 Dave Mensi – Mamaroneck
2012 Bob Schell – Amherst
2011 Sandy Irwin - Freeport