



THE BUFFALO
HISTORY MUSEUM

Daniel B. Niederlander Award

The Daniel B. Niederlander Award was established in 1975, in honor of Niederlander (1895-1964), a former History Museum president, businessman, and dedicated civic leader.

The award is presented to a local education, cultural or heritage organization for outstanding programming.

The following criteria should guide you in the nomination of organizations:

- The organization’s overall program for the year must be of high caliber. The award should not be given for a particular event.
- Services should be directed at the entire population of the town, village, or other geographical area described in its charter.
- Particular value will be placed on service rendered to youth.
- Although occupation of a permanent headquarters need not be a prerequisite, the maintenance of extended hours of service at a permanent or temporary headquarters is a factor in service to the community.
- Extensive involvement of volunteers should be emphasized and given special consideration.
- Interpretive programs, research and reference services should be equally weighed.
- Participation in county, area, state and national historical activity.

Nominees are not to be told they are under consideration.

Nominations must be submitted online and are due by 11:59 p.m. on Friday, February 28, 2020. [Click here](#) to nominate. If you have any questions on the online tool or nominations process, please contact Kimberly Luangpakdy, director of advancement, at (716) 873-9644 ext. 322 or at kluangpakdy@buffalohistory.org.

DANIEL B. NIEDERLANDER AWARD RECIPIENT LIST

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| 1975 Old Amherst Colony Museum Park | Museum of Temple Beth Zion |
| 1977 Historical Society of the Tonawandas, Inc. | 2004 North Tonawanda History Museum |
| 1978 Tonawanda-Kenmore Historical Society | 2005 Preservation Coalition of Erie County & Landmark Society of the Niagara Frontier |
| 1979 Aurora Historical Society | Polish Arts Club of Buffalo |
| 1980 Eden Historical Society | 2006 Am-Pol Eagle Newspaper |
| 1981 Lancaster Historical Society | 2007 Buffalo State College Maritime Center |
| 1982 Evans Historical Society | Forest Lawn Cemetery |
| 1984 Newstead Historical Society | 2008 Central Terminal Restoration Corporation |
| 1985 Cheektowaga Historical Society | Shea’s Performing Arts Center |
| 1986 Western New York Railway Historical Society | 2009 Afro-American Historical Association |
| 1987 Aurora Historical Society | of the Niagara Frontier, Inc. |
| 1988 Elma Historical Society | Art Conservation Dept. at Buffalo State College |
| 1989 Buffalo Lighthouse Association | 2010 Grant-Amherst Business Association |
| 1990 Historical Society of the Tonawandas, Inc. | 2011 Old Fort Niagara |
| 1991 Hamburg Historical Society | 2012 WNED Buffalo-Toronto |
| 1992 Buffalo Friends of Olmstead Parks | 2013 The Hull Family Home & Farmstead |
| 1993 Orchard Park Historical Society | 2014 The Martin House Restoration Corporation |
| 1994 Historical Society of the Town of Clarence | 2015 The Niagara 1812 Bicentennial Legacy Council |
| 1995 Buffalo Fire Historical Society | 2016 The Herschell Carrousel Factory Museum |
| 1997 Michigan Street Preservation Corporation | 2017 Hispanic Heritage Council of Western New York |
| 1999 Graycliff Conservancy, Inc. | 2018 Niagara Frontier Council for the Social Studies |
| 2001 Theodore Roosevelt Inaugural National Hist. Site | 2019 West Seneca Historical Society and Museum |
| 2003 The Benjamin and Dr. Edgar R. Cofeld Judaic | |

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