



SPECIAL AWARDS

Member Organization of the Year

ELIGIBILITY: Any USTA Florida member organization.

CRITERIA:

Service to the Tennis Community –

- Donation of Facilities for Amateur Tournaments
- Provision of Courts to the Public for Seminars, Clinics, etc.
- Provision of Facilities for Interscholastic Play
- Special Events (charities, wheelchair, etc.)
- Involvement & Support of Multi-Cultural Programs.

*Service to the Members – *Jr/Adult/Sr Programs* –*

- USTA Plan for Growth
- USTA Tennis Free for All
- USTA 1-2-3
- USTA Team Tennis
- USTA NJTL
- USTA Schools Program
- USTA League Tennis
- USTA Tournament Tennis
- Recreational Programs
- Intersectional/Interclub Play
- Other Programs & Activities

Organization must have a current USTA membership.

SELECTION PROCESS: The USTA Florida Membership Committee selects the recipient. The winner is submitted for consideration for the USTA Organization of the Year Award.

TIME TABLE: July - Nominations are accepted
September - Deadline for nominations
October – Recipient selected

PRESENTED: USTA Florida Annual Meeting

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MEMBER ORGANIZATION
OF THE YEAR



History of Award Winners

1980 City of Hialeah Recreation Department, *Hialeah*
1981 Welleby Racquet Club, *Sunrise*
1982 Sawgrass Racquet Club, *Ponte Vedra Beach*
1983 Grenelife Golf and Tennis Resort, *Grenelife*
1984 Laver's International Tennis Resort, *Delray Beach*
1985 Bollettieri Tennis Academy, *Bradenton*
1987 Polo Club at Boca Raton, *Boca Raton*
1989 Polk County Tennis Association, *Lakeland*
1990 Pensacola Junior Tennis Association, *Pensacola*
1991 Tallahassee Tennis Association, *Tallahassee*
1992 Palm Coast Players Club, *Palm Coast*
1993 Greater Miami Tennis Patrons, *Miami*
1994 Delray Beach Tennis Patrons, *Delray Beach*
1995 Bluewater Bay, *Niceville*
1996 Frank Veltri Tennis Center, *Plantation Central Park, Plantation*
1997 Ballen Isles Country Club, *Palm Beach Gardens*
1998 Royal Racquet Club, *Clearwater*
1999 Tennis Club of Palm Beach, *West Palm Beach*
2000 Landings Yacht, Golf & Tennis Club, *Fort Myers*
The Landings Tennis Association, *Fort Myers*
2001 USPTA Florida Division
2002 Tennis Foundation of Saint Petersburg, *St. Petersburg*
2003 BallenIsles Country Club, *Palm Beach Gardens*
2004 Beerman Family Tennis Center, *Lakeland*
2005 First Coast Tennis Foundation, *Jacksonville*



SPECIAL AWARDS

Official of the Year

ELIGIBILITY: Any USTA Florida certified USTA Official.

CRITERIA: This award is based on years of service and contributions to officiating. The recipient is recognized for hard work, professionalism, technical ability, and cooperative attitude.

SELECTION PROCESS: The USTA Florida Officials Committee selects the recipient(s).

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History of Award Winners

1993 Rollie Shea, *Winter Park*
1994 Nancy Horowitz, *Pembroke Pines*
1995 Bob Alexander, *Boynton Beach*
1996 Mary Francis Giltz, *Pompano Beach*
1997 Roger White, *Belleair Beach*
1998 Linda Framnes, *Plantation*
1999 Terry Logan, *St. Petersburg*
2000 Janis Crawford, *Gainesville*
2001 Carol Anderson, *Jacksonville*
2002 Joe Tartaglino, *Boca Raton*
2003 Bill Kelly, *Valrico*
2004 Malcolm McGregor, *Gainesville*
2005 Bob Booth, *Jacksonville*



SPECIAL AWARDS

Jim Martz Media Award

ELIGIBILITY: Any print or electronic journalists from newspapers, magazines, radio and television stations, including freelance reporters, in Florida.

CRITERIA: This award is presented by *Florida Tennis* magazine annually in recognition for excellence in informing the tennis community and general public about state and local tennis news.

SELECTION PROCESS: The Jim Martz Media Award Committee selects the recipient(s).

HISTORY: The Jim Martz Media Award used to be called the "Barnett Award for Excellence in Tennis Writing". It was presented at the Annual Meeting from 1976 through 1980. A plaque was presented that said: "Barnett Banks of Florida honors _____ as Florida's Outstanding Tennis Writer for _____. At that time, there were also runner-up plaques presented. **The winners below were honored prior to the change of the award.

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JIM MARTZ
MEDIA AWARD



History of Award Winners

1976 **Greg Allen Gordon, *Tampa Tribune*
1977 **James K. Sarni, *Ft. Lauderdale News*
1978 **Judy Moore, *Jacksonville Journal*
1979 **Peggy Gossett, *Palm Beach Post*
1980 **Jim Martz, *Miami Herald*

1995 Herb Branham, *Tampa Tribune*
1996 Scott Colton, *Sunrise*
1997 Nancy Morgan, *Clearwater*
1998 Meri-Jo Borzilleri, *Miami*
1999 Tom Rife, *Naples Daily News*
2000 Linda Frazier, *Tallahassee Democrat*
2001 Dave Kozlowski, *Sarasota*
2002 Dick Evans, *Daytona Beach*
2003 Terry Brown, *Topspin Tennis News, Jacksonville*
2004 Carol Wolff, *Naples*
2005 Lisa Coffey, *Lakeland*