

SSA Awards Nominating and Approval Processes

Normal

Any SSA Member can submit a nomination for a service award to the Awards Committee, either directly or through his or her Regional Director. The nomination should include the nominee's name and qualifying details depending on the criteria for the particular award. Nominations should be submitted no later than 1 September of the year for which the award applies. The Awards Committee will review the nominations for applicability and present them to the SSA Board of Directors at their Fall Meeting for approval.

Vetted

Any SSA Member can submit a nomination for the **Eaton, Tuntland** or **Paul Schweizer Awards** to the Awards Committee, either directly or through his or her Regional Director. The nomination should include the nominee's name and qualifying details depending on the criteria for the particular award. Nominations should be submitted no later than 1 November of the year for which the award applies. The Awards Committee will screen the nominations for the proper level of achievement and present those that pass to the Board of Directors by mid-November. The SSA Board of Directors will then vote on the recommendations of the Awards Committee by 1 December with a simple majority of votes cast indicating Board approval.

International Awards

Nominations for several international soaring awards are accepted by the IGC from various national associations including the NAA for the US. Any SSA member can submit a nomination to the Awards Committee for one of the international awards. The Awards Committee will screen the nomination to be sure it documents a level worthy of international recognition. The Awards committee will present worthy nominations to the SSA Board of Directors at their Fall Meeting for approval. If approved, nominations will then be passed on to NAA for their consideration.

Special

US Soaring Hall of Fame

As described by the National Soaring Museum on their website at www.soaringmuseum.org.

Joseph Lincoln Award

As described by Harris Hill Soaring Corporation on their website at www.harrishillsoaring.org