

## Biography of Don Frantz, winner of LDAA Golden Jubilee Distinguished Alumnus Award for the Arts

Don Frantz wasted no time in showing his creative genius by creating, producing and directing an alternative school musical, prior to his graduation as a member of the Lower Dauphin Class of 1969. His education continued with a bachelor of science degree in music from Lebanon Valley College and a master of fine arts in theatre management from the University of California at Los Angeles. His theatrical creations have continued to show his creative genius as he has delighted audiences at Walt Disney World, Busch Gardens, and Sea World, and at Super Bowls, and many Broadway productions. He was associate producer for both Beauty and the Beast and The Lion King. He is the owner of Town Square Productions a theatrical management company and has most recently spread his creativity internationally to become CEO of the Beijing Oriental Broadway Management Company, creating original shows as well as touring Broadway productions. Among his many other talents, he is also the founder of The Amazing Maize Maze, the first corn maze in the world.