# Oak Park Hall of Fame Nomination Form

This form is used to nominate either a graduate of Oak Park High School for the Hall of Fame or a non-alumni for the Dan Kahler Hall of Fame Award.

Nominations for the Dr. Kahler Award will be accepted from the general public. The nominee must have been employed by OPHS and retired from NKCSD or served Oak Park High School for over 10 years and exemplified the values, traditions and successes of Oak Park High School.

* Indicates required question

1. Email *

2. Name of person filling out form *

3. Name of person you are nominating *

4. What year did the person being nominated graduate from Oak Park? If they are not an alumni c OP, please put "Kahler Nomination."

5. How long have you known the nominee? *

6. What is your relationship to the nominee? *

## Information on Nominee

Please give as much information as you can about the nominee in as many of the applicable fields below. Not all fields will pertain to every nominee. The more information you provide about all that this alumni has accomplished since graduating, the more we have to share during voting. If this person is not an alumni and is being nominated for the Kahler Award, please give as many details as possible about their contributions in each area, especially those effecting Oak Park High School. Please consider noting the following:

- Notable recognitions this person has received
- Legacy-defining contributions
- Significant achievements and accomplishments

7. **Academics**
Please provide evidence or examples of post-secondary academic achievements such as post-Secondary degrees, fellowships, research, & impact on their field of study.

8. **Athletics**
   Describe post-high school athletic accomplishments, coaching, or community sports involvement.

9. **Business/Entrepreneurship**
   Describe any leadership or innovation in the field of business. Please include any roles in successful companies and role in their success. Also include any recognitions in their field (Forbes, Chamber of Commerce, etc.).

10. **Community Service**
    Describe any volunteerism, leadership in nonprofits, or outreach programs. Please include information on their lifelong commitment to service and their impact on local or wider communities.

11. **Military Service**

Please include the nominees branch, rank, and length of service. Make sure to include any honors received (Bronze Star, Purple Heart, etc).

12. **Public Service**

Describe any achievements in roles that serve the public such as education, first responders, policy makers, social work, etc. Please include how this person has demonstrated ethical leadership and their accomplishments.

13. **Arts & Sciences**

Describe this persons creative or scientific contributions in the fields of visual arts, musics, writing, medicine, STEM, etc. Please include any exhibitions, publications, patents, performances, awards and the cultural impact.

14. **Special Recognitions**

Describe any special media coverage or acclaim. List any awards outside of the previous categories. Also include any trailblazing or breaking barriers not noted above.

15. **Contributions to OPHS**

Describe any mentoring of students, guest speaking, or any experiences provided specifically OPHS. Include any donations, fundraising efforts, advocacy or overall reputation-building efforts for OPHS.

16. **Additional**

Describe anything else you think should be noted but not mentioned above.

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