

*Thank you for  
Caring and Sharing!*

## THE PETERSON SPIRIT AWARD



*Joe and Kay Peterson,  
ESCAPEES RV Club® Founders*

### Peterson Spirit Award

We feel it is important to continually reinforce the principle that we are all in this lifestyle together and are a community bound by its values. We look after one another. To shine a light on those of us who are true examples of what it is to be an Escapee, we created the Peterson Spirit Award. The purpose of the program is to publicly recognize Escapees members for actions that exemplify the Club's values. Here are the requirements for nominees:

- Caring and sharing for fellow RVers
- Service to the club
- Honesty and integrity
- Inclusivity

All recipients of the Peterson Spirit Award will be nominated by you, the members! This will give you the chance to recognize individuals (or small groups) of people for their exemplary deeds. Recipients will be recognized in *Escapees* magazine and in the Club News e-newsletter. In addition, they will receive a special sticker, special name badge dangle and a challenge coin. Their name(s) will appear on a special plaque located in the main hall of National Headquarters. Submissions can be sent via a form found on the Escapees website at [member.escapees.com/petersonaward](http://member.escapees.com/petersonaward). To submit a fellow member for consideration, all we need is your name, membership number, contact information, name(s) of the nominee(s) with their e-mail or phone number (if known),

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description of the nominee's specific actions and an explanation of why these actions should be considered for the award. Your information will be kept anonymous unless otherwise authorized. Submissions will be reviewed by us (the Escapees Board of Directors), and awards will be presented monthly. Now is your chance to honor those who best exemplifies what it means to be an Escapees member.

Einstein gives us yet another bit of wisdom that we at Escapees take to heart: “Everything should be made as simple as possible, but not simpler.” It is our pleasure to be able to enhance your RVing lifestyle with our services and, more importantly, to help you build a community of people you can call friends. It takes the hard work and dedication of many talented people to keep Escapees RV Club moving forward. It also helps us to achieve a balance between our many and varied offerings with the simplicity necessary for you to find what you need when you need it. We sincerely hope that our efforts in building and simplifying have increased your enjoyment of this amazing lifestyle. 🚐