the Chickasaw Nation

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Chickasaw Hall of Fame
2027 Nomination Form

Eligibility requirements:

The Chickasaw Nation accepts nominations of both living and deceased individuals who meet the eligibility requirements to be considered for induction into the Chickasaw Hall of Fame.

To be eligible to receive this high honor, nominees must have distinguished themselves in their business, profession, vocation or cultural craft (activity), thereby bringing honor to the Chickasaw people and/or having made outstanding contributions to the Chickasaw Nation or society in general. An inductee must be a citizen of the Chickasaw Nation at the time of nomination. Nominees are not required to live in Oklahoma.

All living individuals selected for induction into the Chickasaw Hall of Fame must commit to being present for the induction ceremony and those who nominate citizens for the posthumous induction must attend, or the nominee may not be inducted that year. Current Chickasaw Nation elected officials and employees are ineligible for induction into the Chickasaw Hall of Fame.

Deadline for 2027 nominations:

Nominations must be received by Tuesday, December 1, 2026 for consideration for the 2027 induction ceremony.

Submitting nominations:

Send nominations to:
Ms. LaDawn Webb
Chickasaw Hall of Fame Nominations
c/o Department of Culture and Humanities
Post Office Box 1548
Ada, OK 74821-1548

Nominee information: (include maiden name, if applicable)

Name: _____
First Middle Maiden Last Suffix

Birth date: _____ ☐ Living ☐ Deceased
(for security purposes only)

Mailing address: _____
Street City State ZIP

Physical address: _____
Street City State ZIP

Primary phone no.: (____) _____ Alternate phone no.: (____) _____

Email address: _____

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Nominator information: (person submitting nomination form)

Name: _____
First Middle Last Suffix

Mailing address: _____
Street City State ZIP

Physical address: _____
Street City State ZIP

Primary phone no.: (____) _____ Alternate phone no.: (____) _____

Email address: _____

Information for the nominee (or family):

1. If selected, provide a contact list of at least three people who are willing to be interviewed on camera about the nominee's life, work and heritage. This contributes to the Chickasaw Hall of Fame video played at the induction ceremony. Include the following information about the people chosen for an interview:
   a. Contact name
   b. Contact email address (if applicable)
   c. Contact current address
   d. Contact phone numbers (home, cell or office)

2. If selected, provide at least 15 photographs spanning the nominee's life from childhood to adulthood (if applicable). These photographs will help in the development of the dedication video at the Chickasaw Hall of Fame induction ceremony. Also, a home video of events and moments throughout the nominee's life can be incorporated into the video. The Chickasaw Nation Multimedia program will schedule a time to meet with each nominee (or family) to scan photographs and capture video.

3. Provide documentation or proof of any lifetime achievement awards, nominations, accolades, etc., to support the nomination.

4. Previous inductees come from all walks of life, from athletes to cultural bearers, and all with a common accomplishment of bringing honor and distinction to the Chickasaw people through their extraordinary work. Examples of previous inductees into the Chickasaw Hall of Fame include Pauline Brown, Charles Carter, Raymond Harvey, Euel "Monk" Moore, Adam Walker and Pearl Carter Scott.

The questions below are provided to assist the applicant in explaining the impact the nominee has made in specific areas. Detail the nominee's background and accomplishments, explain how the nominee has attained significant achievements in their discipline, field or profession and attach supporting documents regarding the nominee's efforts. Failure to include detailed and thorough information may result in the nominee not being selected. (Use additional sheets if needed.)

Nominees will be selected by their contributions in one or more of the following areas:
- Contribution to the Chickasaw Nation, Chickasaw people or Chickasaw communities;
- Contribution to national, state, city or other tribal level;
- Contribution to their business, profession, vocation or cultural art/craft;
- Contribution to youth or underrepresented populations, etc.;
- Contribution to military or armed services.

1. How has the nominee made a positive impact on the Chickasaw Nation, Chickasaw people or Chickasaw communities? _____

2. How has the nominee made a positive impact on the national, tribal, state or city level? _____

3. How has the nominee made meaningful contributions to their business, profession, vocation or cultural art/craft (activity) and the organizations they serve? _____

4. How has the nominee's work and accomplishments made a meaningful difference for First Americans and brought distinction to the Chickasaw Nation, Chickasaw people or First American communities? _____

5. How has the nominee had a positive influence on groups such as youth and underrepresented populations, etc.? _____

Additional information required:
Please attach biographical information detailing the nominee's background and accomplishments. This information should explain how the nominee has attained significant achievements in their business, profession, vocation or cultural craft (activity). Include relevant past and present activities, accomplishments, awards and/or special honors that the nominee has received. Biographical sketches, resumes, curriculum vitae, newspaper or magazine articles are highly recommended to support the nomination. The selection committee relies heavily upon this information to gain a greater understanding of the nominee's contributions. Limited information may not fully represent the nominee's accomplishments.