



## 2018 Good Egg Nomination Form

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The Good Egg Award is presented annually to a Petaluman whose effort over time has helped highlight, preserve and contribute to the positive promotion of the city of Petaluma. The goal of The Good Egg award program is to encourage all to become advocates of the unique qualities of Petaluma and to act as ambassadors for Petaluma's heritage in our day to day lives. The Good Egg should be a role model for this.

Name of The Good Egg Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Person Submitting Nomination: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone Number of Person Submitting Nomination: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

**How is this potential Good Egg helping or has helped to promote Petaluma in the community and beyond?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**How has this potential Good Egg helped to showcase Petaluma's distinctive resources and qualities?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**How has this potential Good Egg helped foster community spirit, stimulate local prosperity and promote pride in Petaluma?**

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**RETURN THIS FORM BY 5 P.M. FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23 TO:** Good Egg Committee,  
c/o Petaluma Downtown Association, 210 Lakeville Street, Petaluma, CA 94952.

Fax to: 707-283-0528 or email to: [kathy@visitpetaluma.com](mailto:kathy@visitpetaluma.com)

If necessary, you may include one, single-sided extra page. Longer applications will be discarded.

## PAST GOOD EGGS

- 1983 Adair Heig (now Lara), Author of "A History of Petaluma, A River Town"
- 1984 Bill Soberanes, Argus Courier columnist, Founder of World Championship Wrist Wrestling
- 1985 Skip Sommer, Historic Great Petaluma Mill Developer
- 1986 Ron Walters, KTOB radio personality, performer
- 1987 Debi Riddle, preservationist, Heritage Homes President
- 1988 Linda Buffo, longtime Butter and Egg Days Steering Committee Chair
- 1989 Bill Rhodes, River Festival Founder
- 1990 Bob McLaughlin, longtime Petaluma River advocate
- 1991 Ed Fratini, local historian and archivist
- 1992 Ed Mannion, Argus Courier columnist, Petaluma historian & collector (awarded posthumously)
- 1993 Terri Hohener, founder Miss Petaluma Ambassador Program
- 1994 Marcie Becker, volunteer, Petaluma tourism activist and promoter
- 1995 Pennylee Christensen and Karen Nau, River Festival and Adobe Fiesta Organizers
- 1996 Mike Gerke, downtown businessman, community volunteer
- 1997 Ross Parkerson, preservationist, noted artist of historic locations
- 1998 Alice Forsyth, long time event coordinator and co-founder Butter and Egg Days
- 1999 Mayor M. Patricia Hilligoss, advocate for history of Petaluma, Mayor 1987-1998, Citizen of the year 1978
- 2000 Kathleen Schmelz, promoter of local history, tireless volunteer, museum docent
- 2001 Izzie Barlas, poultry industry leader, WWII Veteran, Community Ambassador
- 2002 Fred Schram, President of Heritage Homes of Petaluma and docent for Petaluma Adobe
- 2003 Susan Warren Villa, Petaluma Museum Association president, and Petaluma advocate
- 2004 Katie Watts, Argus-Courier columnist
- 2005 Bill Hammerman, Petalumans of Yesteryear
- 2006 Lucy Kortum, local advocate and historian
- 2007 Katherine Rinehart, local historian and author
- 2008 Don Bennett, Petaluma promoter, author, and activist
- 2009 Kathy Fries, coordinator of the Petaluma Historical Library & Museum
- 2010 Harlan Osborne, writer and columnist
- 2011 Christopher Stevick, promoter of the trestle restoration project
- 2012 John FitzGerald, dedicated river advocate and historian
- 2013 John & Joetta Furrer, for their contributions to preserving Petaluma's history
- 2014 John Crowley, for his commitment to building community in Petaluma
- 2015 Steve Kemmerle—Petaluma Veterans Day Parade coordinator
- 2016 Lyndi Brown – Petaluma Tourism Promoter
- 2017 John Maher – Petaluma Pete