

GOLDEN YEARS GALA

*Celebrating and Recognizing Senior Adults In Clay County
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Honor an Outstanding Senior Volunteer

Accepting Nominations for the

Golden Years Gala Service Awards

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The **sixteenth annual Golden Years Gala** will recognize senior adults for outstanding volunteer service in Clay County. What a wonderful way to say "Thank You!" by nominating someone you know for their extraordinary efforts. The 2023 categories are as follows: Volunteer Senior Man of the Year, Volunteer Senior Woman of the Year and Ernie Cohen Lifetime Achievement Award. Senior adults are important to the community. They are a generation of high values, strong work ethic, commitment, integrity, generosity and loyalty. Seniors are a wonderful example to all, showing that true fulfillment is to share their time and talents through serving. Nominee must be 60 years of age and volunteer in Clay County. **Deadline is January 31, 2023.**

This year's Golden Years Gala will be held at Sullivan Hall on Wednesday, May 10, 2023. Breakfast will be served at 8:30 a.m. with live and silent auction. The awards program will follow.

The Gala proceeds benefit The Shepherd's Center of Orange Park, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit which provides services to improve the quality of life and longer independence of hundreds of senior adults in Clay County through award-winning educational programming and events focused on health and wellness.

Visit our website (www.tscoop.org) or call the office, 904.269.5315 to purchase tickets or make a donation to this event.

2023 GOLDEN YEARS VOLUNTEER SERVICE AWARDS

To be given to a Clay County senior adult, 60 years or older.
Winners announced at the 16th Annual Golden Years Gala, May 10, 2023

TELL US WHY

Senior adults give their time and talents, as volunteers, to our community in many areas of service. Please tell us why the person you nominate (the nominee) should be selected to receive a recognition award for **volunteer** service. ***Please check the category you have selected.*** Award decisions will be based on information you provide so be as detailed as possible.

AWARD CATEGORIES

- ___ Volunteer Man of the Year for service during 2022
- ___ Volunteer Woman of the Year for service during 2022
- ___ Ernie Cohen Lifetime Achievement – has given at least 20 years of volunteer service to the community

NOMINATION GUIDELINES

Nomination forms must be received by **January 31, 2023** to be considered. The Nominee must serve in **Clay County as a non-paid volunteer and be at least 60 years of age.** Nomination forms must be completed in full with all required information to be eligible for consideration. Nomination forms are also available online at www.tscoop.org. For additional questions, call 904-269-5315 or 904-635-7351. Completed nomination form should be submitted in typed or printed and emailed to info@tscoop.org or mailed to:

Shepherd's Center of Orange Park
2105 Park Avenue, Suite 30
Orange Park, FL 32073

Nomination submitted by: (Required)

Name: _____

Phone Number : _____ E-mail Address: _____

Relationship to Nominee: _____

NOMINEE INFORMATION (Required)

Nominee's Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State **FL** Zip: _____ Email address: _____

Daytime Phone: () _____ Cell Phone: () _____

Nominee's Name _____

REASON FOR NOMINATION

1. Is the nominee 60 years of age or older? Yes No Circle one

2. Does the nominee volunteer in Clay County? Yes No Circle one

If you have answered no to either question, the nominee is not eligible for nomination.

3. What non-profit agency/agencies does the nominee volunteer for? (There may be more than one agency)

4. What does the nominee do at the nonprofit agency they serve and how many people do they serve? (Job)

5. Describe how the volunteer has had a positive impact on others and demonstrates dependability, inspiration, and enthusiasm. (Tell the person's story):

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Nominee's Name: _____

For Ernie Cohen Lifetime Achievement Award: Please list significant contributions over the last 20 years.
