**IHPA Awards**

If you know of someone the IHPA should recognize during the Annual Meeting in November, please contact Curt Bronnenberg at (515) 480‐6075, or send your nomination(s) to cbronny823@aol.com, or via snail mail to Curt Bronnenberg, 14405 Hull Ave, Perry IA 50220. A brief written description of the nominee’s involvement in beekeeping/IHPA would be appreciated. Below are the award categories

**Lifetime Membership Award**

**Pioneer Award**‐‐for having been involved in beekeeping for 50 years or more and still active in beekeeping.

**Distinguished Service Award**‐‐for assisting other beekeepers, being willing to share information, and/or serving the state association.

**Education Award‐‐**for teaching beekeeping classes, speaking at service clubs, giving presentation to school children or speaking about beekeeping on radio or T.V.

**Promotions Award**‐‐for promoting honey and beekeeping, promotions for the state association or promoting their own product.

**Friendship Award**‐‐for being a friend of the association. This could be someone who has displayed at the annual IHPA trade show or a state official who has assisted or encouraged beekeeping. They do not need to be a member of our

beekeeping community.

**Youth Award**‐‐for a young person who has shown commendable involvement in such things as helping at the state or county fair, successfully keeping bees for at least one season including wintering, writing, making a float for a parade, speaking, etc.