



Sumner Williams Lifetime Achievement Award

This award, previously called the “President’s Award” was renamed in January 2000 in memory of Sumner Williams, then assistant director of the UVM Proctor Maple Research Center. Sumner was a sugar maker, a researcher, an educator and a true friend to the maple industry. The Sumner Hill Williams Memorial Cup is presented each year to honor an individual for outstanding service and dedication to the maple industry.

Past Recipients

David Marvin_____2000

Wilson “Bill” Clark_____2001

Sam Cutting III_____2002

Carolyn Perley_____2003

Larry Myott_____2004

W. Robert Howrigan_____2005

Jacques Couture_____2006

Bruce Martell_____2007

Gary Gaudette_____2008

George Cook_____2009

Truman Young_____2010

Dr. Timothy Perkins_____2011

Henry Marckres_____2012

Don & Betty Lockhart_____2013

Senator Patrick Leahy_____2014

Tim Wilmot_____2015

Arnold Coombs_____2016

Andre Messier_____2017

Mike Guillemette_____2018

Brian Stowe_____2019

Don “Duffy” Dolliver_____2019

Dr. Abby van den Berg_____2020

Mark Isselhardt_____2021

Mike Christian_____2022

Glenn Goodrich_____2023

Robert “Ted” Young_____2024

Maurice Rheaume_____2025