

### **AWARDS and HONORS 2015**

(Updated 4/14/16)

<u>Top Public & Resort Winners</u> awarded to Family Sports Golf Course as published in the Avid Golf magazine in February 2015.

<u>Distinguished Budget Presentation Award</u> for the District's 2015 Annual Budget given by the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) for a comprehensive annual fiscal year financial report. Recognized for the 6<sup>th</sup> consecutive year. This award is the highest form of recognition in government budgeting and represents a significant achievement by our organization.

<u>Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting</u> from the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) for the 14<sup>th</sup> year, South Suburban Park and Recreation District receives Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting -- the highest form of recognition in the area of government accounting and financial reporting.

<u>District 12 Merit Award</u> from the Ice Skating Institute for distinguished service to skating and the Institute to Jamie Lane Youtsey, South Suburban staff coach.

<u>Erika Amundsen Award</u> for significant and lasting influence on the sport of figure skating and the Ice Skating Institute's programs and for being an ambassador of skating to Debbie Lane, South Suburban staff coach.

Blue Gama Award for Ecological Management give to South Platte Park for the open space program that has demonstrated leadership in the area of Ecological Management. Recognizes outstanding, innovative and successful research, restoration, or monitoring programs targeted at ecological resource management" from the Colorado Open Space Alliance.

<u>2015 Collaboration Award</u> to South Suburban from the Special District Association for effectively and efficiently partnering with other entities and local governments to form successful working relationships for the benefit of their citizens.

<u>Innovative Environmental Education Program Award</u> in 2015 to South Platte Park and Fox Creek Elementary for their Beaver Case Study headed by Beth Hanson.

# 2015 Best of the Best Community Citizens Choice Awards-Colorado Community Media

Centennial

Annual Event – High line Canal 5k/10k

Art Gallery - South Suburban Recreation Centers

Best Boss - Family Sports and Goodson Recreation Center

Best Place to Meet New People – Goodson Recreation Center

Deli/Sandwich Shop - Marge's Goodson Recreation Center

Dog Park – David A. Lorenz Dog Park

Family Entertainment Center - Family Sports Center

Golf Course - South Suburban Golf Course

Gymnastics - Goodson Recreation Center Sparks Gymnastics

Hotel - Lone Tree Golf Club & Hotel

Local Non Profit- South Suburban Foundation

Martial Arts – Lone Tree Recreation Center Martial Arts

Nursery/Day Care Center - Goodson Recreation Center Day Care

Park - Dekoevend Park

Public Art Display - South Suburban Parks and Recreation Collection in the Parks

Swimming Pool/WaterPark - Holly Pool

#### South Suburban Awards and Honors 2015-continued

### Littleton

Dog Park – Wynetka Ponds Dog Park Windermere and Belleview Family Entertainment Center – Colorado Journey Miniature Golf

Hiking/Biking Trail - Mary Cater Greenway

Live Music Venue - Hudson Gardens

Park – Sterne Park

Public Art Display – South Suburban Parks and Recreation Collection in the Parks Swimming Pool/WaterParks- Harlow Pool

## Lone Tree

Art Gallery - Lone Tree Recreation Center Gallery
Best Customer Service – Lone Tree Recreation Center
Dog Park-David A. Lorenz Regional Park (Dog Park)
Family Entertainment Center – Lone Tree Recreation Center
Golf Course – Lone Tree Golf Course
Local Non Profit- South Suburban Foundation
Martial Arts - Lone Tree Recreation Center Martial Arts
Park – Prairie Sky Park