

Ransom Arthur Award Committee  
Edie Gruender, Chairman

The Committee met 1 - 2 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 24. Initial discussion centered on the need for meeting at each convention, particularly since criteria for selection as well as makeup of the committee should be subject for ongoing discussion.

Makeup of committee: involved discussion on ways to make sure members of the committee were knowledgeable about the activities of nominees. The word "active" was interpreted in several ways. Final criteria: Committee consists of past recipients registered and actively participating in the Masters Swimming program, plus up to five additional members to ensure representation of all age groups and zones.

Selection criteria: it was generally agreed to drop the phrase "during the past year." It was also agreed that outstanding achievements on the local or regional level might serve as nominee credentials, but it is definitely not a local award. Zones and LMSCs are free to establish their own recognition.

Voting: Ballot will require voting first, second and third choices, which will be scored 3, 2 and 1. Person with lowest score is winner of award - duplicate award in case of a tie.

Brief discussion on the Saturday night award presentation--by agreement, and honoring the wishes of the nominee, this will be relative low key.

Attendance sheet attached.

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Thurs  
1:00 Pool

## Committee Members

Edie Gruender	Arizona
Dot Donnelly	Conn.
Mike Lax	Conn.
Jack Geofroy	Conn
Ann Gruender	Az
Suzie Pearson	Ariz.
Fred Hartz	NE
June Krause	FGC
Tom Boak	Pacific

## Visitors