



80th Blue Ridge Army Reserve Association Awards Program

The Awards Program began in 2002 and was created to recognize the outstanding contributions and achievements made by Soldiers and Civilians of the 80th.

Over the past 10 years the awards have ranged from \$200.00 to \$300.00 and over \$12,000.00 has been awarded to over 45 individuals from 25 different units all over the county.

The Awards program is funded from membership dues and the Awards are presented annually at the 80th Commander's Awards Dinner usually held in January of each year.



80th Blue Ridge Army Reserve Association Past Award Recipients

2002	Recipient	Unit	2009	Recipient	Unit
Mil Tech of the Year	Ms Angela Starcher	7th Bde, 80th Div	Mil Tech of the Year	Mr John Brown	8/80th, 94th Div
Soldier of the Year	SGT Brian E. Dandridge	6/80th, 80th Div	Soldier of the Year	SPC Joshua W. Cole	HQ, 100th Div
NCO of the Year	SFC Kyle M. Moore	7th Bde, 80th Div	NCO of the Year	SSG Martin J. Rodriguez	1st Bde, 104th Div
AGR of the Year	SFC Michael G. Adkins	7th Bde, 80th Div	AGR of the Year	MSG Hobart D. Parks	4/321st, 800th LSB
Drill Sgt of the Year	SFC Edward Donahue	7th Bde, 80th Div	Instructor of the Year	SFC Jeffery S. Conner	1/108th, 102nd Div
2003	Recipient	Unit	2010	Recipient	Unit
Mil Tech of the Year	Mr Anthony R. Tomlin	2nd Bde, 80th Div	SR Mil Tech of the Year	Ms Mary C. Danner	HQ, 102nd Div
Soldier of the Year	SPC Xixoxia Zang		JR Mil Tech of the Year	Mr Geoffrey A. McLendon	HQ, 800th LSB
NCO of the Year	SFC Jodi R. Renner	9/80th, 80th Div	Soldier of the Year	TBA	
AGR of the Year	SSF Garry L. Howe	RTSM-FTIG	NCO of the Year	TBA	
Drill Sgt of the Year	SFC Gary G. Barrington	1st Bde, 80th Div	AGR of the Year	MSG E. Denise Chavis	HQ, 80th Tng Cmd
			Instructor of the Year	SSG Charles R. Andrews	12/100th, 100th Div
2004	Recipient	Unit	2011	Recipient	Unit
Mil Tech of the Year	Ms Sara Foreo	2nd Bde, 80th Div	SR Mil Tech of the Year	Ms Rosie Pinkerton	HQ, 80th Div
Soldier of the Year	SGT Markeesha L. Harris	6/80th 80th Div	JR Mil Tech of the Year	Karen L. Copeland	4/104th, 94th Div
NCO of the Year	SFC Laharold M. Woodhouse	1st Bde, 80th Div	Soldier of the Year	SPC Emmanuel Estremmerzperetz	6/100th, 94th Div
AGR of the Year	SFC William Gazely	HQ, 80th Div	NCO of the Year	SFC Martin Rodriguez	1/104th, 102nd Div
			AGR of the Year	MSG Walter M. Detrinidad	3/319th, 800th LSB
2005	Recipient	Unit	Instructor of the Year	SSG Jeffrey Kennedy	6/95th, 100th Div
Mil Tech of the Year	Mr John Frasca	7th Bde, 80th Div			
Soldier of the Year	SGT Romona Bibson	2nd Bde, 80th Div			
NCO of the Year	SFC Frank Degering	8/80th, 80th Div			
Drill Sgt of the Year	SFC William Downey	DSS, 80th Div			
2006	Recipient	Unit			
Mil Tech of the Year	Mr Phillip Sample	HQ, 80th Div			
Soldier of the Year	SGT Jeremy S. Stifler	7th Bde, 80th Div			
NCO of the Year	SSG Christopher Amos	1st Bde, 80th Div			
AGR of the Year	SFC Lisa Brown	HQ, 80th Div			
Drill Sgt of the Year	SFC Shahpour J. Eskandry	1st Bde, 80th Div			
2007	Recipient	Unit			
Mil Tech of the Year	Ms Sarah Forero	7th Bde, 80th Div			
Soldier of the Year	SPC Matthew Rose	1/413th, 800th LSB			
NCO of the Year	SFC Matthew Lajon	RTSM-FTIG			
AGR of the Year	SFC Scott Kallio	HQ, 80th Div			
Instructor of the Year	SFC Darrell Smallwood, JR	RTSM-Devens			
2008	Recipient	Unit			
Mil Tech of the Year	Ms Karen Campbell	3rd Bde, 102nd Div			
NCO of the Year	SSG Robert G. Ashley	1st Bde, 102nd Div			
AGR of the Year	MSG Charles D. Humphries	HQ, 80th Tng Cmd			
Instructor of the Year	SFC Bryce Brady	RTSM-FTIG			