

“THE LEGACY WALK”

Established 2012

The purpose of *“THE LEGACY WALK”* is to forever acknowledge our scholars and champions who excel at an elite, superior level while representing Ridge Point High School in a UIL-sanctioned State event or in a National competition, bringing acclaim and honor to our school.

A review board consisting of the Principal, Athletic Director, UIL coordinator, and Fine Arts Department Chair will meet annually to vote on any non-UIL nominee. Nominations may be made only by a coach, sponsor, or director. The induction decision of the committee will be final and may not be appealed.

Membership on *THE LEGACY WALK* must never be “watered down” or the vision of this honor will be compromised and its meaning will be less valuable. Therefore, members of this board must be knowledgeable of the high caliber of membership expected to be represented, and they must be committed to maintain and protect the integrity of the project. The bottom line is to build a culture of excellence.

The wall itself will include the names and specific accomplishments of the scholars and champions meeting the criteria each school year, in chronological order, throughout the building. The odd numbered school years (example: 2010-11) should appear on the left side of the building and the even numbered years should appear on the right (as seen from the main entrance). Each Teacher of the Year will be named in the walkway below the student membership in the same manner, with teacher names in front of each column throughout the building.

The criteria for induction were created by committee and are as follows:

Designation as “CHAMPION” is reserved for athletic endeavors and “SCHOLAR” for all academia.

Athletic criteria:

- Individuals/Relays must finish in the top eight at their respective State UIL event
- Teams must finish in the top four of at their respective State UIL event

Fine Arts:

• Music Individuals must meet the following criteria in one or a combination of years:
1st Division on a solo at the Texas State Solo and Ensemble Contest **AND ONE** of the following additional honors:

- State UIL Solo/Ensemble “Outstanding Performer” (this is a superior standard to First Division/Gold medalist) OR
- UIL All State honors in Band, Choir, or Orchestra
- Music Teams (i.e. marching band) must earn: State Finalist (Top 2)
- Theatre Arts: State UIL Finalist One-Act play cast OR Best Actor/Actress/Technician at State

Academics:

- National Merit Scholar
- UIL Academics State finalist
- Academic Decathlon State finalist team

The initial criteria for membership are listed here as examples, not meant to be all-inclusive, but rather to provide insight for future leaders during the selection/induction process, in order to demonstrate the elite requirements envisioned for this honor. Each year, the members honored on *THE LEGACY WALK* should be acknowledged and inducted at the year-end awards assembly.

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