



## **River Valley School District “Alumni of Distinction” Award**

(Board Approved: August 28, 2017)

The River Valley School District has established the “Alumni of Distinction” Award to recognize alumni who have excelled in their profession and/or made significant contributions to their community. The “Alumni of Distinction” award will recognize exemplary River Valley School District graduates. Current employees of the School District and current members of the Board of Education are not eligible to receive this award.

The achievements, character and citizenship of our “Alumni of Distinction” serve as a valuable role model to inspire and challenge our current students. Nominees will be accepted in the following categories:

- Professional Achievement
- Community Service and Volunteerism

Selection will be based on the following criteria:

- Graduated from River Valley School District ten or more years from the date of nomination
- Demonstrates a high level of achievement in his/her category and has made significant contributions
- Exhibits leadership, character and service

Nominations for 2020 will be accepted until January 1, 2020.

Posthumous nominations will be accepted. Nominations will be maintained for a period of two years, and will be considered again during that time period.

Honorees will be recognized at the 2020 Graduation Ceremony on June 5, 2020.



**River Valley School District  
“Alumni of Distinction” Nomination Form**

I wish to nominate the following individual for the River Valley School District “Alumni of Distinction” award.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Profession: \_\_\_\_\_

Year of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Does this person know that you are nominating them?       Yes       No

Please complete a narrative on page 3 of this nomination form and include specifics on the nominee’s contributions and achievements in his/her profession and community as well as the reason you have selected to nominate this individual.

Nomination submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return the completed form by January 1, 2020.** Forms postmarked or emailed after this date will be considered for the following year’s nominations. All information will be kept confidential. Nominations can be submitted by email to: [wkearney@rivervalleyschools.org](mailto:wkearney@rivervalleyschools.org) or by mail to:

River Valley School District  
Attn: “Alumni of Distinction” Award  
15480 Three Oaks Road  
Three Oaks, MI 49128



***Nomination Narrative: Please include specific details on the nominee's contributions or achievement in his/her profession and community as well as the reason you have selected to nominate this individual.***

I believe this person would be a good candidate for the "Alumni of Distinction" Award because...