

Dedicated retirees inducted into Farm Science Review Hall of Fame

Two retired Ohio State University faculty members will be inducted into the Farm Science Review Hall of Fame during ceremonies the first day of the event. David R. Miskell and Robert L. Eby "went well beyond the call of duty in their work at the Review," recalls R. Craig Fendrick, Review manager. Congratulations to this year's inductees:

David R. Miskell retired in 1988 as assistant director for agriculture programs in what was then called the Ohio Cooperative Extension Service. He worked for OSU for 34 years, serving as an extension agent and a farm management state specialist. He handled parking and internal traffic flow at the Review for 18 years.

"Dave Miskell was so dedicated to the Review, he would beat me to the site. I'd get there at 5:30 in the morning, and he, a retiree without pay, would be waiting at the gate," Fendrick says.

More than 10,000 cars and 130 school buses each day depended on the work that Dave and his crew performed.

Dave continues to help at the Review, staffing displays in the antique equipment buildings.

Robert L. Eby was superintendent of outlying branches for the Ohio Agricultural Research and Development Center until his retirement in early 1989. He worked for OARDC for 37 years and served as an extension agent before that.

At the Review, Bob chaired the transportation committee, coordinating as many as 44 shuttle buses that moved thousands of people each day around the site.

"Bob was so concerned about the Review that he stayed on an additional two years after his retirement, without pay, to make sure the new person was well trained," Fendrick says.

The Hall of Fame was established in 1990 to recognize outstanding contributions to the Review. Inductees are permanently recognized at both the Molly Caren Agricultural Center and the Agricultural Administration Building on Ohio State University's Columbus campus.

Previous inductees include:

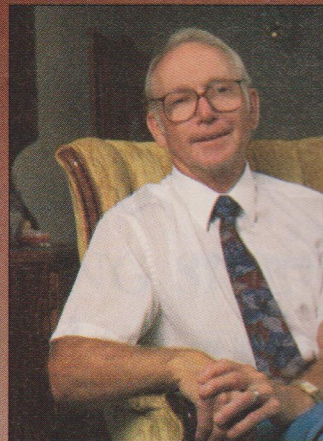
1994: C. L. "Lep" Lephart, Dorothy R. Friday, Paul C. Leidheiser

1993: Thomas M. Stockdale, Ted L. Jones, William L. George

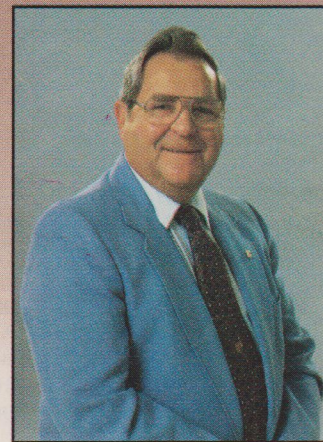
1992: Earl W. McMunn, Roland L. Leeper, James W. Yingling

1991: William B. Zipf, Wilbur A. Gould, Shirley A. Brooks, Marion E. Grimes

1990: Molly Caren, Novice G. Fawcett, Dale T. Friday, Roy M. Kottman, Thomas F. Wonderling.



David R. Miskell



Robert L. Eby