

Ed O'Neal - Hall of Fame - Special Awards Category

- The dictionary describes special as not regular and beyond the usual. This describes what Ed has done.
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I originally nominated Ed for the work he did in designing and developing the program Tourn-A-Mation for running tournaments on the computer. It was released ten years ago with continuing improvements ever since. A lot of hours went into getting it to the point it is now. All tournament directors that use this program are very appreciative of the many hours Ed has spent on this. It is free on the website to anyone.

In 2000 he designed and developed a website for Avon Park which the next year became the Central District website. Ed has been webmaster on this site ever since. Ed also designed and developed the Central District database tournament record keeping system, which simplified the KOR tasks, speeded up the posting of results and eliminated a separate KOR by combining it with the webmasters duties.

Ed has been a certified tournament director since 2000.

He is currently the FSA Webmaster, KOR and Preview editor.

We are fortunate to have Ed here in Central District.

It is my pleasure and honor to present Ed O'Neal in the Special Award Category to the Central District Hall of Fame.

Lorraine Pollock