



PKC Elite Society



Inaugural Members

★ **Glenn R. Keeney** (*Deceased*) ★ **Herb Johnson** (*Deceased*) ★ **John Venson II**

★ **Eddie B. Bethea**

★ **Phil Morgan**

★ **John Manley**

★ **Reginald Venson**

★ **Dave Buker**

★ **Donnie Michael**

★ **Jeff Davidson**

★ **H Eugene Talbott**

★ **Tom Ward** (*Inactive*)

★ **Judy Wade** (*Deceased*)



Inducted 2015

David Baldock

Christopher Kirby

Dr. Lance Hoover

Inducted 2016

Rick Batie

Kimberly Bridges

Derek Brading

Inducted 2017

Steve Fickes



Inducted 2018

Maureen Davidson

Derek Fickes

Sandra Jovanovic

Luke Sartino

Inducted 2019

Ron White

Mike Belot

Steve Hankins

Patrick Kirby

Inducted 2021

Steven Ables

Michael Cooley II

Deven Fickes

Curt Jones



Inducted 2023

Dan Winner

Inducted 2025

Inducted 2026



The PKC Elite Society is an invitation only group, which is comprised of some of the most Elite of Outstanding competitors and dedicated Martial Arts leaders in the United States and abroad, who demonstrate the competitive spirit, leadership and character of the PKC founder, Mr. Glenn R. Keeney. Mr. John Manley, Mr. Keeney's senior student, has taken it upon himself to carry on the positive Legacy that Mr. Keeney set forth. His dedication and vision will take the PKC far in the future.

Our individual and collective efforts will help Mr. Manley as he works to not only maintain the PKC's position at the forefront of quality Martial Arts activities, but also to springboard us into innovative progress for the future. Each of us will be called upon to lend our collective genius and expertise as we all seek to bring our events and schools up to heights that will help us all to succeed. Be prepared to share your ideas, and a bit of your time, as we work towards that end.

Those who have demonstrated that they are outstanding champions, outstanding leaders, and persons of outstanding and unquestionable character, can be recommended and considered for this most prestigious award.

PKC Elite Society - Initial Nominee Qualifications

- PKC member for a minimum of ten (10) years and five (5) years in Adult Black Belt
- Must be a PKC Lifetime member.
- Must have considerable knowledge of Keeney History , PKC History and the origin & essence of the PKC Elite Society
- Must NOT have any felony on record.
- Must NOT have a history of acts of violence, mental instability, or vitriolic behavior
- Nominee should have a consistent record of excelling as a National level competitor in not-less-than 75% of PKC Regions
- (Local champions are Only Local Champions)
- Must have a recommendation from current PKC Elite member
- Must display and consistently represent an excellent level of character, integrity and professionalism
- Must receive a minimum 75% of voting body at meeting during PKC Internationals weekend
- Nominees will appear before the PKC Elite Society at the PKC International Championships, where society members in attendance will vote on possible candidate inductions. A seventy-five percent (75%) majority is required for induction.
- PKC CEO reserves the right for special appointments, special dismissals, and status change for active/inactive members.