



Bridges-to-Friendship Award Recipients

The Bridges-to-Friendship Award honors an individual or organization for fostering friendship and understanding between Japanese and Americans at the grassroots level in North Texas and beyond.

2016	Fort Worth Japanese Society
2015	Ann and Gabriel Barbier-Mueller The Ann & Gabriel Barbier-Mueller Museum: The Samurai Collection
2014	Timothy C. Jones Educator from Gainesville, TX
2013	The Texas Rangers Baseball Club
2012	Mr. Shogo Kamei President, Tohoku Japan America Association
2011	The Honorable John M. Stich Honorary Consul General of Japan at Dallas
2010	Mrs. Margaret Crow and Mr. Trammell S. Crow Trammell & Margaret Crow Collection of Asian Art
2009	Mrs. Naoko Shirane Senior Advisor to the State of Texas
2007	The Honorable Ron Kirk Former Mayor of Dallas
2006	Mrs. Elaine Yoko Yamagata Founder, Fort Worth Japanese Society
2005	Dr. H. Neill McFarland Founder, Japan-America Society of Dallas/Fort Worth
2002	Dr. Norman P. Neureiter Former Honorary Consul General of Japan
2000	Haynes and Boone, LLP

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The Honorable Hitoshi Honda

Consul General of Japan