

First-ever Terry Mellor Continuing Education Grant Presented by SAFE

Eddie Atherton of the City of Owensboro, KY has received the first Terry Mellor Continuing Education Grant, awarded by The SAFE Foundation, STMA's philanthropic arm. This \$1,000 grant is funded through a generous donation from Turface Athletics.

The grant funded a portion of the Atherton's attendance at the STMA Conference last month, where he was recognized at the association's annual Awards Banquet. In addition to the cash grant, SAFE funded a free conference registration.

The grant is named in honor of the late Terry Mellor, the brother of Red Sox Director of Grounds David Mellor, who died at the age of 43. He was very involved in his community and was named volunteer of the year for the state of Wisconsin for the Special Olympics. He was a strong supporter of continuing education and this grant honors his passion.

The STMA scholarship Committee, who judges the SAFE Scholarship winners each year, selected Atherton based on a letter of recommendation. The letter was sent in by Marcus Dean, CSFM, from the University of Kentucky and the Kentucky Chapter's President, who cited Atherton's "dedication, efficiency and attitude," in his letter.

This grant will be offered again for the 2011 STMA Conference in Austin, TX. Please keep an eye out for the nomination form and more information by mid-2010. ■

New Membership Pins

At the STMA recent conference, STMA unveiled its Membership Pin Program and distributed membership pins to recognize those members who have supported STMA for 5 years, 10 years, 15 years, 20 years and 25 years. If your years of support are in between, i.e. 8 years, you will receive the 5-year pin. Pins will be mailed in February to those who were unable to attend the conference. Thank you for your continued support of STMA. We sincerely appreciate it! ■



Celebrating 8 years of membership!

THANK YOU to these members who joined STMA in 2002. We appreciate your continued support of STMA, and look forward to your continued membership with us!

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