

PINE JOG ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION CENTER FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY

AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

50 Years of Excellence

- LEED Gold Certified by United States Green Building Council, 2009
- Southeast Construction Magazine's Best of 2009 Judge's Award (best overall project) and Best Green Building in Southeast Region (4 states – Florida, Georgia, South Carolina and Alabama)
- Garden Club of America Founders Fund Award, 2009
- Real Estate & Construction Review Green Building of America Award, 2009
- Project Learning Tree (PLT) Educator of the Year, Presented to Ms. Joan Hourican, 2008
- Green Building of America Award, Real Estate & Construction Review, 2008
- Design Share Recognized Value Award, 2008
- Everglades Youth Conservation Camp accredited by the American Camping Association
- The School District of Palm Beach County, Partner in Education Awards, Gold Medalist/ Public Sector Category, 2005
- Volvo International Competition for Service Learning and Youth Achievements. 4th place earned by the Pine Jog/Earth Force Youth Advisory Board, 2004
- Florida Department of Education Sharing Success Awards, Program of Excellence, 2001,1995 (Home Team Program: Grades 3,4,5)
- Florida Arts Council and Secretary of State, 1997 Florida Design Arts Award, Award for Merit of Collaborative design efforts in conjunction with Loxahatchee Preserve Nature Center
- Florida Association of Environmental Professionals Education Award, 1997
- Take Pride in America, for Litter Prevention/Beach Clean Up Campaign, 1993, 1992
- First Annual Governor's Environmental Education Award, 1992
- American Native Landscape Award, First Place, Professional Landscape Use with Public Funding, 1990
- National Wildlife Federation, Conservation Educator of the Year, Presented to Mrs. Alfred G Kay, 1978
- Garden Club of America Conservation Education Achievement Award, 1968

Publication References

- Pine Jog has been recognized at the national level with case studies appearing in the publications of EPA/Office of Environmental Education, Education Update/Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development, and the National Environmental Education Training Foundation.

