



Nominations Sought for Women of Achievement

Eligible nominees are outstanding female volunteers from the St. Louis metropolitan area and Metro East Illinois

Each week she donates her time to children with cancer. She raises funding for health and human services. She works at the food pantry or runs one from her garage. She saves the lives of women and babies at a crisis nursery. She advocates for the arts. She is an achieving woman. She is a volunteer.

Women of Achievement, the oldest, ongoing program in the St. Louis area whose sole mission is to honor and recognize the volunteer service and volunteer leadership of women, has announced its call for nominations for the 2015 Class of Honorees.

Eligible individuals are female volunteers from the St. Louis metropolitan area, including Metro East Illinois, who have demonstrated outstanding commitment



Award, was created to recognize and honor the achievements of women who, through their volunteer efforts, have demonstrated their dedication and commitment to improving the quality of life in the St. Louis community. The St. Louis Women of Achievement organization, a 501c3, not-for-profit organization, was established in 1993 by former Women of Achievement who wanted to ensure the longevity of the award for future generations of St. Louis area women. The organization's Board of Directors, comprised of past recipients of the award, continue to plan and implement the nomination, selection and award presentation process ensuring that this award will continue to enhance and honor the women volunteers in the St. Louis metropolitan region who positively impact the community, for many years to come.

to the betterment of the St. Louis region through voluntary contributions, volunteer leadership and a significant breadth of a volunteer career. Women of Achievement considers nominees with substantial volunteer impact in areas such as, but not limited to, education, arts, health and human services, youth and family, philanthropy, social justice and advocacy. Nominations of women representing diverse cultures, roles and accomplishments are encouraged. Self-nominations are accepted.

The deadline for receipt of nominations is midnight Monday, January 5, 2015. Online submissions and printable nomination forms with full details are available at www.woastl.org/nominate.php. Online submissions are preferred, and early submissions are also encouraged. The 10 honorees will be recognized at the 2015 Women of Achievement Luncheon on Tuesday, May 5, 2015 at the Ritz-Carlton, St. Louis.

As the oldest, ongoing program of its kind in the St. Louis area, Women of Achievement celebrates its 60th anniversary in 2015. Founded in 1955 by the St. Louis-Globe Democrat newspaper, the awards program that became known as the Women of Achievement



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