

National Philanthropy Day Award Nominations Criteria

Presented by the Big Bend Chapter of AFP

Friday, November 6, 2020, 11:30am
University Center Club

- Outstanding Fundraising Professional – Must be an AFP Member in Good Standing
- Outstanding Media Outlet or Personality
- Outstanding Community Organization or Business
- Outstanding Youth in Philanthropy
- Philanthropist of the Year

DEADLINE: Nominations must be received by **5:00 p.m. Monday, August 3rd, 2020**
A photo of the nominee is required with submission.

Outstanding Fundraising Professional – Must be an AFP Member in Good Standing

- **Before nominating individuals**, they must be contacted to make certain they will accept an award if chosen and attend the National Philanthropy Day event.
- **Criteria:** This award recognizes a fundraising professional in the Big Bend region who has demonstrated a high level of professionalism with a proven fundraising track record and is a member in good standing of the AFP with consideration to the following:
 - o Extent of personal commitment in terms of time and effort
 - o Financial results of his/her benefits
 - o Success in leadership abilities in recruiting and motivating staff
 - o Personal involvement as a volunteer with other nonprofits in the Big Bend region
 - o Involvement in furthering the fundraising profession
 - o Length of time commitment to the Big Bend Region

Outstanding Media Outlet or Personality

- **Before nominating individuals**, they must be contacted to make certain they will accept an award if chosen and attend the National Philanthropy Day event.
- **Criteria:** This award honors a media outlet (TV, radio, print, etc.) or individual who has demonstrated leadership and commitment to publicizing and promoting nonprofit services; has made a major impact through their exposure, effort and creativity in supporting the community, nonprofit organizations, and special events.
 - o Demonstrates strong financial and/or in-kind support

Outstanding Community Organization or Business

- **Before nominating individuals**, they must be contacted to make certain they will accept an award if chosen and attend the National Philanthropy Day event.
- **Criteria:** This award is presented to a non-profit organization, civic, business or professional association that has demonstrated outstanding commitment through their support.

- o Demonstrates strong financial or in-kind support to philanthropy
- o Provides exemplary encouragement in philanthropy
- o Motivates others be actively involved in and to take leadership roles in philanthropic efforts
- o Strong record in commitment to the Big Bend Region

Outstanding Youth in Philanthropy

- **Before nominating individuals**, they must be contacted to make certain they will accept an award if chosen and attend the National Philanthropy Day event.
- **Criteria:** This award recognizes service by an individual or group of young people who have demonstrated outstanding commitment to the Big Bend community through direct financial or in-kind support and demonstrates ability to motivate others to give.

- o Individual or group of young people in grades Kindergarten through 12th grade

Philanthropist of the Year

- **Before nominating individuals**, they must be contacted to make certain they will accept an award if chosen and attend the National Philanthropy Day event.
- **Criteria:** This award recognizes an individual, or family for exceptional generosity and civic responsibility demonstrated by significant financial contributions to charitable organizations in the community. The recipient's personal generosity and community leadership should motivate others to give and to become involved in philanthropy.

- o Demonstration of outstanding commitment through financial or in-kind support
- o Provide exemplary encouragement and motivates others to take leadership roles towards philanthropy and promotes involvement
- o Displays integrity and responsibility while serving in the community
- o Strong record of commitment to the Big Bend region

Past National Philanthropy Day Award Winners

Philanthropist of the Year

- 2019 – Virginia Glass
- 2017 – Alicia Crew
- 2016 - Susie Busch-Transou and Family
- 2015 - Melanie Lee
- 2014 - Charlotte E. McGuire, M.D.
- 2013 - Dr. Mary L. Pankowski
- 2012 - Mrs. Tillie Allen
- 2011 - Ron Sachs and Gay Webster-Sachs
- 2010 - Chuck and Patty Mitchell
- 2009 - Richard (Rick) Kearney
- 2008 - Benjamin L. Crump and Daryl D. Parks
- 2007 - Brooks and Almena Pettit
- 2006 - The Ghazvini Family
- 2005 - Elizabeth P. and Louis H. Bender
- 2004 - Dr. & Mrs. T. K Wetherell
- 2003 - Ray Solomon
- 2002 - Kathy and Delbert Archibald
- 2001 - Nelle Carter Bunn
- 2000 - J. Orson and Eleanor Smith
- 1999 - State Representative Marjorie Turnbull

Community Partner of the Year

- 2019 – BowStren
- 2017 – Holland & Knight
- 2016 - Madison Social
- 2015 - Pilot Club of Tallahassee
- 2014 - Gulf Winds Track Club

Outstanding Fundraising Professional

- 2019 – Colette Podgorski
- 2017 – Grace Robinson
- 2016 - Mickey Moore
- 2015 - Nigel Allen
- 2014 - Amber Tynan
- 2010 - Julie Montanaro
- 2009 - Mary B. Lazor
- 2008 - Sally A. Weatherford
- 2007 - Paula S. Fortunus
- 2006 - Vann Middleton
- 2005 - Mary L. Dekle
- 2004 - Jane McNabb, CFRE
- 2003 - Bonnie M. Flynn, CFRE
- 2002 - Deborah Keller

- 2001 - Thomas E. Norman, CFRE
- 2000 - Alyce Lee Stansbury, CFRE

Outstanding Media Outlet / Personality

- 2017 – WTXL ABC 27
- 2016 - Karen Moore and Moore Communications
- 2011 - Jeanie Booth, Tallahassee Democrat
- 2010 - Julie Montanaro, WCTV
- 2009 - Gary Yordon, The Usual Suspects
- 2008 - Anna Johnson Riedel, Lifetime Achievement
- 2007 - Deanna Lambert, WMBB, Panama City
- 2006 - Charlie Belvin, Ron Sachs Communications
- 2005 - Mike Vasilinda/MVP Productions
- 2004 - Nick Waller/WCTV Channel 6
- 2003 - Michael Pate/Tallahassee Democrat
- 2002 - Sara Michaels/Clear Channel Radio

Outstanding Youth in Philanthropy

- 2019 – Margaret Fowler
- 2017 – Ryan Rumana
- 2016 - Paloma Rambana
- 2011 – Celia Garthwait
- 2010 – O Ambassadors of Oakridge Elementary
- 2009 – Hannah Hill, Open Heart Ministry
- 2008 – Leon High School Student Body

Outstanding Philanthropic Organization

- 2019 – Dance Marathon of FSU
- 2011 - Junior League of Tallahassee
- 2010 - Tallahassee Memorial HealthCare Foundation
- 2010 - Kiwanis of the Big Bend
- 2009 - Zonta Club of Tallahassee
- 2007 - Chrome Divas of Tallahassee

Lifetime Achievement Award of Excellence in Media

- 2007 – Anna Johnson Riedel

Lifetime Achievement in Philanthropy Award

- 2019 – Grace Dansby
- 2017 - Marjorie Turnbull
- 2011 - Talbot "Sandy" D'Alemberte and Patsy Palmer
- 2008 - Julia Munroe Woodward



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Call for Award Nominations

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Please indicate the category for which the nomination is submitted. Nominations can be submitted electronically or in hard copy format.

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Please complete the information below and attach a one-page (or less), typed summary of achievement outlining the qualifications of the nominee. A **photo of the nominee is required** with submission.

Nominee's Name: _____

Nominee's Organization: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Nominated By: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

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MAIL APPLICATIONS TO:

2020 NPD Nominations Committee

P.O. Box 4046

Tallahassee, Florida 32301

OR Submit via E-MAIL TO:

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