



2016 SALUTE TO WOMEN

Saturday, September 17, 2016, the YWCA of Great Falls will present the **25th Annual Salute to Women Awards** honoring six outstanding women from Cascade County. Honorees are recognized for their contributions to their professions, areas of interest, community or the well-being of society.

Awards for 2016 will be given in the following categories:

BUSINESS OR ENTREPRENEURSHIP – businesswomen, entrepreneurs, and those involved in professions such as law, science, or finance

CREATIVE ARTS – art, design, theater, dance, music, and the spoken, written or transmitted word

EDUCATION – early childhood providers through higher education

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES – doctors, nurses allied medical professions, social workers, counselors and ministers

VOLUNTEER COMMUNITY SERVICE – volunteers who provide outstanding service to human needs or community

YOUNG WOMAN OF TOMORROW – outstanding young women who demonstrate leadership qualities in school, church, sports, or volunteerism

Please nominate women who have demonstrated notable activities, accomplishments and contributions in some or all of the following areas:

- Exhibit courage, creativity, competence, originality or perseverance.
- Improve the quality of life for others.
- Contribute to empowering women in our community.
- Contribute to eliminating racism in our neighborhoods.

Recent Salute to Women Honorees

(A complete listing of all past honorees is available at the YWCA)

2013

Andree Deligdisch
Arika Hagel
Sheila Kelly
Dana Del Guerra
Trina Knoche
Hannah Cubbage
Beth Beechie

2014

Bonnie Mitchell
Dr. Julie Wood
Julie Flamand
Kara Smith
Patricia Bueling
Jasmine Paul

2015

Sara Harrell
Susan Bliler
Amy Langel-Braulick
Sharon Odden
Joan Trost
Allie Nelson

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Nominations are welcomed from all members of the community. Nominees need not be members of the YWCA. Honorees will be selected by the Salute to Women Selection Committee, which is comprised of individuals from the community who are independent of the YWCA and its sponsors.

NOMINATION DEADLINE: Friday July 8, 2016, 5:00 P.M.

Nominations should be mailed or delivered in a sealed envelope to:

YWCA Salute to Women Selection Committee
220 2nd Street North
Great Falls, MT 59401

Nominee's Name

Home Address

Business Address

Home Phone

Business Phone

E-mail Address

Category of Nomination (see reverse side of this form)

Your Name, Address, Phone#, E-mail

Please provide the following information about you nominee:

- Completed nomination form
- Summary of why this person is deserving of this award including notable activities, accomplishments, community involvement, and contributions
- A minimum of two support letters (must be from sources other than nominator)

All nomination packages will remain property of the YWCA. Please keep a copy for your records. **The information provided to the selection committee will be the sole basis of evaluation by the judges.** A new package must be submitted for subsequent nominations. YWCA board member and staff are ineligible.

The Selection Committee reserves the right to place a nominee in a more appropriate category. For further information, please call the YWCA of Great Falls at 452-1315.

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