

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL WOMEN OF TENNESSEE, INC. MENTOR AWARD CRITERIA

This award is established to recognize a BPW/Tennessee member who has been an outstanding mentor and role model in the organization. The purpose of the award is to encourage members to share their knowledge of BPW and offer their special leadership skills and support to other members. A plaque will be presented to the "BPW Mentor of the Year" and The Kay Culbertson Mentoring Award will be presented for the organization year.

WHAT IS A MENTOR?

Mentoring is a partnership between two people in which an experience individual provides information, guidance, and support to another person to help foster career development and personal growth. No formal training is necessary to become a mentor. As a Business and Professional Woman, a member has the characteristics and skills needed to be a caring mentor. The nominee may be the individual who has invited new members to attend their first BPW meeting or attend state convention or fall interim board. The nominee may have taken a scholarship recipient and shared with them experience and knowledge.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE MENTOR AWARD

1. Nominee must be a BPW member for at least three years and be in good standing.
2. Nominator must complete the nomination form and essay about her mentor

Return nomination form to the Mentoring Committee Chair by April 30th

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MENTOR AWARD NOMINATION FORM DEADLINE: APRIL 30, 2016

NOMINEE:

Name _____

Address _____

City, Zip, State _____

Home Phone _____ Bus Phone _____

Local Organization _____ Region _____ Year Joined BPW _____

NOMINATOR:

Name _____

Address _____

City, Zip, State _____

Home Phone _____ Bus Phone _____

Local Organization _____ Region _____ Year Joined BPW _____

ON A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER, PLEASE TYPE (DOUBLE-SPACED) YOUR RESPONSES TO THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS. DO NOT USE THE NAME OF THE NOMINEE IN THE ANSWERS, SIMPLY REFER TO THE NOMINEE AS "HE" OR "SHE."

1. What is the Nominee's BPW history? What offices has she held?
2. How has she helped BPW local organizations?
3. How has she helped you? What have you learned from her?
4. How are you a better and/or more successful person because of her?
5. How has she helped other working women?
6. Why do you believe she deserves the "BPW/TN Mentor" award?
7. In a summary paragraph, you may make other comments about the nominee.

Forward the nomination form, along with the information requested above, to the committee Chair:

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