



***GUIDELINES FOR NOMINATION PACKET (Packet must be submitted by February 17, 2012)***

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Abilene Branch, AAUW celebrates women in Abilene and the surrounding area who have distinguished themselves as outstanding members of their community through individual excellence and high levels of achievement. Nominees may include women who have excelled in fields such as the following:

1. Medicine / Health
2. Science / Technology
3. Education
4. Arts / Culture
5. Community Services / Government (Volunteers, Philanthropy, Public Services)
6. Social Services
7. Business
8. Sports
9. Communication
10. Other

When submitting the nomination packet for the April 3, 2012, Award Luncheon at the Abilene Country Club, please consider ***Women of Outstanding Achievement*** as those who:

- Are current or former residents of the Abilene area;
- Have had a personal impact on those with whom they have been associated;
- Are persons of influence and integrity who have made significant contributions.

**Nomination packets, with accompanying documentation, must be received by February 17, 2012.** Copies are encouraged as items will not be returned. Please mail to:

Women of Outstanding Achievement  
AAUW, Abilene Branch  
PO Box 6107  
Abilene, TX 79608

The ***Women of Outstanding Achievement*** Luncheon serves as a forum for recognizing outstanding women of our area. The proceeds provide scholarships to mature women returning to college to further their education. Honorees should be outstanding women who naturally inspire women desiring to achieve their potential and overcome barriers they may face.

Thank you for your nomination and participation in ***Women of Outstanding Achievement, 2012.***

Nancy Henderson, Event Chair

P.O. Box 6107, Abilene, TX 79608  
Website: <http://www.orgsites.com/tx/abileneaauw>  
E-mail: [abileneaauw@gmail.com](mailto:abileneaauw@gmail.com)  
Phone: (325) 572-3323



Advancing equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, and research

**NOMINATION FORM (Must be submitted by February 17, 2011)**

**Please type or print. Attach this form and the following items in your Nomination Packet:**

- nomination letter with information vital in assisting the committee’s decision
- 2-3 additional letters of support from those acquainted with your nominee
- news clippings or articles if desired

Nominee’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip/County: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (w) \_\_\_\_\_ (h) \_\_\_\_\_ (cell) \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee’s Firm/Agency/Organization (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation/Position/Title (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee’s Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Principal category for nomination: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominated by: \_\_\_\_\_

Address/City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (w) \_\_\_\_\_ (h) \_\_\_\_\_ (cell) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return nomination packet and supporting documents to Women of Outstanding Achievement 2012 AAUW Abilene Branch, P.O. Box 6107, Abilene, TX 79608 or email nomination packet and supporting documents in PDF format to [abileneaauw@gmail.com](mailto:abileneaauw@gmail.com) by **February 17, 2012**. The **Women of Outstanding Achievement** Award Luncheon will be held on April 3, 2012 at the Abilene Country Club, 11:30 a.m.

<p>Women of Outstanding Achievement 2012  AAUW Abilene Branch  P.O. Box 6107, Abilene, TX 79608</p> <p>Website: <a href="http://www.orgsites.com/tx/abileneaauw">http://www.orgsites.com/tx/abileneaauw</a>  E-mail: <a href="mailto:abileneaauw@gmail.com">abileneaauw@gmail.com</a></p>
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NOMINATION PACKET CHECKLIST

**PLEASE INCLUDE:**

- 1. COMPLETED NOMINATION FORM**
- 2. STATEMENT OF NOMINATION**  
The Nomination Committee requests three areas of information be addressed in the ‘Statement of Nomination’ for your nominee. The questions below are designed to help you write the Statement of Nomination.  
  
*Contribution as a Role Model for Other Women*  
Give examples of your nominee’s activities and how your nominee’s activities (professional, volunteer or personal) have provided support and encouragement for women and/or girls.  
  
*Contribution to the Betterment of the Community*  
List contributions she has made to the community/society.  
  
*Individual Achievement*  
Explain how her achievements, personal or professional, are unique and tell of barriers or challenges she has overcome.
- 3. LETTERS OF SUPPORT**  
Provide two or three letters of support from those acquainted with your nominee’s accomplishments.
- 4. ADDITIONAL SUPPORTIVE INFORMATION**  
You are encouraged to include additional information such as articles, newspaper clippings etc.
- 5. RETURN NOMINATION PACKET BY February 17, 2012, TO:**

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