

2025 Dogwood District Woman of the Year Application

This Award is intended to honor a woman in our District who has made outstanding contributions over many years of service in her club, in our District organization and on the GCG Board. Below is the inscription on the trophy initially honoring three Dynamic Dogwood Ladies:

"Dogwood Woman of the Year"
 Is given in Recognition
 of Many Years of Outstanding Service
 to the Dogwood District of
 The Garden Club of Georgia, Inc.
 • Ann Vernard
 • Blanche Winter
 • Mary Margaret Bowling

The recipients of this award have been:

2000 Mary Miller	2007 Penny Polstra	2016 Helen Grogan	2023 Carolyn Herndon
2002 Justine Comes & Susanne Doughtie	2008 Dot Rouse	2017 Rosie Davidson	2024 Trudy Rudert
2003 Joan Brown	2009 Brencie Werner	2019 Kathy Henry	
2004 Goody Davis	2010 Barbara Bourque	2020 Marianne McConnel	
2005 Helen Hargreaves	2011 Bettye Trankina	2021 Debbie Vann	
2006 Betty Benson	2012 Lee Dunn	2022 Chris Adams	
	2015 Jane Whiteman		

Dogwood District is pleased to request nominations for the Annual Women of the Year Award. The purpose of the award program is to identify the positive contributions of women in our District and The Garden Club of Georgia, Inc. and for the encouragement of others. We invite you to nominate exceptional women you may know from your garden club or from working within Dogwood District and the Garden Club of Georgia for a minimum of 2 years.

The Woman of the Year Award may be presented at the Fall Dogwood District Annual Meeting. Application due by Sept. 26th. **Send copies via group email to:** District Director Christy Novellas cnovellas@aol.com, Co-Director Trudy Rudert trudert@comast.net, and Awards Chairman Debbie Vann debgailvann@gmail.com

Information About Your Nominee:

Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Code _____
 Phone _____ Member of which Garden Club(s) _____

Your Information:

Relationship _____

Phone _____ Your Email Addresses _____

Personal information about your Nominee

Be sure to describe any positions or awards which involve(d) an unusual amount of time and wide scope of responsibility in Dogwood District, The Garden Club of Georgia and your garden club.

For example: special project involvement and chairmanships with as many of their garden club related qualifications as possible. Please write below and continue on an additional page with detailed information.