OKLAHOMA EXTENSION ASSOCIATION OF FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES

**DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD**

**BACKGROUND**

The Distinguished Service Award is a plaque of recognition presented by the National

Extension Association of Family and Consumer Sciences. The Award recognizes county, city, and/or area Extension Educators for leadership and implementation of well planned Extension Family & Consumer Science programs with results and accomplishments, and for their personal and professional growth. The Distinguished Service Awards are presented during the NEAFCS annual session. It is recommended that the recipients be present to receive their award.

Member states of NEAFCS may nominate one or more Extension Educators for their

outstanding service. The number eligible in each state is determined by the number of members who have paid membership dues to NEAFCS. The recipient at the State level will receive a piece of crystal the year following their national recognition. (example: receive National award fall of 2010 will receive state award at the annual meeting spring 2011).

**ELIGIBILITY**

1. Minimum of 10 years NEAFCS membership.
2. Applicant must have attended at least two (2) NEAFCS Annual Sessions.
3. Evidence of superior accomplishments, including evidence of impact.
4. Award can be received only once.
5. Number of awards given per Affiliate is determined by the number of paid active members as of February 1st of the year: 1-50 members - 1 nominee 51-100 members - 2 nominees 101-150 members - 3 nominees 151-200 members - 4 nominees 201- plus members – 5 nominees

**APPLICATION**

1. Complete the Online Awards Application and submit one signed printed copy as the cover of the application. This page should be visible without opening the cover of the application. This is found on the National website [www.neafcs.org](http://www.neafcs.org)

2. Program outline (Or as state Affiliate guidelines dictate – please check with your state if they follow a different format) – limit to five (5) double-spaced typed pages:

a. Program accomplishments-one or two outstanding recent accomplishments

b. Professional improvement-give evidence of professional growth through credit or non-credit courses, work toward advanced degree, professional association meeting, travel study, etc.

c. Honors and awards received.

d. Professional association membership and participation- list Affiliate and national offices, committees, chairs, and years of membership.

3. Submit 5” x 7” action photo of applicant.

***Complete Application instructions follow national guidelines located at*** [***www.neafcs.org***](http://www.neafcs.org)

**NEAFCS Distinguished Service Award Winners**

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| 1943 | Minnie Hamilton, Newkirk Gladys Smith, Pauls Valley  | 1968 | Richard Ward, MuskogeeMary Lou Sadler, Beaver  |
| 1944 | Lenna Sawyer, TulsaNina Craig, Durant  | 1969 | Betty W. Dahms, StillwaterMyra A Whitehead, Chandler  |
| 1945 | Jeffie Thompson, StillwaterSuzie Baker | 1970 | Ruth King, ChickashaRosa J. Parker, Oklahoma City  |
| 1946 | Edith V. Huffer, Purcell Julie Elizabeth Ward, McAlister | 1971 | Frances Henderson, KingfisherHattie Marie Jones, Claremore  |
| 1947 | Irene Roberst, MuskogeeLetha Travis, Eufaula  | 1972 | Bettie Qualls, Perry Anna Lee Rouk, Pryor  |
| 1948 | Almira Purviance Abernathy, Nowata Vera V. Carding, Tahlequah  | 1973 | Charlene Nichols, Tulsa Alice Pyron, Wewoka  |
| 1949 | Eva Stokes, Hobart Dora Bollinger, Waurika  | 1974 | Vera Taylor, TishomingoArtis Fuller, Okemah  |
| 1950 | Kittie Jognson Martha Schultz, Anadarko  | 1975 | Mollie Bell Austin, Wagoner Virginia Price, Tahlequah  |
| 1951 | Elizabeth D. Crane, Fairview Juanita Stevens, Shawnee  | 1976 | Trease Tayton, Lawton Virginia Walker, Cordell  |
| 1952 | Lucille Clark, Wewoka Emma Chandler, Pawhuska | 1977 | Donna Cadwalader, Tulsa Lucille Worthen, Newkirk  |
| 1953 | Clara Backhaus, EufaulaNettie Sitz, Pryor  | 1978 | Inez Bruner, Wagoner Mary Lou Swander, Enid  |
| 1954 | Irene B. Woods, Ardmore Louise Persinson, Norman  | 1979 | Margaret Cramton, Waurika Martha Waters, Pawnee  |
| 1955 | Gladys Thompson, TulsaCrace Hampton, Perry  | 1980 | Evelyn Brooks Garrett, Pauls Valley Marie Howard, McAlester  |
| 1956 | Evelyn Nantz, OkmulgeeMaudie Firebaugh, Watonga | 1981 | Suellen Scott, MuskogeeMary Parrott, Guthrie  |
| 1957 | Martha Mote, AdaNadine Holder, Dewey  | 1982 | Jan Montgomery, Hugo June Cash, El Reno  |
| 1958 | Cleo Bryan, Pauls Valley Margaret Fitch, El Reno  | 1983 | Riletta Marshall, Muskogee Zen Stinchcomb, Hollis  |
| 1959 | Flora Wingo, McAlester Bessie Lee Blackwell, Chickasha  | 1984 | Marilyn Berousek, Purcell Kay Tipton, Guymon |
| 1960 | Edith Smith, Guthrie Flossie Miller, Pawnee  | 1985 | Gari Laminack, WatongaLinda Murray, Tulsa  |
| 1961 | Mildred Tustison, Chickasha Ester P. Atherton, Durant  | 1986 | Ora Lee Kirk, Sequoyah Ida Fay Winters, Jackson  |
| 1962 | Ruby Ann Burch, Oklahoma City Willa Dean Nicholson, Enid  | 1987 | Sandra Jones, StephensRuth Winters, Adair  |
| 1963 | Dorothy Blackwell, StillwaterGenevieve Kysar, Sayre  | 1988 | JoAnn Brannon, Oklahoma City Carol M Woods, Washington  |
| 1964 | Tommie Lou Hunter, Duncan Gladys Umwake, Sapulpa  | 1989 | Loveta Hammond, Oklahoma City Carlene Jordan, Pittsburg  |
| 1965 | Clara Kelley, Lawton Grace Reynolds, Arapaho Lois DeMond, Mangum  | 1990 | Kay Barrick, Pottawatomie Janice H Morrow, Oklahoma City  |
| 1966 | Geraldine Underwood, PoteauMae K Bell, Jay Bernice Chiles, Wilburton  | 1991 | Linda Humphries, Delaware Carole S Wood, Seminole  |
| 1967 | Marguerite Padgett, Oklahoma City Agnes Deck, Idabel  | 1992 | Joy Jones, Bryan Joyce Martin, Craig Clare Powell, Oklahoma City  |
| 1993 | Loretha Roper, Beckham Laverda Johnson, Choctaw/Push | 2020 | Diana Romano, State CNEP Susan Routh, Area CNEP  |
| 1994 | Lisa Storm, KingfisherBarbara Tricinella, Tulsa  | 2021 | Jessica Riggin, Lincoln  |
| 1995 | Mary Jackson, Caddo Cynthia Griffith, Rogers  | 2022 |  |
| 1996 | Jan Maples, Okfuskee Susan Murray, Grady  | 2023 |  |
| 1997 | Phyllis A Cothren, Garvin  | 2024 |  |
| 1998 | Ann Cherry, CherokeeEdwina Douglas, Lincoln  | 2025 |  |
| 1999 | Pamela Varner, Cotton  | 2026 |  |
| 2000 | Maretta Toler, Comanche  | 2027 |  |
| 2001 | Radonna Sawatzky, Custer  | 2028 |  |
| 2002 | Brenda Miller, OkmulgeeMicah Treadwell, Tillman  | 2029 |  |
| 2003 | Mary Rhyne, Kay Kristy Spaulding, Washita  | 2030 |  |
| 2004 | Ginny McCarthick, Johnston Susan Moffat, Cleveland  | 2031 |  |
| 2005 | Susan K Pearson, Hughes  | 2032 |  |
| 2006 | Karen Armbruster, Woods | 2033 |  |
| 2007 | Arleen James, TexasJanna Kelley, Pontotoc  | 2034 |  |
| 2008 | Recia Garcia, NW Dist. DPS Charlotte Richert, Tulsa  | 2035 |  |
| 2009 | Debbie Sharp, Murray Ranel Lasley, Caddo  | 2036 |  |
| 2010 | Lani Vasconcellos, SE Dist. DPSDebra Garrard-Foster, State Spec. | 2037 |  |
| 2011 | Cindy Clampet, LoveJoy Rhodes, Blain  | 2038 |  |
| 2012 | Brenda Sheik, State CNEP Tommie James, Bryan  | 2039 |  |
| 2013 | Donna Jung, Canadian  | 2040 |  |
| 2014 | Elizabeth Gardner-McBee, Beaver  | 2041 |  |
| 2015 | Gale Mills, Washington  | 2042 |  |
| 2016 | Ladonna Hines, Oklahoma Sonya McDaniel, Pottawatomie  | 2043 |  |
| 2017 | Jean Bailey, Dewey Kathy Enyart, Ottawa  | 2044 |  |
| 2018 | Lynda Latta, Ellis Lynn Null, Comanche | 2045 |  |
| 2019 | No Applicant  | 2046 |  |