

CSC Reaching for the Stars Achievement Award Application JULY 1, 2024 – MAY 31, 2025



California State Columbiettes Honors Women who exemplify Faith, Hope and Charity in their lives.

This Award is in recognition of a Sister Columbiette who has "Reached for the Stars",

For her exemplary service and contribution above and beyond to her Auxiliary, Parish and Community.

- Criteria: Must be a member in good standing
  - An Auxiliary can Nominate up to, but no more than 2 Columbiettes.
  - Only one Columbiette will be chosen per Auxiliary.
  - The auxiliary must submit a written paragraph covering the 6 categories of service
  - The nominee should meet at least 5 of the 6 categories
  - An Honorable Mention award can be achieved by qualifying for 4 of the 6 categories

Please submit Applications for new Columbiettes or current Columbiettes that have NOT received this award. This award is intended to acknowledge a Columbiette in good standing that has NOT been previously honored with this award.

Categories: 1. Changing Lives through community service

- 2. Religious Activities
- 3. Charitable Activity
- 4. Youth Activity
- 5. Parish activity
- 6. Leadership

\*\*There should be no duplication of activities per section

<u>Deadline:</u> Application must be received no later than <u>May 31<sup>st</sup></u> to be considered. The Committee will meet before the California State Board meeting in June to finalize the recipients. The Awards will be presented to the recipients with a plaque at the California State Convention. Auxiliaries should support the recipients in attending the State Convention.

Applications can be mailed or emailed to: *Denise Brennan* CSC Award Chair 1053 Vineyard Drive Oakley, CA 94561 Dabs58@gmail.com



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Name of Auxiliary:
Auxiliary #:
City:
Columbiette Nominee:
Nominee Address:
Nominee City/Zip:
Email Address:
President/ Auxiliary Board Member Name:
Address:
President or Auxiliary Board Member E-Mail Address
President or Auxiliary Board Member Home Phone #
President or Auxiliary Board Member Cell Phone #

As President or Auxiliary Board member of the above named Auxiliary, together with the membership, we proudly submit the name of the Columbiette above in recognition of her exemplary service and achievements to always "Reaching for the Stars".

President or Auxiliary Officer Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

President or Auxiliary Officer Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

State Committee Chair ONLY

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_ Emailed President (date): \_\_\_\_\_

Chair Signature:



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Give a brief description of how your nominee has participated:

# 1. CHANGING LIVES THROUGH COMMUNITY SERVICE

Examples are Food Bank and Community Clean up.

## 2. RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

No Initiations, Wakes, Cleaning or Decorating the Church or making monetary donations will be accepted. Examples are Retreats, Faith Formation groups and belonging to other Religious Ministries.

## 3. CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

Examples are St Vincent De Paul, Humane Society, Veterans Groups, Grateful Garments, Fundraiser for Cancer.

## 4. YOUTH ACTIVITIES

Examples are parish youth group trips, movie nights, fundraisers.

## 5. PARISH ACTIVITIES

Examples are Parish Festival, Living Rosary, Stations of the Cross, Processions.

## 6. LEADERSHIP

Examples are Board Position, Leadership in any organization, Leadership role in an event.

Please write you paragraph here or type separately and attach: (List Category, Date and Activity.)