



Tribute to Northern Territory Women

Information and guidelines

The Northern Territory has a colourful and adventurous history, in which women have played an important part, often without formal or widespread recognition.

The Tribute to Northern Territory Women recognises these women who have had an impact on their community but who were not necessarily high profile leaders.

For further information on previous Tribute recipients, visit the Tribute web page at www.women.nt.gov.au.

Who can be nominated?

Any woman, living or deceased, who has had an important role in her community or has made a contribution to the Northern Territory in any field, can be nominated.

Women who made a contribution whilst in the Northern Territory and may be living elsewhere.

Recipients of the Tribute to Northern Territory Women are able to tell their stories at the International Women's Day events.

Who can nominate?

Anyone - individuals, community groups, organisations, or colleagues can nominate someone. Two nominators are required, however, an organisation may nominate.

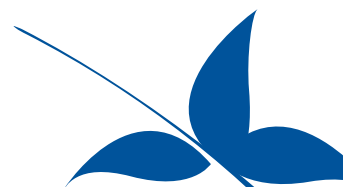
How can nominations be made?

All nominations must be made on the official nomination form, which is available from the Office of Women's Policy or can be downloaded from the Office's website (www.women.nt.gov.au).

Nominations must address each of the selection criteria and at least two statements of support must be presented with each nomination. The person being nominated must sign the nomination form. If the nomination is for a deceased woman, it is preferable that support for the nomination is obtained from the woman's family.

When can nominations be made?

Nominations open for the 2010 Tribute to Northern Territory Women on 7 September and close on 16 October 2009.



How are the women selected for the Tribute?

An independent panel is appointed to consider all of the nominations against the following selection criteria:

- Involvement and contribution to the Northern Territory community
- Contribution as an inspirational role model/leader
- Contribution to improving the lives of Territorians
- Degree of long term community change and benefit
- Degree of difficulty of the achievement and challenges overcome.

Nominations not selected can be resubmitted in a subsequent year.

For additional information

To obtain a nomination form or to find out more about the Tribute to Northern Territory Women, please contact:

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PO Box 40596 CASUARINA NT 0811

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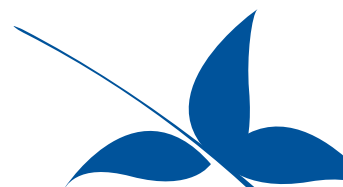
87 Mitchell Street Darwin 0801

Ph: 08 8999 2703

Fax: 08 8999 2511

E-mail: owp@nt.gov.au

Website: www.women.nt.gov.au



Tribute to Northern Territory Women Nomination Form

Person nominated (Nominee)

Title: _____ Given name: _____

Family name: _____

Place of birth: _____

Date of death: (if applicable) _____

Occupation: _____

Contact details (if applicable):

Postal address: _____

Postcode: _____

Home phone: _____ Mobile phone: _____

Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

I would be interested in sharing my story at the International Women's Day events

Yes No

The information collected on this form is used to decide the recipients of the Tribute to Northern Territory Women.

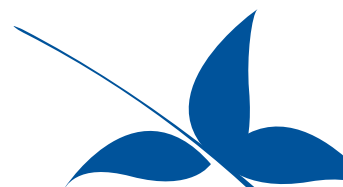
I understand and agree to my nomination for the Tribute to Northern Territory Women (nominee to sign, if applicable).

I certify that all information contained on this form is true and correct. I understand that failure to provide all information requested may prevent the nominee receiving the Tribute to Northern Territory Women award.

I consent to the Office of Women's Policy using or disclosing the information on this form for the purpose of enabling private sector organisations to send me information in relation to leadership, decision making and women's issues in the Northern Territory.

Yes No

Signed: _____ Date: _____



Tribute to Northern Territory Women Nominators

Nominator one:

Title: _____ Given name: _____

Family name: _____

Postal address: _____

Postcode: _____

Phone no: _____ Mobile: _____

Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

Signature: _____

Nominator two:

Title: _____ Given name: _____

Family name: _____

Postal address: _____

Postcode: _____

Phone no: _____ Mobile: _____

Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

Signature: _____

Nominating organisation (if applicable):

Name of organisation: _____

Postal address _____

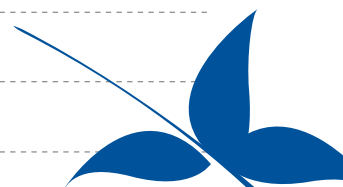
Postcode: _____

Phone no: _____ Mobile: _____

Fax: _____ E-mail: _____

Contact person: _____

Position: _____



Please attach the following documentation:

1. A short description (biography) of the woman's life, her activities and achievements.

Please attach a separate sheet of paper to supply your answer.

2. A brief statement addressing each of the following selection criteria:

Please write one to two paragraphs under each heading.

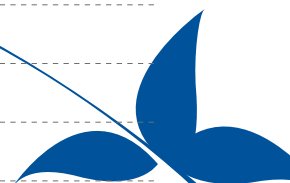
If you require more space to write, please attach a separate sheet of paper for each of the following five questions.

2a. Involvement and contribution to the NT community.

2b. Contribution as an inspirational role model/leader.

2c. Contribution to improving the lives of Territorians.

2d. Degree of long term community change and benefit.



2e. Degree of difficulty of the achievement and challenges overcome.

3. Information about other awards and honours received by the nominee

(original documents are not required – photocopies are sufficient).

4. Additional supporting information.

Please attach copies of supporting material where appropriate, eg. newspaper/magazine, articles, testimonials, etc. (original documents are not required – photocopies are sufficient).

5. Photograph.

Please include a photograph of the nominee. Please note that this photograph will be used in promotional material if the nominee is selected. The photo should be of high quality and at least 5x7 inches or be a high resolution digital image. Photos can be emailed to **owp@nt.gov.au**

6. Statements of support.

Please attach at least two short statements of support from community members or organisations outlining the reasons for their support of the nomination.

7. Telling your/their story.

If you are a recipient of the Tribute to Northern Territory Women your story will be told in a range of ways including website and/or publication. If you are willing, you have the opportunity to tell your story as part of International Women’s Day events.

8. Please tell us how you found out about the Tribute to Northern Territory Women Award

Please send your completed form by 16 October 2009 to:

Tribute to Northern Territory Women
Office of Women’s Policy
Department of Health and Families
PO Box 40596 CASUARINA NT 0811

