

# Big Canoe Woman of the Year Nomination

Must be received by **February 7, 2023**. Please provide a write-up including the following

Nominee for Woman of the Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Submitting Ridgerunners Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Ridgerunners Member Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Ridgerunners Member Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

The reasons for this nomination are: *(use a separate sheet)*

## CRITERIA

*This award gives us a chance to recognize a woman who has gone above and beyond, year after year, using her time and talents for the benefit of the Big Canoe community and/or our surrounding counties. Please nominate a Big Canoe female resident who has shown outstanding leadership in committee work or in implementing innovative programs and has devoted her time to volunteer efforts in our community.*

### Your Woman of the Year Nominee Requirements:

1. Must be a resident of Big Canoe.
2. May not have previously held the honor of Woman of the Year.  
**Previous recipients:** *Susie Brogdon, Peggy Lehmborg, Dorian Worley Dillard, Margie Bowyer, Ann Gayer, Sue Gagliardi, Jobeth Yarbrough, Jane Galvin, Judy Lacey, Charlotte McCloskey, Susan Gibson, Ginny Weiss, Sue Bacigalupo, Donna Bernstein, Verna Rauschenberg, Jean Lomax, Rosemary Richie, Diane Lacharite, Susan Willson, Cindy Marushak, Susan Eanes and Margo Vallone.*
3. Must have made significant contributions to Big Canoe and/or our larger community.
4. Must have been involved year after year in ongoing committees and projects.
5. Must be a woman who thinks of others first.
6. May not be an employee of the Big Canoe POA or the Big Canoe Chapel.

### To make a nomination:

1. Complete this form with your contact information and the nominee's contact information. Be sure to include a separate sheet(s) detailing the reasons for your nomination. In your attached sheet, include specific detail and a thorough outline of the nominee's community contributions over the years. Don't hesitate to ask your nominee to help you provide the details if needed, as it is an honor for you to nominate her.
2. Submit your nomination by placing it in the Ridgerunners Alpha Box in the Big Canoe Postal Facility or by emailing Co-Vice Presidents Jima Gilstrap ([jgilstrap1@bellsouth.net](mailto:jgilstrap1@bellsouth.net)) and Alysia English ([alysiamc@msn.com](mailto:alysiamc@msn.com)).

**Deadline:** **February 7, 2023**

No nominations will be accepted after this time.

**Selection and Presentation of Award:** Nominations will be reviewed by the Ridgerunners Woman of the Year Committee. The award will be presented at the Ridgerunners April 2023 meeting. The award recipient be kept secret until the April meeting.