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The Faculty Senate is seeking nominations for their annual Aggie Spirit Awards. The Aggie Spirit Award recognizes outstanding courage and determination in the face of adversity while attending Texas A&M. See the attached document for more details and to submit a nomination. Nominations are due by 5:00pm on April 24, 2015.
Faculty Senate Aggie Spirit Award

The Faculty Senate Aggie Spirit Award was established by a resolution at the February 12, 2001 Faculty Senate meeting. Guidelines for the Senate Aggie Spirit Awards are as follows.

I. Eligibility. Eligibility shall be based on the stated intent of the Faculty Senate to recognize outstanding courage and determination in the face of adversity while attending Texas A&M University. "Adversity" should be broadly interpreted; adversity might arise from a temporary or permanent physical, mental, or emotional condition, family circumstances, or a variety of other factors.

2. Nominations. Nominations will be submitted to the Faculty Senate Office. Because some potential candidates may prefer not to be considered, nominees will be offered the opportunity to decline the nomination before selections are made. Please submit all nominations electronically to senate@tamu.edu as well as a hard copy to MS 1225.

3. Selection. The Faculty Senate Committee on Committees (with the addition of a Student Government representative and a Student Senate representative) will serve as the Selection Committee. The Selection Committee will recommend one or two individuals to the Executive Committee.

4. Award. The Award shall consist of a framed certificate signed by the Speaker of the Faculty Senate and the Chair of the Selection Committee and a monetary award (amount dependent on funds available). In the past, the award fund has come from donations by Faculty Senate members. However, we would like to open the donations up to any faculty interested in contributing. If you would like to contribute, please give your donation to the Senators for your college or contact Kelly Drake at kdrake@tamu.edu or 979-845-3412. Donations will be accepted through April 24, 2015. Awards will be made at the May meeting of the Faculty Senate, or at the first meeting of the Senate after the beginning of the fall term.

Nomination Form Deadline:
April 24, 2015, 5 p.m. Submit to
Faculty Senate Office
205 YMCA Building, MS 1225, 845-2474, senate@tamu.edu

Nominee: ________________________________
Mailing Address: ___________________________
Telephone #: ______________________________
E-Mail: ____________________________________

Basis for nomination: Please submit a detailed report about the nominee and how the nominee fulfills the criteria for this award. Include specific examples and descriptions.

Nominator: ________________________________
Signature: _________________________________
Telephone #: ______________________________
E-Mail: ____________________________________

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