

The Red Pump Charlotte Ambassadors invite you to nominate an individual who personifies the mission of The Red Pump Project. In the past, the Red Pump Project has recognized the following admirable honorees:

**2009-** DeVondia Roseborough is the author of "Put it on Paper," a nonfiction memoir describing her life before HIV and after AIDS, and founder of The Rasberrirose Foundation, a 501c (3) nonprofit organization whose focus is to minister to teenage girls aged 10-18, struggling from self-esteem, with a focus on HIV/AIDS prevention and awareness.

**2010-** Dee Dee Richardson who serves as the Prevention for Positives Coordinator for Regional AIDS Interfaith Network (RAIN) and is a formidable AIDS Activist in the Charlotte community. Richardson's story is one of true triumph and inspiration.

This year we hope to strive to continue in our trend of choosing highly worthy women for this award. The Red Pump Award celebrates a prominent female leader in the Charlotte community for her individual efforts to raise HIV/AIDS prevention and awareness.

## **Requirements of the Nominee**

- Nominee must be a female active in the HIV/AIDS community.
- Nominee cannot be a previous Red Pump Award recipient.
- Nominee must have a minimum of three continuous years of prevention and awareness efforts which strive to meet the challenges of HIV/AIDS and the issues surrounding it.

Describe activities and efforts the nominee exemplified in HIV/AIDS prevention and awareness. Please include examples of leadership and advocacy (media articles, pictures and/or letters of support). **Note to limit the support documents to no more than two pages.** 

## Submission

Please carefully read the requirements for the award and submit accordingly. You may submit up to three nominations. **The deadline for receiving nominations is Thursday, October 20, 2011, by 5:00 PM**. Thank you for your participation. If you have any questions or need more information, contact us at <u>redpumpcharlotte@thredpumpproject.com</u>.

## **Award Guidelines**

Please provide the requested information below. All nominations must be received by 5:00 PM on Thursday, October 20, 2011, by mail or email.

- 1. Full Name of Nominee
- 2. Nominee Contact Information (Address, Phone Number, Email Address)
- 3. Statement of Purpose Description of why you believe the individual should receive the award. *Note No more than one page may be submitted. Refer to the requirements for proper submission.*
- 4. Additional documentation is optional. If appropriate and available, media articles, pictures and/or letters of support, which may assist the committee in its decision-making process, may be included. *Note No more than two pages may be submitted*.
- 5. Individual/Organization submitting the nomination provide a contact name, address and email address.

The individual or organization does hereby give The Red Pump Project permission for the use of the pictures, media articles, letters of support or other documents submitted to be used in order to assist the committee in its decision-making process. It is understood that the documents will not be returned and discharges The Red Pump Project against any and all liability arising from the use of the documents.

## To submit the nomination form:

Email to: Red Pump Charlotte Ambassadors <u>redpumpcharlotte@theredpumpproject.org</u> Subject: Red Pump Award Nomination

Mail to: The Red Pump Project P.O. Box 690564 Charlotte, NC 28227

