



Cecile "Cec" Nankivel Award

-The "Cec" Nankivel Trophy is a traveling trophy that is presented at the South Dakota Federation of Republican Women's Biennial convention to the most outstanding South Dakota Republican Woman.

-Each club can nominate one republican woman who belongs to a South Dakota club to be considered for this award. From these, a committee will select one winner. The trophy remains in her possession for two years and is then passed on to the next winner.

-"Cec" was a member of the Tripp County Republican Women's Club and passed away on June 10, 1972. Because of her patriotism to her country and dedication to the Republican Party, her friends set up the traveling trophy in her honor.

-Clubs will make their nominations and send a short biography of the nominee's outstanding work with the Republican Party and her club to SDFRW President Jeni Boerger via email to: sdfrwp@gmail.com

Nominations are due by September 15th, 2026



"CEC" NANKIVEL AWARD BIOGRAPHY OUTLINE

THE "CEC" NANKIVEL AWARD FOR THE OUTSTANDING REPUBLICAN WOMAN IN SOUTH DAKOTA AWARDED EVERY OTHER YEAR AT THE BIENNIAL CONVENTION OF THE SOUTH DAKOTA FEDERATION OF REPUBLICAN WOMEN.

Each club may submit one name in nomination. The nominee need not be a member of the club submitting the names.

In choosing your nominee consider the following:

- Membership in a Republican Women's Club
- Service to the Republican Women's Club
- Service to the county organization
- Service to the SDFRW
- Service to the NFRW
- Service to the South Dakota Republican Central Committee
- Service to the Republican National Committee.
- Present volunteer work for campaigns of candidates
- Community service unrelated to politics.
- Elective or appointed offices currently held.
- Elective or appointed offices current sought.



-Your Club should prepare a synopsis of the activities of your nominee over the last two years in the above categories: and in any other categories, which may be unique and important in the opinion of your awards committee or club.

-Also, give a little of the family background of your nominee such as husband's name, number of children, employment of nominee, etc.

-Send your nomination letter to SDFRW President Penny Sattgast via email who will get it to the Awards Committee.

Name of nominating Club: _____

Individual the club is nominating: _____

Club President: _____