



KINDERVELT OF CINCINNATI CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL MEDICAL CENTER

"Together, we can make a difference!"

THE KINDERVELT BARBARA FITCH AWARD

Dear Members,

In 2005, the Kindervelt Board of Trustees was looking for a way to recognize individuals who **exhibit an enthusiasm and positive attitude toward the goals of the organization**. Thus, the Kindervelt Barbara Fitch Award was created. This annual award was named for one of our founding members who has since become a prominent supporter of Kindervelt and the needs of Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center.

The Kindervelt Barbara Fitch Award committee is responsible for the selection of the recipient. This committee is comprised of five Kindervelt members including; the citywide Vice President who serves as Chair, the Immediate Past President or President Elect, the Annual Meeting Chair, and two at-large members appointed by the citywide President. After all qualified nominations are reviewed and a decision made, the nominator will be contacted to ensure the recipient, along with friends and family, attend the Kindervelt Annual Meeting where the award is presented.

The committee is looking for an exemplary individual to honor, so please consider for nomination, any current Kindervelt member in good-standing with at least 5 years service. This person should be **dedicated and committed**; one who is **an ambassador for Kindervelt in the community**, who is **an active contributor to her local group**, and who **gladly gives her time, talents and energy** to promote our cause. The nominee should **represent the true spirit of charity** as well as **embody the mantra "others before self"**.

If you know of an outstanding Kindervelt member who personifies these characteristics, please submit the *2019 Barbara Fitch Nomination Form* - found on the Kindervelt website - no later than April 22, 2019. In order to give a complete understanding of your nominee's qualifications, I encourage you to be explicit and submit feedback from multiple members to support your nomination. And as a reminder, this is a confidential process and the announcement of the winner is kept a surprise.

Thank you,

Tammy Booth
Citywide Vice President