

## **AAUW-NYS Voter Education/Public Policy Outstanding Program Award**

**On or before March 1, 2005**, send your completed application to Jann Mirchandani, 2180 Parker Lane, Yorktown Heights, NY 10598. Questions? [voterred@aauw-nys.org](mailto:voterred@aauw-nys.org) or 914-245-8568.

AAUW NYS challenged branches to work to make an impact in their community through our "Mobilize the Vote" campaign. A \$25 award will go to the branch with the most outstanding program for each of the following categories:

1. voter registration
2. voter education
3. Get Out The Vote
4. post-election follow-up

In addition, the branch with the best all-around voter-education and public policy program will be awarded \$50.

Awards will be given based on community involvement in planning and execution, visibility, creativity, and how well the program achieved its goal. It is possible that one branch could receive more than one award – or even all five awards.

Submit the following information **NO LATER THAN MARCH 1**. Submit separate applications for each of the four categories. Each application should be **no more than 2 typed pages**. All branches submitting applications will be automatically considered for the all-around award. Special consideration will be given for branches that held programs in each of the four categories.

1. **Branch Profile**

Branch name, Contact name, Address, Phone, email

2. **Program**

Category for which you are applying, type of program (i.e. legislative breakfast, congressional forum, voter registration drive), goal of program, evaluation of program success (i.e. # voters registered)

3. **Cosponsors**

other organizations/branches involved in planning, other organizations/branches involved in hosting

4. **Community Outreach**

venue, speakers/guests, # members attended, # guests attended

5. **Publicity**

visibility goal & strategy, examples of publicity (i.e. newspaper clippings)

Please feel free to add a brief comment to include any additional information you feel should be included with your application not covered in the above. You should also submit examples of relevant printed materials.