Each club is encouraged to designate a “Junior of the Year” for the 2023 club year. “Junior of the Year” should be selected based on her overall work in the federation including state, district, & club involvement. Your club may also designate a “Member of the Year” in which the club designates the parameters of the award.

Some additional criteria to consider:

♣ Ability to interact positively with other members

♣ Ability to listen and communicate

♣ Attendance at club meetings and events

♣ Board position(s) held

♣ Community participation outside her club (other organizations and positions)

♣ Cooperation

♣ Dependability

♣ Enthusiasm and positive attitude

♣ Impact on your club in the past year

♣ Innovative ideas and creativity

♣ Leadership potential

♣ Length of time the person has been in the club

♣ New ideas implemented

♣ Number of committees/projects in which she has participated

♣ Number of committees/projects she has chaired

♣ Open mindedness

♣ Sense of humor

♣ Willingness to share ideas

• Club President should fill out the “2023 Junior of the Year Submission Form” – be sure to fill out both the point section and the narrative.

• Deadline is March 1, 2024

• Submit your entry to: Missy Kimball, 1050 Shady Ln, Oconomowoc, WI 53066 email missywithtwins@yahoo.com

• You may submit only one nominee per club, per year to the state level.

• The nominee should be a member in good standing within your club for at least one year at the time of her award.

• It is recommended that the same individual not be awarded this award two years consecutively.

However, an outstanding member should have the opportunity to be honored more than once over the course of her service as determined by her local club’s Executive Board. • Your club will decide how she will be honored locally. If your nominee is not recognized at your club level until after Convention please still submit a nominee. We will work around that if she is selected as the State “Winner”.

• Nominees may be recognized in an issue of GFWC-Wisconsin Clubwoman magazine.

• The “Junior of The Year” will be determined by the GFWC-WI Junior Board. In case of a conflict or tie, three non-GFWC members will be selected to review the applications and select a winner.

• The “Junior of the Year” may be announced at the state convention (May, 2024).