



2021. The \$50 award in Edith's honor has been sent to the NAS in recognition of other member's contributions to this outstanding newsletter – *Celestial Log*.

## 2020 NCRAL NEWSLETTER EDITOR AWARD

Edith Auchter, Northwest Suburban Astronomers

Edith Auchter has been newsletter editor for the Northwest Suburban Astronomers (NSA) since January 1985. During these 35+ years, she has produced some 425 issues of *Celestial Log*! As noted by NSA President Michael Schiller, "This represents countless hours of work and an incredible selfless dedication to our club and its members."

Of course, it would not have been possible for Edith to produce an outstanding newsletter filled with stories and images representing the day-to-day activities of the NAS were she not actively involved in NAS events over the years.

Both Edith and her husband Tom also are extremely dedicated to amateur astronomy in general as well. Edith and Tom spend 6 to 8 weeks each summer at a national park in Nevada most generously sharing their love of astronomy with others. Most recently, Edith was involved with her club's first *Virtual Astronomy Day* event presented online on May 2<sup>nd</sup>.

NCRAL's Newsletter Editor Award was developed to shine the limelight on those such as Edith who so often labor in obscurity and not frequently enough receive recognition for their contributions. Congratulations to both Edith and the NAS. Edith's award certificate will be presented at NCRAL