

What is the Youth Hall of Fame?

The Youth Hall of Fame is an annual award that honors outstanding 11th and 12th grade students from area schools. The program is an initiative of the Greece Regional Chamber of Commerce with key support from regional businesses and area schools.

Who are the candidates?

The Youth Hall of Fame recognizes 11th and 12th grade high school students who have demonstrated leadership and community spirit through exceptional personal achievement or employment.

What are the criteria?

To be eligible, candidates should be in 11th or 12th grade and can attend any area school (public, private, or parochial). **One or more** of the following qualities are desirable in Hall of Fame candidates:

- an exceptional volunteer **-or-**
- an outstanding employee **-or-**
- one who has given service to the community or other peers **-or-**
- one who had coped with a life challenge -- physical, social, or mental (Parental permission required) **-or-**
- one who has overcome personal tragedy (Parent/Guardian permission required)

YOUTH HALL OF FAME NOMINATION FORM

(Please print)

Grade -- please check 11th _____ 12th _____

Candidate's Name _____ School _____

Home Address _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Nominated By _____ Email: _____

Home Address _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Best Time and Evening Phone (Nominator) _____

Relationship to Nominee _____

Parent/Guardian's Name _____

Nominations should include detail relevant to selection criteria. Committee will keep detailed information confidential. Only general achievements are disclosed for publicity, and advance approval of the candidate and his/her parent or guardian is obtained.

Summary of candidate's achievements –

On a separate page, please provide specific examples and duration of: leadership, personal challenges that were overcome, and community service/employment (please print or type).

Authority to Release Information –

I hereby give permission to release information to the Greece Youth Hall of Fame Committee for purposes of possible selection into the Youth Hall of Fame.

Parent/Guardian Name *(Please print)*

Parent/Guardian Signature

Please provide two references who may be contacted regarding the nomination.

Name _____

Name _____

Address _____

Address _____

Daytime Phone _____

Daytime Phone _____

Relationship _____

Relationship _____

Email: _____

Email: _____

Please return completed forms by January 31, 2018 to:

Greece Regional Chamber of Commerce / Youth Hall of Fame
2402 West Ridge Road
Rochester, NY 14626

How are they selected?

A committee comprised of representatives from the Greece Regional Chamber of Commerce, regional businesses and area school representatives will review nominations and makes selections based on the award criteria.

When and where are nominations due?

Applications are due by January 31, 2018.

Nominations will be confirmed in writing within two weeks of receipt. If you do not receive confirmation, please call 227-7272.

Who may nominate candidates?

- Area Businesses
- Community Youth Agencies
- High School Teachers, Counselors and Administrators
- Service Organizations
- Area Residents

When is the award presented?

Hall of Fame recipients will be honored at a special program on May 3, 2018.

Who to call for information?

For further information, please contact Rhonda Ball, Youth Hall of Fame Award Chairperson (e-mail ball@summitfcu.org or phone 585-453-7228) or Greece Regional Chamber of Commerce President/CEO Sarah Lentini (e-mail Sarah@GreeceChamber.org or phone 585-227-7272).

2017 Award Winners

Gillian Bennett

Nigel Brown

Paul Conley

Chima Dimgba

Mar Htay

Hassan Hussein

Meghan Keyes

Rebecca Kohler

Joshua Longdue

Manh Nguyen

Diamonte Raby

Brianna Sieper

Kelly Siracuse

Jared Wright

Noah Zimmerman

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- Greece Regional Chamber of Commerce
- Regional Business Community
- Area Schools



Youth Hall of Fame

28th Annual Awards Call for Nominations

Deadline: January 31, 2018