



Strengthening Families  
Through Community Involvement

# HOLLY AREA YOUTH ASSISTANCE

## YOUTH RECOGNITION AWARDS

### 2022-2023

Holly Area Youth Assistance is planning to acknowledge and celebrate the young people that make exemplary contributions within our local community.

Categories for nomination are as follows:

#### **Exceptional service to others** Superior service and extensive volunteerism.

They are displaying a genuine concern for others based on the youth's developmental age.

**Example:** Painted houses and performed maintenance work for women whose families were victims of domestic abuse, helped the homeless, and repaired damages after storms. Volunteers frequently to help others.

#### **Achievement by an individual who has overcome personal challenges and/or set an example for others** Youth's sincere attempt to turn around one's life.

Significant changes from negative to positive behavior; displaying outstanding achievements in personal growth for a person of the youth's developmental age; or positively overcoming emotional difficulties.

**Example:** Despite hardships with the disease, has remained a caring child with a sense of humor and an understanding of other people's character. Is a role model for all of us in overcoming our own personal challenges.

#### **Heroism/Outstanding humanitarian act** Acts of self-sacrifice.

Demonstrates unusual courage and/or an act reflecting great concern for the welfare of another.

Displaying considerable social awareness for a person of the youth's developmental age.

**Example:** Grandmother suffered a stroke and was transferred to a nursing home, and she got the choral group to begin singing to her at the facility. This act turned into weekly musical routines and happiness at the care facility.

#### **Exceptional service by an individual within a club or organization**

Superior service and extensive volunteerism well beyond the norms of the time, energies, and tasks of other group members of the youth's developmental age. Giving oneself without consideration for self-gain.

**Example:** Donated over 400 hours to Beaumont Hospital. Served as a liaison between families, physicians, and nurses.

### **Eligibility and Nomination Instructions**

1. The youth must be of school age and reside within the Holly Area School district.
2. Nomination forms must be clearly typed or printed; only one youth per entry form.  
—> *Please feel free to make additional copies if needed.*
3. Any youth, adult, or organization may nominate a deserving youth.
4. With the required forms, please provide a letter of recommendation for your nominee.
5. Completed forms and recommendations must be returned by **April 3rd, 2023**, to HAYA.

We depend on your participation to recognize young people throughout the Holly community who contribute in so many ways.

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**YR NOMINATION FORM**

**PRINT CLEARLY** – Unable to accept incomplete forms. Only one form per nominee.

**Please include a picture of the nominee or email one to [haya4kids63@gmail.com](mailto:haya4kids63@gmail.com).**

The enclosed photo will be used for a DVD slideshow to be viewed during the award ceremony.

**For additional info, contact HAYA Recognition Award Chair, Cherie Monette at 810-287-6489.**

NOMINATOR'S NAME AND ORGANIZATION: \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ AGE: \_\_\_\_\_ GRADE: \_\_\_\_\_ GENDER: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PARENT PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT'S EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

**THIS NOMINATION IS MADE FOR THE CATEGORY OF:**

- ☐ Exceptional service to others
- ☐ Heroism / Outstanding humanitarian act
- ☐ Exceptional service by an Individual within a club or organization
- ☐ Achievement by an individual who has overcome personal challenges and/or Set an example for others

Is this youth receiving the credit from any other club or organization for this activity? **YES / NO**

**If yes, please explain.**

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Has this youth previously been nominated for these achievements or activities? **YES / NO**

Above youth nominee has not received a payment or any award of any kind for these contributions. I agree to keep this nomination strictly confidential and permit the Youth Recognition Selection Committee from Holly Area Youth Assistance to notify this young person if they have been selected to receive an award.

SIGNATURE OF NOMINATOR: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

For Holly Area Youth Assistance information or about their programs, call 248-328-3181 or visit our webpage

<https://www.hask12.org/community/holly-area-youth-assistance/>



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**DO NOT USE THE YOUTH'S NAME IN THIS SECTION OF THE NOMINATION FORM**

➡ Please describe the volunteer's achievements, activities, and any additional information relevant to this nomination. When nominating individuals for an exemplary award, please give as much detail and specific examples of the youth's service and personal achievements as possible in your description. The Youth Recognition selection committee members are an objective panel of judges who are not familiar with the nature and missions of all the nominating groups. Provide only information that may be shared at the public Youth Recognition awards event.

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