

**YOUTH HALL OF FAME NOMINATION FORM**

**What is the Youth Hall of Fame?**

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

**Who are the candidates?**

The Youth Hall of Fame recognizes 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> 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 11<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup> 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)

*(Please print or type)*

Grade -- please check 11<sup>th</sup> \_\_\_ 12<sup>th</sup> \_\_\_

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

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

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Day time Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return completed forms by February 13, 2017 to:**

Greece 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 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 February 13, 2017.**

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 4, 2017.

***Who to call for information?***

For further information, please contact Rhett VanScoter, Youth Hall of Fame Award Chairperson, (phone 585-663-2004; e-mail rhett@vanscoterinsurance.com) or Greece Chamber of Commerce President/CEO Sarah Lentini (phone 585-227-7272; e-mail Sarah@GreeceChamber.org).

**2016 Award Winners**

Alyssa Bianchi

Justus Brown

Demetrious Dowdell

Megan Frankenberger

Christiana Fuller

Brian Garcia-Ramirez

Donovan Glavin

Allyson Kirkey

Andrew Longwell

Johna MacPherson

Molly Mammino

Katelynn Reynolds

Olga Solonichnaya

Kaitlyn Sweeney

Louisa Tocquie

Devin Vandermark

**Youth Hall of Fame  
is sponsored by:**

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



**Youth**

**Hall of**

**Fame**

**27<sup>th</sup>  
Annual Awards  
Call for  
Nominations**

**Deadline: February 13, 2017**