



South Lyon Area Youth Assistance 2021 Youth Recognition Program

Dear School/Community Member,

During these unusual times, we are thinking outside of the box to honor our students. Each year, Youth Assistance hosts a Youth Recognition event in May to honor **students in grades 6-12 in the South Lyon School District** for their volunteer work in our community. Though our community is starting to open back up again, we value everyone's health and feel it would be safer for our students and their families to wait until next year to resume our traditional program. Because South Lyon Area Youth Assistance believes it is essential to recognize these amazing students for their accomplishments, we will be accepting nominations and recognizing students via social media and mailing certificates.

Nominees will be selected on the basis of a commitment to volunteer services performed within the past two years. While there is no minimum number of hours of service required, we want to recognize consistency and quality of service which demonstrates a sincere desire to contribute. Volunteer work performed to fulfill other requirements should not be considered, nor would students performing paid or mandated services be eligible. Some examples of voluntary service would include church or temple projects, agency or hospital service, or self-initiated volunteer efforts. Any individual or organization is eligible to submit nominations.

SLAYA will receive nominations for consideration through **Friday, May 7, 2021**. At this time, we are unable to receive US mail and faxes. We will accept all nomination forms emailed to slayasecretary@gmail.com. Once we have all nominations, we will mail out recognition packets to those students, as well as recognizing them via social media. Thank you for your continued support during these difficult times.

Sincerely,

Al Credit II

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Chairperson
Youth Recognition

Mark Hiller

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Co-Chairperson
Youth Recognition

South Lyon Area Youth Assistance

2021 Youth Recognition Nomination Form

Student: _____ **Nominator:** _____

School: _____ **Position:** _____

Grade: _____ **Nominator Address:** _____

Parent(s): _____ **City & Zip:** _____

Nominee Address: _____ **Phone Number:** _____

City & Zip: _____ **Nominator Email:** _____

Phone Number: _____

Nominee Email: _____

Please include a summary describing why the nominated student should receive recognition. What volunteer service did they perform? Please describe the factors that made their service exceptional.

Please complete this form and return it by **Friday, May 7, 2021** to:
slayasecretary@gmail.com