

African-American Affairs Commission

2016 Youth of the Year Scholarships



Nominate Your Youth of the Year

Honorees will be honored at the State Capitol on May 13, 2016

The State of Connecticut African-American Affairs Commission is an organization dedicated to improving and promoting the economic development, education, health and political well-being of the African-American community in the State of Connecticut through advocacy, information sharing, cultural awareness, community networking and influencing legislation. On Friday, May 13, 2016 the Commission will host its 17th Annual Classic Awards Gala at the Legislative Office Building in Hartford, CT.

We come together to celebrate the accomplishments of African-Americans and their contributions to the State of Connecticut. Presentations will be made to the Man of the Year, Woman of the Year, Business and Economic Development and Lifetime Achievement. Most important, Youth of the Year scholarships will be presented to high school seniors who have demonstrated academic excellence.

The AAAC has been successful in granting scholarships to Connecticut youth for the past 16 years. Attached you will find an AAAC scholarship application. Please feel free to nominate any deserving high school seniors by completing the attached application and submitting it to our office. Honorees will be notified in March 2016.

NOMINATION FORM - AAAC YOUTH OF THE YEAR

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP _____

CONTACT INFO _____

(Phone)

(E-Mail)

CRITERIA:

African-American Achiever

Connecticut high school senior; demonstrates academic excellence, leadership ability as it relates to the development of the cultural, social and/or political well-being of the African-American Community; be of African Heritage.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Describe why student meets the criteria for this award

(Please attach transcript and any other information that would be helpful in the selection process)

Submitted By: _____

Contact Info: _____

(Phone)

(E-Mail)

Deadline February 26, 2016

Submit Nomination Form to:

African-American Affairs Commission

18-20 Trinity Street

Hartford, CT 06106

Fax (860) 240-8444 or E-Mail aaac@cga.ct.gov