

The **Young Humanitarian Scholar** award & scholarship recognizes a graduating high school senior who exemplifies the spirit of goodwill, philanthropy and humanitarianism through the work or service they are engaged in to benefit others.

The award and scholarship was created to support young humanitarians who have passion, dedication and commitment to social change. They have made significant contribution to improving the lives of others and are deeply committed to public service that will bring about positive social change and/or aid to underserved communities.

Students who have demonstrated strong leadership, encouraged others or have been engaged in volunteer or philanthropic activities are excellent candidates for the Young Humanitarian Scholar Award, and are encouraged to apply or be nominated by an adult leader who has directly worked with the student nominee.

AWARD

This award will be presented by Tempe Community Council at the 33rd Annual Don Carlos Humanitarian Awards Ceremony & Dinner, being held on Wednesday, September 28, 2016; the recipient will be required to attend the awards ceremony.

FUNDING

This scholarship is funded by Tempe philanthropists Jenny Norton & Bob Ramsey of the Ramsey Social Justice Foundation.

TYPE OF SCHOLARSHIP

One-time gift of \$1,000; to be used for tuition or other expenses for either undergraduate or graduate studies at a college or university in the Phoenix metropolitan area.

ELIGIBILITY

- Graduating from high school in 2016
- Must live, work, serve or attend high school within the Tempe city boundaries
- Must be planning to attend an Arizona university or college and be enrolled (or in the process of enrolling) in the 2016 fall semester
- Demonstrates an active commitment during middle/high school to unpaid volunteer efforts promoting the well-being and quality of life for others
- Demonstrates volunteer leadership achievements
- Has a rooted passion to help others
- Must be available to attend the 2016 Don Carlos Humanitarian Awards event on September 28

SELECTION FOCUS

Demonstrates a consistent record of service to help others – does not need to be the same individual or group. Though there is value in brief service efforts with many different fragile populations, sustained and focused service efforts will be considered more meaningful.

Recipients may be asked to participate in a personal interview before a final selection is made.

APPLICATION

All materials must be received by April 29, 2016, before 4:30 pm via email, mail, faxed, hand-delivered to:

Tempe Community Council
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SCHOLARSHIP & AWARD APPLICATION FORM



Student Full Name _____
Address _____
City _____ Zip Code _____
Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____
Email _____
Parent/Guardian Name(s) _____
High School Attending _____ GPA _____
Graduating high school senior in 2016? Yes No
College/university planning to attend in fall 2016: Applied Enrolled In Process

REQUIREMENTS FOR APPLICATION

- Provide one letter of recommendation from an adult leader related to service activity (teacher, counselor, etc.). (Letters describing reason(s) for support would be beneficial.)
- Please list on a separate piece of paper the following information:
 1. **ACTIVITY** - List service/activities provided to benefit others. Include type of activity, approximate dates, frequency and benefiting organization or individual (please state relationship, if service to an individual).
 2. **IMPACT** - Explain the impact the listed service had on those being served.
 3. **NEED** - Share what community need was addressed through the listed service.
 4. **MOTIVATION** - Describe the source of motivation that resulted in the listed service and activities listed.
 5. **LEADERSHIP** - List any extracurricular activities and leadership involvement.
 6. **FUTURE** - Describe student's future plan to be active in volunteer or community organizations.

I certify that all of the information contained in my application form is accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand it is required to attend the Don Carlos Humanitarian Awards event on September 28, 2016.

Student Signature (required only if student is self-applying)

Date

NOMINATOR CONTACT INFO (for students being nominated and not self-applying)

Nominator Name

Relationship to Student

Email

Phone