

**STUDENT COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD  
APPLICATION FORM**



Since 2005 the Indian Valley Chamber of Commerce has recognized students, in the Indian Valley Chamber of Commerce coverage area, for outstanding contributions to society through significant community service.

*Deadline for submitting applications  
October 31, 2018*

The Student Community Service award serves the dual purpose of recognizing such contributions and providing role models for other students and our community at large.

The recipients will be honored at a Chamber Membership Luncheon in December 2018.

To qualify for recognition, applicants must meet the following criteria:

- ❖ Currently enrolled in grades 9 through 11.
- ❖ Applicant must demonstrate leadership by having established a new project or enhanced an existing project which benefits the community.
- ❖ Applicant must demonstrate the six pillars of character: Trustworthiness, Responsibility, Respect, Fairness, Caring, and Citizenship.
- ❖ Applicant must submit a written statement that describes the service project. \*(See instructions below)
- ❖ Applicant must reside in the Souderton Area School District.

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Current grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Project Name: \_\_\_\_\_

*Examples of previous award winners are students who maintained a pocket park, started a safe water project, assisted senior citizens, and reached out to those in need from the homeless to servicemen overseas. Many of these projects demonstrated initiative and collaboration with other volunteers while benefiting the community for years to come.*

Applicant composes a complete written statement that describes the project. **This statement should include resources, time spent, goals, others involved, and benefits to the greater community.** Statement should also include: Why did the applicant engage in this work? How have you been affected by this work? Who did you impact? Is there a future extension planned or dreamed about? Another group? A return or replay of event? Follow-up?

Applicant's application and statement can be emailed to the Chamber office at [ivchamber@indianvalleychamber.com](mailto:ivchamber@indianvalleychamber.com), or mail to: Steven P Hunsberger, Executive Director, Indian Valley Chamber of Commerce, 211 E. Broad Street, Ste. C, Souderton, PA 18964. For additional information or questions contact the Chamber office, at (215) 723-9472.

\*Sponsored by: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Sponsors – adult, Ex: parent, teachers, community member, coaches...

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor, please rate this student volunteer. Rating scale of 1-5 (*circle numbers with 5 being the best*)

• Initiative	5	4	3	2	1	Perseverance	5	4	3	2	1
• Commitment	5	4	3	2	1	Collaboration	5	4	3	2	1
• Dedication	5	4	3	2	1						