22nd Annnual YAKIMA YOUTH AWARDS NOMINATION FORM

We are seeking nominations from the community to identify young people deserving of recognition! Nominations are being sought in the following categories:

<u>ARTS</u>: Outstanding involvement in performing, visual or literary arts.

BUSINESS/ENTERPRISE: Developing career and/or business skills

<u>CIVIC/COMMUNITY SERVICE</u>: Giving of one's time and talent to improve the community.

FAMILY LIFE: Bettering one's family situation

LEADERSHIP: Guiding others to a positive goal through education or example

PERSONAL ACHIEVEMENT: Getting through or beyond personal obstacles with courage, initiative, and determination

SMALL GROUP: up to 9 members

LARGE GROUP: 10 or more members

For groups awards, list names, addresses, and telephone numbers on a separate page

Your letter of nomination should include specific details to address the following questions:

WHAT has the person or group done;WHEN was the contribution made;WHO benefited;HOW was the contribution accomplished;WHERE was the impact made.

The letter of nomination should be no more than one page in length. Additional materials will **NOT** be considered.

We reserve the right to change the category in which a youth is nominated.

Who Is Eligible? Any person age 5-19 by December 31, 2014, or a group of youngsters within this age group.

Emphasis will be given to nominees whose contribution has been made between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014.

The contribution of the individual or group nominated must be in Yakima County.

Please join us in honoring the outstanding youth of our community! All Yakima Youth Award nominees will be honored at the 22nd Annual Yakima Youth Awards Ceremony, Monday, April13, 2015 6:30 – 8:30 pm The Capitol Theatre, 19 South 3rd Street. Yakima

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NOMINATOR		NAME OF NOMINEE	
MAILING ADDRESS		MAILING ADDRESS	
СІТҮ	ZIP	CITY	ZIP
DAY & EVENING PHONE		AGE	SCHOOL
EMAIL ADDRESS		EMAIL ADDRESS	
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NOMINATOR'S SIGNATURE	DATE	-	

Nominations must be postmarked by 5:00 PM Friday, March 27th, 2015 Mail to: Yakima Youth Awards 407 S. 25th Avenue, Yakima, WA 98902 FAX to: (509) 248-7923. For additional forms, call (509) 248-4848. Or email to: <u>yakimayouthawards@gmail.com</u>

Yakima Youth Awards is an unincorporated group of community volunteers, committed to honoring the County's outstanding children and youth.