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National Philanthropy Day®

Join Rockford AFP in celebrating those who change our world!

Submit a nomination!

Save the Date!

- ✓ To help celebrate philanthropy in the Rockford area
- ✓ To celebrate individuals, corporations, and foundations that we could not exist without
- ✓ To thank your staff, Board or donors for their efforts on behalf of your agency
- ✓ To share the value of AFP to you and our community

November 15, 2016
11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Forest Hills Country Club

Nominate!

- ✓ Recognize and honor adult and youth individuals, corporations, and foundations
- ✓ It's easy! Forms attached or available on-line www.afprockford.org
- ✓ **Deadline: Monday, September 26, 2016**

Share!

- ✓ This invitation and nomination form with others.

Questions?

- ✓ Contact Nicole Clewer at 779-500-0813 or Nclewer@rockriverymca.org

2016 National Philanthropy Day Award Criteria

There are six awards promoted locally that are open for public nominations.

Outstanding Philanthropist Award:

This award recognizes an individual or family for contributions to one or more organizations in Northern Illinois. The individual or family must have a proven record of exceptional generosity through direct financial support and demonstrate outstanding civic and charitable responsibility.

Outstanding Corporation or Foundation:

Corporations or foundations are honored for outstanding commitment and financial support of philanthropic causes in Northern Illinois. The award recognizes a business or foundation whose generosity has greatly benefited the community, as well as encouraged and motivated others to assume leadership roles toward causes of philanthropy.

Outstanding Fundraising Volunteer Award:

This outstanding individual must have demonstrated exceptional leadership skills coordinating major fundraising campaigns and motivating groups of fundraising volunteers for the benefit of charitable institutions.

Outstanding Community Service Volunteer Award:

This outstanding individual must have made a significant impact by providing support through gifts of their time and talents to a number of organizations in the not-for-profit community.

Future Philanthropist Award:

This award honors an individual or group of young people, up to 24 years of age, for extraordinary volunteer fundraising efforts on behalf of philanthropic causes.

Presidential Youth Service Award:

This award recognizes exemplary leadership and generosity of spirit in an elementary, middle or high school student or group of students whose selfless efforts have benefitted a good cause in the community. Young people who receive this award represent the best of humanity and good citizenship and serve as an inspiration to all.

2016 National Philanthropy Day Nomination Form

I am making a nomination for the following award: (check one)

- Outstanding Philanthropist (*Individual or Family*)
- Outstanding Corporation or Foundation
- Outstanding Fundraising Volunteer
- Outstanding Community Service Volunteer
- Future Philanthropist (*individual or group, must be under the ages of 24*)
- Presidential Youth Service (*individual or group, must be elementary, middle, or high school students*)

Nominee:

Name _____
Title _____
Organization _____
Address _____

Phone _____

Submitted By:

Name _____
Title _____
Organization _____
Address _____

Phone _____

Please address the following in your nomination:

1. Based on the award criteria, why should this nominee be honored and recognized?
2. List organizations which have benefited from this nominee's contributions or efforts.
3. Attach up to three letters of support with at least one letter being a requirement.

Completed nominations can be submitted to:

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All nominations due Monday, September 26, 2016