

Samya Rose Stumo Youth Leadership Award Nomination Form

Welcome! Thank you for helping recognize the hard-working people within nonprofit organizations in the Berkshires.

This award acknowledges an individual aged 16-24 who has contributed meaningfully to the Berkshire Nonprofit sector either through volunteer or paid work. This individual has demonstrated passion and dedication to one or more causes and/or organizations, made a difference in the lives of people in our community, and achieved outstanding accomplishments early in life.

Nominations should be accompanied by at least one letter of recommendation. Note: Awardee will receive a \$250 mini-grant to use to further the mission (s) they care most about.

Nomination forms should be submitted by Friday, March 13th at 5pm to be considered. Questions about the form or the nomination process should be directed to elizabeth@npcberkshires.org.

Please note: in order to save your form and return later to edit you must SUBMIT the form. You can submit an incomplete form and finish it at a later date. Once submitted, you will receive an email with a link to access the incomplete form.

1. Email *

Nominee Information

2. Name as it should appear on certificate if selected

3. Nominee's Title within their organization

4. Name of Nonprofit Organization

5. Length of Time Nominee Has Served Organization

6. Mailing Address - Street

7. Mailing Address - City

8. Mailing Address - State

9. Mailing Address - Zip Code

10. Nominee's Phone

11. Nominee's Email Address

12. Nominee's Age (must be 16-24)

Nominator Information

We'll need your information so we can keep in touch throughout the nomination and selection process.

13. This is a self-nomination

If yes, proceed to the next section.

Mark only one oval.

Yes

No

14. Nominator Name

The individual submitting the nomination.

15. Your Mailing Address - Street

16. Your Mailing Address - City

17. Your Mailing Address - State

18. Your Mailing Address - Zip Code

19. Your Phone

20. Your Connection to Nominee

friend, co-worker, etc.

Mission & Programs/Services

21. Describe the organization's mission and programs or services. Include information about geographic area served and size of constituency.

(1,500 character limit)

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While completing the nomination, please keep in mind that the selection committee will be looking for evidence of the strength of a nominee's work across a broad range of criteria including: strategic thinking, thoughtful execution, support of the culture, growth and strength of the organization, supportive of the population the nonprofit serves, commitment to the community, embodies the mission and vision of the organization.

22. How has the individual made a positive impact on his/her organization and in the community?

(1,000 character limit)

23. In what ways does this individual demonstrate passion and commitment to his/her chosen cause?

(1,000 character limit)

24. How does this individual made a difference in the lives of people in the Berkshire Community?

(1,000 character limit)

25. How does this individual demonstrate that young people have the power to make a difference?

(1,000 character limit)

Letter of Support (Required)

Required: One letter of support that speaks to how the nominee exemplifies this category through the identified criteria (300 word minimum). The letter of support should be emailed to elizabeth@npcberkshires.org prior to the submission deadline on March 13th.

Optional: An additional letter of support may be submitted. The additional letter of support should be emailed to elizabeth@npcberkshires.org prior to the submission deadline on March 13th.

Submitting and Editing Your Form

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