



Racial Justice Scholarship Nomination Form

YWCA Greenwich is pleased to announce the call for candidates for its Racial Justice Scholarship Awards. Candidates may be nominated by a member of the faculty of any Greenwich high school or by the general public. \$1,000 in total scholarship monies will be awarded to one or two high school seniors who live in Greenwich and attend a Greenwich school...and who have made a special effort to encourage people to respect differences, to promote equality and to eliminate all forms of bigotry, bias and racism in their school or our community.

Nominations are due by **Friday, April 7, 2017**. **Award will be presented on Friday, April 28 at the Stand Against Racism event at Town Hall.** Winners must be present to receive the scholarship.

Nominations can be e-mailed to j.mockler@ywcagreenwich.org, faxed to 203-629-8187, or mailed to YWCA Greenwich
Racial Justice Scholarships
259 East Putnam Avenue
Greenwich, CT 06830

For information contact: Joan Mockler, at 203-869-6501, X 104 or her email address above.

****If a student meets the two following criteria, please consider nominating her or him:**

- High school senior who lives in Greenwich and attends a Greenwich school**
- Individual who has made a significant contribution in the area of racial justice**

Student Nominee Information

**Please submit this nomination by April 7, 2017*

Name: _____ Gender: _____

Address: _____
Street Zip Code

Phone () _____ Email _____

School student attends: _____ Grade _____

Signature: _____ (Not needed if Emailed) Date: _____

Nominator Information

Thank you for nominating a student for the YWCA Racial Justice Scholarship

**Please submit this nomination by April 7, 2017*

Name of Nominator: _____

Address: _____
 Number and Street City or Town State Zip Code

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Relationship to Nominee: _____

Signature: _____ (Not needed if emailed)

Date: _____

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

How long have you known the applicant and in what context?

What are the first words that come to mind to describe the applicant?

EVALUATION:

Please describe the applicant's contributions to promoting racial justice and respect for differences in his/her school and/or community. We are particularly interested in the nominee's leadership skills, talents and accomplishments. We welcome information that will help us differentiate this applicant from others. Please include what the nominee has specifically done to promote understanding and acceptance of diversity and racial justice, and briefly describe the impact of his or her actions described. Comments may be one page or less.

In addition to your evaluation, please include the name(s) and contact information of another reference.

Nomination Process

* In order to be considered for this award, the nomination must be submitted by Friday, April 7, 2017

* Nominations will be reviewed and candidates will be notified by Friday, April 21, 2017

***The Scholarships will be presented at the Stand Against Racism event at Town Hall on Friday, April 28, 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.**

Thank you for your nomination.