



## Local Hero Award 2019 NOMINATION FORM

The Champaign Urbana Schools Foundation is seeking nominations for its Local Hero Award to be presented at the 2019 CUSF Gala.

### **Requirements for the award:**

Any adult who successfully completed high school from either the Champaign Unit 4 or Urbana District 116 school district and demonstrates their commitment to benefiting the community through their volunteer time and efforts is eligible for this award *provided they currently live or volunteer within the district boundaries of the two school districts*. Employees of the CU Schools Foundation and their family members and individuals serving on the CU Schools Foundation Board of Directors and their family members are not eligible.

### **Supporting Material and Guidelines:**

- Please provide a brief statement/overview/summary describing why you are nominating this individual or self-nominating (max. 250 words).
- Nominations must be received by **January 11, 2019**.
- All nomination forms and supporting information becomes the property of CUSF upon submission and will not be returned.
- Nominators should retain a copy of their submission for their reference.
- Outline the nominee's volunteer activities / accomplishments (max. 300 words).
- Please provide examples of the impact his / her volunteer service has made in the community or to the quality of someone's life (max. 350 words).
- Nominators should include sufficient information to give the Selection Committee an idea of the nominee's character and the impact of his / her volunteer service on the community. Ensure that the summary is attached to the nomination form. Please do NOT send further documentation such as certificates, photos, and testimonials: they will not be forwarded to the Selection Committee. All submissions will be acknowledged either by email or by phone.
- Please attach optional supporting documentation (no more than two pages).

### **Nominee Information:**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax Number: \_\_\_\_\_

High School from which the nominee graduated: \_\_\_\_\_

**References:**

Nominations must include two references that may be contacted to verify the nature and extent of the nominee's volunteer activity. References should be those familiar with the nominee's accomplishments. Members of the nominee's immediate family may not be references.

**Reference 1**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Reference 2**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Your Name (nominator):**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Organization Web Site Address (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Is the Nominee aware of this nomination? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

I certify, to the best of my knowledge, that the information provided in this nomination form is correct.

Signature of Nominator \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Deadline for Nominations: January 11, 2019**

Where to send the information:

**Mail: CU Schools Foundation PO Box 1166 Champaign, IL. 61824**

**Email: Send a PDF to [info@CUSchoolsFoundation.org](mailto:info@CUSchoolsFoundation.org)**