

LEADERS OF TOMORROW 2010

NOMINATION FORM

*What if youth ran the world?
They will!*

Leaders of Tomorrow Gala - Tuesday, April 20, 2010

The **LEADERS OF TOMORROW Volunteer Awards Program** recognizes youth who have made contributions to their community through volunteerism. Individuals, community groups, educational institutions and voluntary organizations are invited to nominate young people who deserve recognition for their devotion to helping others.

CRITERIA FOR NOMINATION

- ☆ Must be between the ages of 5 to 24 (as of March 5, 2010)
- ☆ Exhibit dedication in any field of volunteer work including, but not limited to, school, community, sport and recreation, fine arts and cultural
- ☆ Inspire the spirit of volunteerism in others
- ☆ Live, volunteer or attend school within a 28 km radius of the City of Lethbridge
- ☆ Leaders of Tomorrow nominations cannot be made by parents, caregivers or immediate relatives

HOW TO NOMINATE

Volunteer Recognition Award Check List

- A youth volunteer who meets the above criteria
- Complete nomination form on the reverse side
- Have the nominee sign the nomination
- Include an original high quality photo no less than 200dpi. The photo should be a standard head and shoulders photo that shows the nominee's face straight on. The Lethbridge Herald reserves the right to refuse photos based on photo quality.
- A *one page* reference letter *from someone other than the nominator*, including information on how the nominee's actions demonstrated their: **Leadership, Character, Dedication & Inspiration of Others.**

Volunteer Excellence Award Check List (The youth volunteer who goes "above and beyond")

- A youth volunteer who meets the *above criteria*
- Complete nomination form on the reverse side
- Have the nominee sign the nomination
- Include an original high quality photo no less than 200dpi. The photo should be a standard head and shoulders photo that shows the nominee's face straight on. The Lethbridge Herald reserves the right to refuse photos based on photo quality.
- A *one page* reference letter *from someone other than the nominator*, including information on how the nominee's actions have demonstrated **Leadership, Initiative, Character, Dedication & Inspiration of Others.**
- The nominator to provide a brief biographical sketch of the nominee and how the qualities exhibited impact on the organization and/or community (**not to exceed 500 words**).
- The nominator to provide a record of the nominee's activities *over the past 5 years* (example below)

Organization	Activity	Responsibility	Hours	Dates	Supervisor's Name
Humane Society	Animal Care	Coordinate pet adoptions	120	Oct-Dec '08	Mrs. L. Jones

DEADLINE FOR NOMINATIONS

Nominations must be received by **noon on Friday, March 5, 2010.** Submit completed nomination forms to:

by mail or in person: **Volunteer Lethbridge**
207—13th Street North
Lethbridge, Alberta T1H 2R6

by Fax: (403) 320-2046

For additional information please contact Volunteer Lethbridge at 403-320-2044

Presented By:



“Volunteering is a fulfilling way of 'widening your horizons' without having to take out a student loan, pay tuition fees, or buy a plane ticket.

~ Erin Mick,

2009 Award Recipient

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PLEASE PRINT

I am nominating the youth below for the:

Volunteer Recognition

Volunteer Excellence Award

NOMINEE INFORMATION (*The nominee's name will be spelled on the volunteer recognition certificate as it is printed on this form*)

Check age of nominee (as of March 5, 2010)

5 - 11 years

12 - 15 years

16 - 18 years

19 - 24 years

Nominee Birthdate: Day _____ Month _____ Year _____

First Name (preferred): _____ Last Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ PC: _____

Home Phone: _____ Email: _____

School/Employer _____ School/Employer Phone: _____

Nominee Signature I have read the nomination criteria and category requirements and I consent to my nomination. The 2010 Leaders of Tomorrow Nominating Committee may verify all information provided.

Nominee Signature _____ Date: _____
(Parent/Guardian signature if nominee is under the age of 18)

NOMINATION SUBMITTED BY

Name (*please print*): _____

Organization/School: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ PC: _____

Email: _____

I have attached the completed information as outlined on page one of the nomination form in the *How to Nominate* section.

Signature of Nominator: _____

CONSENT TO RELEASE PHOTOGRAPHY, VIDEO and/or SOUND RECORDINGS (*for public relations and media purposes*)

I, _____ (If volunteer is under 18 years, a PARENT/GUARDIAN must complete this section)
Print Name
hereby authorize *Volunteer Lethbridge* to take, or cause to be taken; still photographs, sound recordings, video recordings (with or without sound)

Group photos, including guests of the nominee will be taken at the 2010 Leaders of Tomorrow Gala Evening. Photographs and/or recordings may be used for the promotion of volunteerism and the *Leaders of Tomorrow* program through any type of advertising (published reports and volunteerism related websites) that *Volunteer Lethbridge* may choose to undertake. Photos may also be provided to the Community Services/City of Lethbridge, Volunteer Alberta and Volunteer Canada. I hereby expressly waive any and all claims against *Volunteer Lethbridge* in any manner whatsoever relating to the said photographs and/or recordings.

NOMINEE (PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE IF UNDER 18)

WITNESS SIGNATURE

PLEASE PRINT NAME

PLEASE PRINT NAME

DATE

DATE

