

The Justin Buckley Citizenship Award

The Justin Buckley Citizenship Award is a monetary award presented annually to a graduating senior of Hammondsport High School. The recipient will be chosen solely upon the demonstrated possession of truly outstanding qualities of service to the community. Scholastic or athletic accomplishments will not be considered during the selection of the recipient.

Justin was a role model, open-minded, outgoing, respected, and active within his community, encouraging, and never hesitated to lend a helping hand whenever it was needed. Justin always found the good in people and gave a piece of his heart to everyone he met. Justin's friends and family would like to honor his memory by presenting this award to someone who possesses Justin's sense of fun, outgoing personality and his caring and compassionate heart.

Requirements for the application include:

- a brief essay describing your qualities and experiences with community service
- two reference letters

The scholarship must be completed in its entirety and submitted with all requested attachments. Please submit your application to Mr. Jim Derr at the Hammondsport High School Guidance office.

Application must be received on or before **March 1, 2019**

Applications can be found online on our website at www.communityfund.org/students or in your guidance office. Application forms may be reproduced. Questions about the Justin Buckley Citizenship Award should be directed to the Foundation office at cmm@communityfund.org or 607-739-3900.

The Justin Buckley Citizenship Award Application

Student Name: _____

Address: _____

City

State

Zipcode

Email: _____

Phone Number: _____

High School: _____

Guidance Counselor's Name: _____

Activity List

Please attach a list of activities, memberships, leadership positions, volunteer experience and employment. Please also include the approximate number of hours per week or month spent on each activity.

Essay

Write a brief essay (1-2 pages) describing your own truly outstanding qualities of community service. We are especially interested in your volunteer experience, an experience you've had helping others, or something that really sparks your interest and heart.

Reference Letters

Please attach two reference letters.

The letters should be from someone familiar with your goals and attributes. Avoid reference letters that are too vague, generic, or written for other purposes. *Please make sure to include one academic reference (on letterhead from faculty or counselor) and one personal reference.*

*Submit this completed application and materials to Jim Derr at the Guidance office by **March 1, 2019.***