



Greater Wyoming Valley
Council On Youth Leadership

Youth Salute!

(570)693-3150

www.youthsalute.com

Dear Youth Salute Nominee and Parents,

Congratulations! You have been nominated by someone in the administration or faculty of your school, or possibly someone in the community. Youth Salute is a National Program designed to recognize individuals such as yourself. This is done by working hand in hand with local businesses within our communities and showing off to the public what you are capable of and have accomplished. Youth Salute began in 1976 and is nationally run by the National Council on Youth Leadership in St. Louis. If you are interested in learning more about Youth Salute go to the web site **www.ncyl.org** and learn more about this wonderful program.

In September, the local Youth Salute banquet is held. At this time scholarships, plaques and certificates are handed out. Also, the local youth leader/s will be chosen. The local Youth Salute leader/s will be sent with all expenses paid to St. Louis to compete for the national title. In our many years, we have had a national winner, and several finalists. It just goes to show that our area's kids are great.

The motto of Youth Salute is “...**Saying what's good about youth.**”, and if we don't say it, who will? Our youth are doing wonderful things and we must recognize them for it. These are tomorrow's leaders, they are our children. We really want to make this year's Youth Salute experience great.

Parents.....Youth Salute is a “**NOT FOR PROFIT PROGRAM**” and costs you nothing for your son/daughter to be in this program and to be recognized. The displays created for this program that display the profile and your child's images are offered to you to purchase if you would like. This is offered at your option and does not affect your child's rank or recognition.

What happens now? You must contact us now to setup a photo session. The process starts with you being photographed for your profile display. This profile display will be shown along with the displays of all the other Youth Salute nominees to make up the Youth Salute Exhibit. This exhibit will be put into many local banks, court house, fairs, etc... so that the public and your fellow students can see what our young people are doing on a positive note.

We ask that you contact us Immediately or your session appointment. If we don't answer.....we will return your phone call as soon as possible. We want to show who you are and what your various activities are, so please list on the next page what you will be wearing and the props you will bring. For example: gray suit, white shirt, red tie; light blue gown; foot ball uniform #xx; swimsuit; casual jeans and sweater; etc.

This form MUST be filled out before you come to the studio and bring it with you.

You will need 4 outfits! No exceptions! Be already dressed in your Head shot outfit when you come to the studio!!! Be early to your appointment! Other nominees will be photographed at the same time session you have, so you MUST be on time!

Props are very important! Bring sports equipment, a pet, flags or club banners, scientific equipment, artist materials, trophies, medals, awards, etc. Girls if you wear make-up normally, wear normal make-up, thick and/or frosted make-up does not photograph well. Also nails should be done. Boys get a haircut if you need one and be clean shaven, it will show. Wear complete outfits, from shirt to pants to shoes.

Understand that thousands of people will be viewing your images whether on the tour or on the Youth Salute web site. You need to look your best. If you have issues with acne, scars, or blemishes as many young adults do, don't concern yourself with this as the images can be retouched.

Contact us as soon as you receive this notice to setup your appointment!

Please fill out (PRINT) the form below and bring it to your session. PLEASE BE A FEW MINUTES EARLY SO THAT WE CAN DO YOUR PAPER WORK PRIOR TO YOUR SESSION. NOTE: IMAGES FROM YOUR SESSION WILL BE VIEWED ONLINE, PLEASE PRINT YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS CLEARLY AND MAKE SURE YOU PRINT! **BRING THIS FORM WITH YOU!!!!**

Your Name _____

Your School _____ Session DATE _____

Session Time _____ E-Mail Address _____

1st outfit (come dressed in this one!) Headshot/ NO PROPS Boys.. must wear suit top or sports jacket with shirt and tie. Girls.. Nice top preferably a solid color, No halter or tube tops!	2nd outfit Casual outfit You may use props on this one.	3rd outfit Sports/hobbies You may use props on this one.	4th outfit Sports /hobbies You may use props on this one.
Outfit/color	Outfit/color	Outfit/color	Outfit/color
No props	List props below	List props below	List props below

Where is your appointment?

Portraits By
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1950 Wyoming Ave.
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Where are we located???

