



The Lions Club of Utica



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To All Guidance Counselors,

On behalf of the Utica Lions Club we would like to, once again, offer the Nick Poccia Memorial Awards. This year we will be awarding 3 scholarships for \$500.00 each for excellence in community service. The Lions motto- "We Serve" - is also a call to bring in youth to a future of public service through the largest service organization in the world.

The Public Service awards will go to college-bound seniors who have provided outstanding public service within and outside of his or her school community.

We will need the date of your school's award ceremony so that we can have the award letters to you in a timely manner. We would also like to have a representative of the Utica Lions Club present the award or at least be in attendance at ceremony.

Enclosed you will find the application for the Community Service Award. This should be accompanied by the student's letter showing their leadership in public service both past, present and what they would like to accomplish in the future.

Please have all information and applications to us no later than 04/30/2021.

If you have any questions please contact me at 315-797-5720, or allenzuck@gmail.com

Best Regards,

Antoinette Panuccio
Utica Lion President

Dr. Allen Zuck
Utica Lions Club, Scholarship Chairman

This award is presented in memory of Lion Nick Poccia, a Utica lion who dedicated his life to the service of the public, and the growth of the Utica Lions Club.

This application should be postmarked no later than 04/30/2021. Late applications WILL NOT be accepted.

Eligibility requirements for this award are as follows:

1. Recipient must be a college bound senior from Proctor or Notre Dame High School.
2. A completed application
3. An essay of at least 500 words explaining: what public service means to you, as well as your past and current involvement, and how you would like to serve your community in the future.
4. Two letters of recommendation from your school, community organization and/or your place of employment regarding your public service activities.
5. Students receiving the award will be invited with their parents to an award ceremony, COVID permitting, to receive their checks at the North Utica Senior Center, in June (TBA)

Please complete your application and essay and return them with your 2 letters of recommendation no later **04/30/2021**

Lion Allen Zuck, OD
11 Wedgewood Road
New Hartford, NY 13413



Applicant: (All information will be kept confidential)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Graduating from: Proctor_____

Notre Dame_____

In the fall I will be attending: _____

Address: _____

Intended field of
study: _____

For committee use

Postmarked Date

Reviewed by:

Committee Decision:

Signature of Committee Chair: