



CENTRAL KENTUCKY COUNCIL ON YOUTH LEADERSHIP

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38th Annual “YOUTH SALUTE”

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Fayette Mall
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FEATURE NEWS ARTICLE

Lexington Herald-Leader Co.

MEDIA NEWS RELEASES

Advocate-Messenger
Anderson News
Bath County News Outlook
Bourbon County Citizen
Carlisle Courier
Carlisle Mercury
Casey County News
Central Record
Citizen Voice & Times
Clay City Times
Commonwealth Journal
Cynthiana Democrat
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Garrard County News
Georgetown News-Graphic
Harrodsburg Herald
Interior Journal
Jessamine Journal
Lexington Herald-Leader
Maysville Independent
Menifee County News
Mt. Sterling Advocate
Mt. Vernon Signal
Owenton News Herald
Richmond Register
Robertson County News
Sentinel News
Spencer Magnet
Springfield Sun
State Journal
Winchester Sun
Woodford Sun

This year, the Central Kentucky Council on Youth Leadership, will sponsor the 38th annual “Youth Salute” in cooperation with the National Council on Youth Leadership. The purpose of this program is to honor high school juniors in your community who maintain a high scholastic average and have demonstrated leadership ability. The “Youth Salute” has been an approved program by the National Association of Secondary School Principals for over 38 years.

In order to be eligible for this recognition, students must:

1. Be a high school junior (senior class of 2019).
2. Have at least a cumulative 3.0 G.P.A. through their sophomore year. (Any student who attains a 3.0 G.P.A. by the end of the fall semester of their junior year may submit a late nomination by February 23, 2018.)
3. Have held TWO LEADERSHIP ROLES to which they were chosen by their peers or an adult leader within the past two years in school, religious or community sponsored organizations.

The nominated student must participate in each of the following activities:

1. Completion of the Nomination Form, Leadership Essay and Biography by **Friday, February 23, 2018.**
2. Orientation at Holifield Photography for information about the program, photography session and photographic displays.
3. Be photographed by Holifield Photography for community and school displays as well as regional media recognition.
4. Attendance at the Leadership Seminar & Awards Ceremony co-sponsored by Asbury University, Eastern Kentucky University, Georgetown College and Transylvania University.

Leadership Workshop & Awards Ceremony

An exciting leadership workshop will be held in the spring in cooperation with several central Kentucky colleges to allow students to interact with other youth leaders. The “Youth Salute” awards ceremony will be held on the same day with “Youth Salute Week” being proclaimed by the Mayor of Lexington and the Governor of Kentucky in recognition of “Youth Salute” students’ accomplishments. See below for available scholarships & awards.

College scholarships are selected by each college/university*:

\$80,000 in scholarships	Five \$4,000 scholarships from Asbury University
	Five \$4,000 scholarships from Eastern Kentucky University
	Five \$4,000 scholarships from Georgetown College
	Five \$4,000 scholarships from Transylvania University

Awards selected by the “Youth Salute” Scholarships and Awards Committee:

\$1,000 in scholarships	Two \$500 scholarships from Holifield Photography
\$2,500 in courses	Five ACT - SAT Courses valued at \$500 each from Class 101
\$500 in awards	Four \$125 leadership awards from Central Bank & Trust Co.
200 certificates	200 - \$50 certificates from Class 101
\$6,000 in trips	Six \$1000 trips to Town Meeting on Tomorrow, St. Louis from Holifield Photography
55 Awards	Top Youth Leader from each high school
One Award	Central Kentucky Youth Leader of the Year
One Award	Lexington Youth Leader of the Year

Each student will receive a certificate from the National Council on Youth Leadership

Youth Leadership Scholarships, Trips to the National Leadership Workshop, Titles and Leadership Awards will be awarded on the basis of the Nomination Form, Leadership Essay and attendance at the Leadership Workshop and Awards Ceremony by the Awards and Scholarship Committee. Your participation at the leadership seminar and awards ceremony is mandatory to be eligible for any awards.

**If you have questions or need additional nomination forms call:
Holifield Photography at (859) 276-2040**

*Subject to change



← Biography

Student Biography

The biography is used on the Youth Salute panel that will be displayed at your school and community.

State your name and high school. List a MAXIMUM of 10 leadership positions, participation in activities, or any awards you have received in school, community or religious organizations. Include your college and career plans.

Example:

Delaney Simpson
Boyle County High School

Kentucky 4-H State Teen Council Member
State Teen Council Elections Committee Co-Chair
District 4 Teen Council Community Service Chair
Boyle County Teen Club Reporter
Art on Issues Teen Board Spokesperson
Bronze Award in Kentucky 4-H Achievement Program
4-H Camp Junior Counselor
Presidential Inauguration 2017 Trip Delegate
Change of Heart Leader
National Honors Society

Delaney plans to major in Secondary Education, and would love to be a High School Mathematics Teacher.

- 1) Type the biography in an email and send to **Bios@HolifieldPhotography.com**
(We MUST have an emailed version. You will not be accepted until we have received this version.)
- 2) Print out the completed biography and attach to the Nomination Form & Essay.

Call Holifield Photography at 859-276-2040 if you have any problems or questions.

Nomination form, essay and student biography must be returned no later than **Friday, February 23, 2018** to your GUIDANCE COUNSELOR or

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"YOUTH SALUTE" - NOMINATION FORM

Note: The nomination form must be downloaded and typed or written in BLACK ink

Go to the Youth Salute/Young Achiever section of www.HolifieldPhotography.com and click on downloads.

High School _____	Male or Female _____
Student's Name _____	Student's Cell _____
Parents' Names _____	Home Phone _____
Mother Cell _____	Father Cell _____
Address _____	City & Zip Code _____
Student's Email _____	Parent's Email _____

Leadership Roles, Activities & Honors

You must have at least two leadership roles in this category to qualify for the "Youth Salute" recognition. Spell out complete names of clubs and organizations. Don't use initials. An additional page may be added if needed.

Two Qualifying Leadership Roles from 9th – 11th grade (Organization/Role/School Year)

1 _____	2 _____
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Additional Leadership Roles, Activities & Honors from 9th – 11th grade (Organization/Role/School Year)

HIGH SCHOOL

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____
5 _____
6 _____
7 _____
8 _____

SPORTS

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

COMMUNITY

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____

VOLUNTEER SERVICE

1 _____
2 _____

STATE & NATIONAL

1 _____
2 _____
3 _____
4 _____
5 _____

RELIGIOUS

1 _____
2 _____

College & Career Plans

College Plans _____	Career Plans _____
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You must complete the essay question on the reverse side of this page & Biography on page 2.

Leadership Essay

Our selection committee would like to know more about you. Please complete and return your response to the following question using the guidelines listed below.

Question: Give examples of your leadership in action in your school, religious organization or community. How will you use your leadership skills to impact your future and the world around you?

- Essay criteria:
1. Typed, **one page**, double-spaced using 10 or 12 point font.
 2. Please type your name and school at the top of your essay page.
 3. Use correct grammar, punctuation and spelling.
 5. You may use personal anecdotes, personal interviews and personal observations to illustrate your points.
 6. Staple your essay to your nomination form & biography and return it by **Friday, February 23, 2018.**

Signatures

NOMINATOR

To the best of my knowledge, this student is a high school junior with at least a cumulative 3.0 GPA and has been chosen for two leadership roles by their peers or an adult leader within the past two years in school, religious or community sponsored organizations. I nominate this student to participate in the Youth Salute recognition.

Signature of Nominator _____ Date _____

Name (Printed) _____ Email _____ Phone _____

COUNSELOR (Mandatory)

I have verified that this student has at least a cumulative 3.0 GPA through their sophomore year and is currently a high school junior. (Any student that attains a 3.0 G.P.A. by the end of the fall semester of their junior year may submit a late nomination due by January 31, 2018.)

Signature of Counselor _____ Date _____

Name (Printed) _____ Email _____ Phone _____

PARENT (Mandatory)

The information contained herein is correct. I hereby give consent for all information provided herein and photographs taken of the student in conjunction with the Youth Salute to be used for publicity and display in school, community and web site by Holifield Photography. I hereby release the National Council on Youth Leadership, the Central Kentucky Council on Youth Leadership, Holifield Photography, their employees and volunteers, from any liability resulting from injuries or illness sustained while participating in the Youth Salute program.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

STUDENT (Mandatory)

The information contained herein is correct. I understand that false or misleading information contained in this application may be grounds for exclusion from the Youth Salute program and loss of any scholarships or awards received. I have read the program requirements listed above and agree to participate in all activities of the Youth Salute recognition.

Signature of Nominated Student _____ Date _____

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