

2006 Hometown Heroes Nomination Form

Guidelines:

1. Must reside, volunteer or be employed in Central Maryland (Baltimore City or Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Carroll, Harford or Howard Counties). For more information, call 410.624.2035.
2. If a group is nominated, please provide names of all members. Also provide a point of contact and a representative for the group.
3. The act of heroism or service must have taken place between **January 1, 2005 – December 31, 2005**.
4. **Submit the nomination form by the March 15, 2006. Hometown Heroes Breakfast will be held Monday, June 12, 2006.**
5. Attach a letter explaining why you think the nominee(s) should be chosen to receive a 2006 Hometown Hero Award.
6. Include any supporting materials, police/incident reports, news articles and names of people/organization that benefited from their actions to confirm any information if needed. The details provided assist the selection committee in making a decision.
7. If possible, please include a photo of the individual or group. Photo will be returned if requested.

Nominee Info:

Name		
Address		
City	State	Zip
Phone (Day)	Evening	
Email		

Nominator Info:

Name		
Address		
City	State	Zip
Phone (Day)	Evening	
Email		

- Adult Good Samaritan** – Individual over 21 years of age and is involved in an event that has made a difference in the community by improving the lives of others. They continuously give of themselves and their time unselfishly.
- Animal Rescue** – Provided first aid to or rescued an animal. Individual or group can have provided extraordinary service to animal welfare.
- Blood Services** – Instrumental in coordinating and organizing blood drives.
- Chairman's Award (Hurricane Relief Efforts)** – Award chosen by the Chairman of the committee given to someone or a group who embodies the spirit of humanitarianism through their outstanding service to the community in response to the recent Hurricane Relief Efforts. May have personally volunteered or conducted a Hurricane Relief fundraiser.
- Community Outreach** – Involved in and/or implemented a project that directly benefits the community's social needs.
- Disaster Response/Relief** – Demonstrated courage, compassion and professionalism while responding to local or national disaster.
- Education** – Involved in an educational program that promotes awareness, safety and preparedness. Educator is committed to teaching life skills to youths and the community.
- Emergency Dispatch** – Demonstrated calmness and professionalism while talking a caller through a crisis and proven ability to provide vital assistance during traumatic situations.

- Emergency Medical Service** – Individual or group provided emergency assistance during a life-threatening situation. Displayed bravery and compassion.
- Fire Fighter** – Professional or volunteer fire fighter who has utilized their skills associated with on the job training, such as responding to or educating people to prevent fires.
- Heath and Safety** – Utilized life saving skills such as CPR, first aid or life guarding to a victim in crisis. The individual's fast thinking and knowledge helped someone during a life-threatening situation.
- Healthcare Provider** – Medical professional that commits themselves to saving lives and promoting good health. Nominee may be a doctor, nurse, medical center, hospital or clinic.
- Holocaust Center** – Organization or volunteer who dedicates themselves to provide information about the fate of victims of the holocaust to their loved ones.
- Law Enforcement** – A Police Officer who performed an act of heroism and bravery while protecting the community. Event could have happened while the officer was on or off duty.
- Military** – Individual who resides in or is stationed in Central Maryland serving with the United States Armed Forces. Individual or group provided service to others involved in a rescue or performed an act of kindness or bravery.
- Youth Good Samaritan** – Individual under 21 years of age and is involved in an event that has made a difference in the community by improving the lives of others. They continuously give of themselves and their time unselfishly.

Mail to:

American Red Cross
Attn: Hometown Heroes
4800 Mount Hope Drive
Baltimore, MD 21215

DEADLINE: March 15, 2006

