

OFFICIAL RULES

Alaska Communications' 2026 Summer of Heroes

Alaska Communications' Summer of Heroes 2026 youth nomination program (the "Program") is sponsored by Alaska Communications and the Big Brothers Big Sisters of Alaska, (collectively, the "Sponsors").

Up to six youth will be selected as heroes. A \$2,000 scholarship will be awarded to each of the SELECTED HEROES in the form of an Alaska 529 college savings plan. If a SELECTED HERO declines a scholarship or does not submit required Alaska 529 account information by November 30, 2026, a donation may be made to a community non-profit in lieu of the scholarship, at the Sponsors' direction. The SELECTED HEROES also may be recognized in their local community. Specific location and time of the recognition is depending on the local community schedule.

The SELECTED HEROES will be chosen from among the eligible entries received and will be those who in the sole opinion of the Sponsors best meet the criteria for a hero. Some of the criteria for a hero include; volunteering or raising funds for a cause, making a difference in school through education or sports, making a significant contribution to his or her community, or inspiring others to take action.

Approximate retail value of the prize is \$2,000. All federal, state and local laws and regulations apply; void where prohibited. NO PURCHASE IS NECESSARY; A PURCHASE WILL NOT INCREASE YOUR CHANCES OF WINNING.

ELIGIBILITY: Nominations for the Program are open to individuals between the ages of 6 and 18 at the time of entry, who are legal residents of Alaska. Employees, and immediate family members, of Alaska Communications, and their agents, and their immediate families (defined as parents, children, siblings, niece, nephew, spouse and grandparents), and those living with any employee or family member are only eligible to be nominated for the ONE Employee Program award. However, employees may nominate young heroes, provided those nominated are not related to any employee of Alaska Communications. Enlisted Members of the Big Brothers Big Sisters of Alaska ARE eligible to win, unless related to an Alaska Communications employee in which case they must go through the Employee Program nomination. Previous Summer of Heroes winners are ineligible.

TO ENTER: To enter, submit a completed nomination form electronically through the Alaska Communications [online form](#), e-mail the completed application to SummerofHeroes@alaskacommunications.com, or drop off to Alaska Communications' office at 600 Telephone Ave. in Anchorage. All information provided must be complete, true and correct. Paper submissions to the Program must be received by 5 p.m. Friday, June 12. Online or email submissions to the Program must be received by 11:59 p.m. on June 14, 2026; entries received after that time will be ineligible. All submitted entries, photos and materials become the property of the Sponsors and will not be acknowledged or returned, and may be used in internal or external communications. The Sponsors are not responsible for lost, late, inaccurate, incomplete, damaged, illegible or misdirected entries. By entering, you agree to be bound by these Official Rules.

WINNER SELECTION: Eligible nominations will be reviewed starting on June 15, 2026, under Sponsors' supervision. Potential winners will be notified by e-mail on or before July 31, 2026. Potential winners will be required to sign and return a sworn Waiver of Eligibility and Liability and Publicity Release. Required documentation must be returned within seven business days of notification.

PRIZE AWARDS: Prizes for SELECTED HEROES or community non-profit donation will be awarded before December 31, 2026. No prize substitution or transfer is permitted by the SELECTED HERO,

except that Sponsors reserve the right to substitute a prize or community donation of equal or greater value for any reason. All taxes and any other incidental expenses on prizes are the sole responsibility of the SELECTED HERO.

GENERAL RULES & LIMITATIONS: Entry and acceptance of a prize constitute permission to use each SELECTED HERO's name, prize won, hometown and likeness for print publication, online posting, and any other promotional purposes without further compensation, except where prohibited by law. By participating in the Program, entrants agree to release Sponsors and employees, directors, officers, and agents from any and all liability, claims or actions of any kind whatsoever for injuries, damages or losses to persons and property which may be sustained in connection with the receipt, ownership, possession, use, or misuse of any prize. Sponsors reserve the right to permanently disqualify from the Program any person they believe has intentionally violated these Official Rules. As permitted by law, Sponsors may use information provided by entrants to send announcements about the Sponsor's products and programs via electronic and ordinary mail.

SELECTED HEROES IDENTITY: For the identity of the SELECTED HEROES, visit www.alaskacommunications.com/summerofheroes after July 31, 2026.

