



Summer of Heroes Nomination Prep Sheet

Nominating a youth hero takes about 30 minutes. The questions below can help you prepare your responses before completing the online nomination form.

Nominate your hero at: www.alaskacommunications.com/summerofheroes.

BASIC INFORMATION

Be prepared to provide:

- Name of the youth you are nominating
- Age
- City or community in Alaska
- School or organization they are connected with (if applicable)
- Parent or guardian contact information
- Photo(s) of youth

TELL US ABOUT THE HERO

Use the prompts below to help describe why this young person should be recognized.

1. Describe the unique and positive contribution(s) the person has made within his/her community.

Helpful prompts to guide your answer:

- What problem or need did the youth notice in their community?
- What specific actions did they take to help others?
- Share a specific example or moment that shows their impact

Examples you might describe:

- Who their actions helped (neighbors, classmates, etc.)
- How many people were helped
- What changed because of their actions
- How the community benefited
- How much time or effort they dedicated

2. How do the contribution(s) you mentioned make your nominee a youth hero in your eyes?



Helpful prompts to guide your answer:

- What qualities make this youth stand out from others?
- How did their actions demonstrate leadership, kindness or courage?
- How do they show compassion or put others first?
- What does their example mean to the people around them?

Examples you might describe:

- How they motivate others through their actions
- How they consistently show up to help others
- How they lead by example even without recognition
- Why you believe they represent the spirit of a community hero
- Whether their efforts inspire others to get involved or help

3. How does this hero plan on continuing her/his heroic efforts in Alaska?

Helpful prompts to guide your answer:

- What motivates this youth to keep helping others?
- Are there future projects or goals they want to pursue?

Examples you might describe:

- Their plans to continue community service
- Their interest in leadership or mentoring others
- Their commitment to improving their community long-term

TIPS FOR A STRONG NOMINATION

Short stories and real examples help bring a nomination to life. Sharing a moment when the youth's actions made a difference can help reviewers understand their impact.

READY TO NOMINATE

Submit your nomination at: www.alaskacomunications.com/summerofheroes.

Nominations are open through **June 14**.