



of Central New York

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Celebrating 26 Years in Pursuit of Peace

PEACE ACTION YOUTH AWARD

REFERENCE GUIDELINES

You have been selected by (student's name) _____ as a reference. This student has applied for the \$500 Peace Action Youth Award. This award will be presented in June by Peace Action of Central New York to a high school senior in Onondaga County who has shown a devotion and commitment to peace, justice, and conflict resolution. The student should have engaged in activities—through school, place of worship, or community—that demonstrate his or her passion to work on the underlying causes of war, violence, or injustice.

To recommend this student, please be specific with the following information:

1. Describe how long and in what capacity you have known this student.
2. Explain how this student has worked for peace and justice.
3. Describe this student's talent and commitment to her/his cause and the work she/he has done.
4. Please provide any other information that you think is relevant.

For your information, a copy of the guidelines for the applicant's personal statement is included on the back of this sheet.

Please mail your completed reference form by **FRIDAY, March 21, 2008** to:

The Peace Action Youth Award
c/o Christi Grioux
8227 Eden Lane
Baldwinsville, NY 13207

If you have questions, contact Christi at 657-4529.

Thank you for your time. The award recipient will be announced in May.