

Contributions from volunteers enrich the Fort Rucker community and make activities and resources available that may not otherwise exist. Volunteers nominated must be registered in the Volunteer Management Information System (VMIS) for CY17. Any questions regarding an individual's registration please call 334-255-1429. Deadline for nominations is February 23, 2018. If submitting forms online, you may type your name into the signature block on attachment 7; please ensure you include your contact information.

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## **YOUTH VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR**

### ***ELIGIBILITY:***

1. Nominee must be under the age of 18.
2. Provided continuous, outstanding volunteer service to one or more agencies/organizations throughout the Fort Rucker Community.
3. Service has resulted in measured benefits to Fort Rucker Soldiers, Families, and the community.

### ***NOMINATING PROCEDURE:***

Nominations will be submitted in the attached format to Army Community Service, ATTN: Vernon Johnson, Building 5700, Room 177, Fort Rucker, Alabama 36362. For questions or additional information please contact Mr. Johnson at 334-255-1429.

All nominations should include the award recognition submission form (attachment 7), Justification Write-up (Attachment 8), and a 5 line citation summarizing the volunteer's experience, for the certificate.

### ***DEADLINE: February 23, 2018***

***SELECTION:*** The Volunteer Voting Council will meet to select the winner.

The following questions will assist you in writing the justification for this award.

1. *How many years has the youth been volunteering?*
2. *What makes the accomplishments of this youth volunteer more significant than others?*
3. *What impact has the youth volunteer had on the organization(s) and the community?*
4. *What are the nominee's special skills, qualities and/or leadership ability?*
5. *How does the youth volunteer set a positive example for others?*

Points to include in the nomination narrative (Attachment 8 Volunteer Nomination Justification Write-up) Please use additional sheet if needed.

- Background
- Dependability
- Responsibility
- Ability to plan and organize
- Ability to motivate others
- Ability to communicate
- Creativity