

The WYBA Volunteerism Award

This award from the Warren Youth Basketball Association (WYBA) is open to high school seniors (from any high school) who were involved in community volunteer activity. The submission does not have to be basketball or WYBA oriented but applicants must have participated in the WYBA travel or recreation program for at least one season or have volunteered for WYBA in some way. The focus is volunteerism in the local community. The format is not important; poetry, song, video or essay will be accepted.

We will award two prizes of \$1,000.

Eligibility and Process:

Eligibility Requirements:

- All applicants must have participated in WYBA Travel or WYBA Recreation Basketball, between the 2016/2017 (3rd grade) season and the 2021/2022 season (8th grade) or have volunteered for WYBA
- All applicants must be a senior graduating from high school in 2026.
- All applicants must submit a completed application no later than Tuesday April 21, 2026 – No late submissions will be accepted.
- No family member of any present or past WYBA Board of Directors or the Andersen family is eligible.

- Winners are the most deserving and are chosen by the selection committee.

- Selection of the winner is final, there is no appeals process.

- All entries must be received by Tuesday April 21st, 2026. No late entries will be accepted.

- Any questions prior to submission can be directed to warrenyouthbasketball@gmail.com

Please Submit:

Your Name:

WYBA participation:

High School (WHRHS or any other):

Volunteer Organization(s):

Prompt: Reflect how volunteering for your organization(s) in the local community influenced your development into the young adult you are today. What inspired you to select this (these) organization(s)? What impact did your participation have on the organization(s) that you volunteered for?

Please submit electronically to lgrafer@whrhs.org and warrenyouthbasketball@gmail.com. Again, the format of the entry can be an essay, poetry, video or song.