



Lakes Area Youth Service Bureau

244 North Lake Street
Forest Lake, MN 55025
Phone: 651-464-3685 Fax: 651-464-3687

DATE: January 4, 2010
TO: Friends of LAYSB
FR: Jeanne Walz, Executive Director
RE: Lakes Area Youth Service Bureau Award Information

Each year Lakes Area Youth Service Bureau (LAYSB) recognizes individuals for their outstanding service to youth through the **“On Behalf of Youth Award.”** LAYSB invites you to nominate individuals for this award.

The **“On Behalf of Youth Award”** honors individual community members who provide excellent services or activities for youth. One award will be given to an adult and one will be given to a youth. To be eligible to receive the “On Behalf of Youth Award” the nominee must:

- Live or work in the LAYSB’s primary service area (ISD #831 and all of Chisago County)
- Not be a current member of the LAYSB Staff
- Be a positive role model for youth
- Break down barriers between youth and adults
- Provide enthusiastic leadership to youth above and beyond the call of job duties or on a volunteer basis
- Nominees for the youth award must be in grades 9 – 12
- A connection to LAYSB is preferred but not required

The recipients of the “On Behalf of Youth Award” will be selected by a committee of people made up of LAYSB Board members, Youth Advisory Board Members, past recipients, and community members. **Award recipients will be presented the award in front of friends, family, and peers at a special ceremony on a date to be determined.**

Individuals and organizations (not family members) may nominate candidates for these awards. **Deadline for nominations is Friday, March 12, 2010.** Please fill out the form and send it via e-mail, fax or mail to:

**Attn: 2009 Awards Committee
Lakes Area Youth Service Bureau
244 North Lake Street
Forest Lake, MN 55025
Phone: 651-464-3685 Fax: 651-464-3687**

If you have questions about the “On Behalf of Youth Award” please call Jackie Kottke, Development Assistant or e-mail Jackie.Kottke@ysblakesarea.org. We look forward to receiving your nomination!

Past recipients include: Janet Ames, Mike Brinkman, Cliff Buchan, Bill Burgess, Cina Dean, Mariah Dockstader, Joe Grafft, John F. Hayes Family, Betty Hestekin, Dawn Kichler, Angie Kotrba, Howard Kurtz, Joyce Leslie, Karen Morehead, Susan Novak, Carleen Peterson, Dan Poepard, Kay Pranis, Duane Rasmussen, Wayne Schwalbe, Careth Sorenson, Josh Sternhagen, Charlie Sutton, Doug and Sandy Swenson, Sally Tillemand, Charlie Torrez, Jim Trudeau, Angela Walker and Bea Zaruba.