



1. Who are you nominating?

* First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

* Title Position: _____ at _____

* Work Phone: () _____ Cell Phone: () _____

* E-mail: _____

* Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

2. Please check the category in which you are nominating the individual:

- Rising Star
Youth under 18
- Academic Achievement
Elementary, Middle, High School and College ages) Must have a 3.0 GPA or higher, Proof of Official Transcript
- Outstanding Athlete *(for ages 11 to 24)*
- Perseverance
- Leadership

- Black Pride
- Swagger
- Compassion
- Volunteer
- Entrepreneur
- Transformation
- Unsung Hero

*Nominees should be African American

* In a minimum of 250 and a maximum of 500 words, please summarize the nominee's accomplishments and your reason for nominating this individual.

NOMINATOR - Please read and sign below.

I attest that to the best of my knowledge, all of the information included in my 2018 Juneteenth Awards nomination is accurate and factual. I have also provided all of the information you need to know my nominees history within the community.

Nominated by (Please Print) _____ Phone: () _____

Email: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

PLEASE USE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING BELOW TO SUBMIT YOUR NOMINATION:
 MAIL: Fresno Collaborative Juneteenth Committee
 1802 California Ave., Fresno CA. 93706
 E-MAIL: info@fresnojuneteenth.com • www.FresnoJuneteenth.com
 Deadline Friday, April 27, 2018



THE CRITERIA

Nominate those persons, businesses, youth or organizations who have:

- Shown the true characteristics of each category.
- Demonstrated excellence, creativity and initiative in their organization, business or profession.
- **Assisted others** in reaching their full leadership potential

PROCESS

1. You can nominate for all categories but **one nomination per sheet**. More than one nomination per sheet results in an immediate disqualification.
2. The Juneteenth Subcommittee will initially screen all nominations based on the following:
 - o The nominator **must complete ALL areas of the application**.
 - o Nominee must accept the nomination.
3. Upon acceptance of nomination and completed nominator application, Nominator Application will be forwarded to a Selection Committee, consisting of a diverse group of leaders from the community.
5. Nominator Applications and Nominee Questionnaire deadline is **Friday, April 27, 2018**.

The Juneteenth Committee will select the 2018 award winners in their respective categories and will be announced at the Juneteenth festival.

CATEGORIES

Academic Achievement: Students who have 3.0 GPA or above who strive for academic excellence.

Outstanding Athlete: One who is not only exhibit superior dedication, talent and skill, but also displays exceptional team spirit.

Perseverance: One who has remained focused while showing strength and patience to overcome a difficult situation(s).

Leadership: One who possesses integrity, vision, and dedication and who is exceptional in inspiring and empowering others.

Black Pride: One who expresses the proud heritage of the African American culture through his/her dress, conduct and/or spiritual persona.

Swagger: One who's charismatic style in attitude or dress that exudes individualism and confidence.

Compassion: One who is genuinely kind, helpful, and understanding and is known for many thoughtful deeds.

Volunteer: One who is exceptionally passionate and committed to serving his/her community or cause and devotes many hours of service.

Entrepreneur: A business person who is success driven, creative, and innovative.

Transformation: One who has immensely reformed from life's struggles and now giving back to enrich the community.

Unsung Hero: A community member who consistently and religiously extends himself/herself beyond the call of duty but who goes unrecognized for his/her contributions.