## NORWICH FAMILY YMCA STUDENT VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR AWARD

### **Mission Statement**

The Norwich Family YMCA is a charitable association open to all, dedicated to providing lifelong opportunities for health enhancement and personal growth.

# **Vision Statement**

The Norwich Family YMCA creates opportunities that inspire people to grow, develop and learn through its leadership in building a health and caring community.

### **Eligibility**

The award will be presented at the Annual Dinner. This is an annual award, but may or may not be presented depending on whether there is a suitable candidate.

The recipient of the Student Volunteer of the Year Award will have demonstrated outstanding performance by a student over the last year through their display of characteristics that are reflective of the YMCA's mission statement. Their volunteer contributions may be reflective of volunteering within the YMCA building or in special events.

### Award Criteria

- > Outstanding performance that is reflective of the YMCA values and mission statement.
- Understands and appreciates the importance and value of volunteers within our organization.
- Reflects the YMCA core values of Respect, Responsibility, Honesty, Health, Caring, and Inclusiveness.
- Volunteers in organizational events.
- > Encourages and recruits others to volunteer.
- > Is a team player and works together to create a better environment for everyone.
- > Displays a genuine commitment to our programs and organizations.
- > Must demonstrate a friendly, warm and welcoming attitude.
- Supports the Norwich Family YMCA in all programs and developments.
- Must be a positive role model.
- > Outstanding contribution in the area of volunteerism.

#### **Selection Process**

The Department Directors will select the recipient of the Annual Student Volunteer of the Year Award(s), with the approval of the Executive Director.