

What is the Dennis Pelletier Youth Hall of Fame?

The Dennis Pelletier Youth Hall of Fame is an annual award that honors outstanding 11th and 12th grade students with special consideration for those who have overcome a life challenge or personal tragedy enroute to achieving success. The program is a partnership of the Spencerport Area Chamber of Commerce and the Spencerport Federal Credit Union, corporate sponsor.

Who may be nominated?

The Hall of Fame recognizes 11th and/or 12th grade high school students who have overcome a life challenge or personal tragedy, demonstrated leadership and community spirit through volunteer contributions, or exceptional personal achievement or employment. Students must reside in the towns of Ogden, South Parma (zip code of 14559) or be a student in the Spencerport Central School District.

What are the criteria?

A candidate must be a high school student in grade 11 or 12 and reside in the towns of Ogden, South Parma (zip code of 14559) or be a student in the Spencerport Central School District. **One or more** of the following qualities are desirable in Hall of Fame candidates:

- Has coped with a life challenge — physical, social or mental
- Has overcome personal tragedy
- Is an exceptional volunteer
- Is one who has given service to the community or other peers
- Is a successful student
- Is an outstanding employee

**Spencerport Area Chamber of Commerce
DENNIS PELLETIER YOUTH HALL OF FAME
NOMINATION FORM**

(Please print or type)

Candidate's name _____ School _____ Grade 11 or 12
(circle one)
 Home address _____ Zip _____ Phone _____
 Parent/Guardian's name _____
 Parent/Guardian's email address _____

Nominated by _____
 Nominator's email address _____
 Home address _____ Zip _____ Phone _____
 Relationship to nominee _____

Summary of candidate's achievements: (Please attach additional sheets, typed or printed, to nomination form if necessary.)

Please include specific examples and duration of leadership, personal challenges overcome, community service or employment. The committee will keep personal information confidential. Only general achievements will be disclosed for publicity with advance approval of the candidate and his/her parent or guardian.

Please provide **two references** who may be contacted regarding the nominee.

Name _____ Name _____
 Address _____ Address _____
 Day phone _____ Day phone _____
 Relationship _____ Relationship _____

Please return completed forms by **Monday, February 27, 2023** to:

**Kristin Swann Co-Chairperson
Spencerport Central School District
71 Lyell Ave., Spencerport NY 14559**

or email forms to Kristin Swann at kswann@spencerportschools.org

How are youth selected?

A committee comprised of representatives of the Chamber of Commerce reviews nominations and makes a selection based on the award criteria.

When are nominations due?

Nominations are to be submitted to Kristin Swann (see nomination form for details) by Monday, February 27, 2023. Nominations will be confirmed in writing within two weeks of receipt. If you do not receive confirmation, please call (585) 349-5101.

Who may nominate candidates?

Parents, guardians and family members
Spencerport area businesses
Community youth agencies
High school teachers, counselors and administrators
Service organizations
Residents of Towns of Ogden and Parma

When is the award presentation?

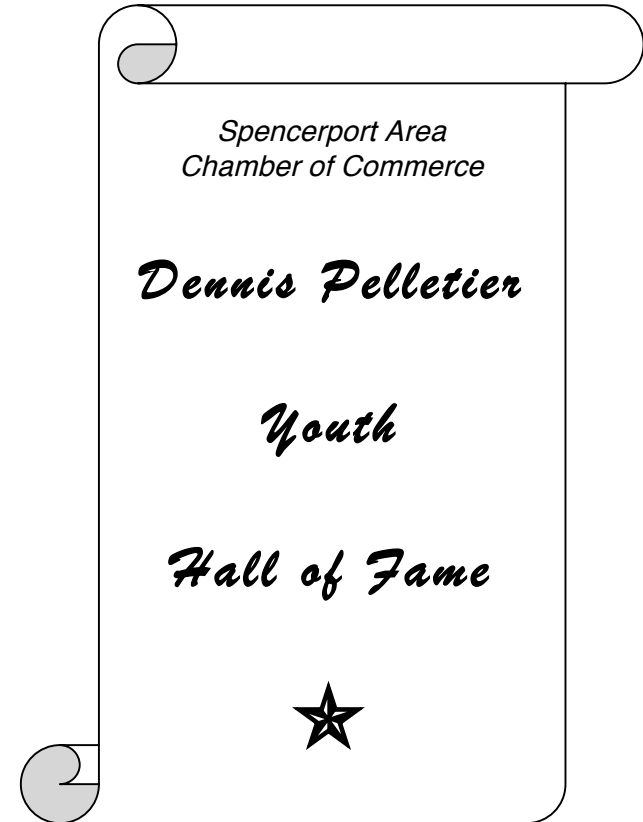
Hall of Fame recipients will be honored at a ceremony at the Ogden Town Offices on May 10, 2023 at 5:30 PM. Recipients' photos will be displayed for one year.

Who to call for additional information?

For further information, contact Kristin Swann, Co-chairperson, of the Dennis Pelletier YHOF, at 585-349-5101.

Dennis Pelletier YHOF Chairpersons

Nancy Bodhorn - **Spencerport FCU Retiree**
Kristin Swann - Spencerport Schools
Robert Colby - Monroe County Legislature



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