



Family, Career and Community Leaders of America, Inc.®  
National STAR Events Volunteer Award  
2017 National Award Guidelines



Family, Career and Community Leaders of America, Inc. (FCCLA) recognizes STAR Events volunteers who exemplify a commitment to the continued success of STAR Events and the organization.

The mission of Family, Career and Community Leaders of America is to promote personal growth and leadership development through family and consumer sciences education. Focusing on the multiple roles of family member, wage earner, and community leader, members develop skills for life through: character development, creative and critical thinking, interpersonal communication, practical knowledge, and career preparation.

The philosophy of STAR Events is—

- to encourage and recognize active student participation and youth accomplishments.
- to develop members' knowledge, skills, and experience in various areas of leadership and career preparation through Family and Consumer Sciences education.
- to provide a positive and constructive format for teamwork and competition.
- to evaluate participants against a set of standard criteria rather than against another individual.
- to give members a safe environment to learn about responsibility by being involved in planning, conducting and evaluating the various levels of competition.
- to encourage respect and interaction between youth and adults to be fostered by establishing teams of adult and youth evaluators and event managers.
- to connect FCCLA and its membership to groups outside the traditional classroom environment.
- to promote the organization's belief that all people are winners.

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#### **DEADLINE:**

All nominations are due to FCCLA NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS postmarked by April 1, 2017.

#### **Criteria:**

Nominees will be recognized for their service to Family, Career and Community Leaders of America, Inc., in one or more of the areas listed below. National FCCLA will award two awards – one FCCLA Volunteer and one Business & Industry Volunteer. An evaluation committee will be comprised of the Competitive Events Advisory Team (CEAT). Evaluation will be based on the following:

- STAR Events involvement and leadership roles assumed at the local, state, and national levels. (40 points)
- Resources developed to help teachers and prospective teachers make STAR Events an integral part of Family and Consumer Sciences education (e.g. workshops, lesson plans, etc.). (25 points)
- Impact of volunteer activities on FCCLA and STAR Events overall. (25 points)
- Reflection of the FCCLA mission and philosophy of STAR Events in personal life. (10 points)

#### **Official Rules:**

- Nominations may be submitted by: any FCCLA state association, current National Executive Council, current National Board of Directors, national headquarters staff, an affiliated FCCLA chapter, or National Alumni & Associates member.
- Nominees may be individuals or organizations which classify as one or more of the following: local advisers or administrators, state advisers or staff, Family and Consumer Sciences teacher educators, business and industry partners, or members of related groups.
- Nominations must be typed.
- A winner will be selected based on CEAT's evaluation of the given criteria. CEAT's decisions are final.
- The nominee (in each award category) receiving the highest score will receive national recognition.
- For award consideration, nominations must be postmarked by April 1, 2017 and sent to FCCLA national headquarters.
- The winner will be recognized at the 2017 National Leadership Conference in Nashville, TN and asked to submit a photo.



2017 National STAR Events Volunteer Award Nomination



**Nominee's Contact Information:**

Name:

Address: City: State: Zip:

Phone: Email Address:

Current Position/Title:

Select One:  FCCLA Volunteer Nominee  Business & Industry Volunteer Nominee

Has the nominee been made aware of this national award nomination?  Yes  No

Will the nominee or an organizational representative be able to attend the 2017 National Leadership Conference in Nashville, TN?  Yes  No

**Nominator's Contact Information:**

Name:

Address: City: State: Zip:

Phone: Email Address:

Please Check One:  FCCLA State Association  Current National Executive Council  
 Current National Board of Directors  National Headquarters Staff  
 Affiliated FCCLA Chapter  National Alumni & Associates Member

**Please attach a one-page document answering each of the following areas:**

- A. STAR Events involvement and leadership roles assumed. (40 points)
  - Local (5 points) –
  - State (10 points) –
  - National (25 points) –
- B. Resources developed to help teachers and prospective teachers make STAR Events an integral part of Family and Consumer Sciences education (e.g. workshops/trainings, lesson plans, etc.). (25 points)
- C. Impact of volunteer activities on FCCLA and STAR Events overall. (25 points)
- D. Reflection of the FCCLA mission and philosophy of STAR Events in personal life. (10 points)

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Attn: STAR Events Volunteer Award

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