

# 14TH ANNUAL CLAIRE FRIEDLANDER UPSTANDER AWARDS

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# \$5,000 Awards for Middle and High School Students on Long Island



HMTC defines an upstander as a person who stands up for others and does not allow bigotry, hatred, or intolerance to happen without intercession. Every year HMTC honors middle and high school students from across Long Island who have demonstrated the actions of an **Upstander**.

## Teachers/Counselors, etc.

Must write a nomination letter about what makes your student an upstander and the reason why they should be honored with this prestigious award.

## Students

Must write at least a 500-word essay on what makes him/her/them an upstander using the essay prompt: "I have demonstrated the actions of an upstander by..." To be eligible to win, students must agree to speak briefly at the awards event about their upstander actions and/or efforts. The essay becomes the property of HMTC and can be used in the media (student name can remain anonymous). At the top of the essay, please include your name, email address, school, and grade.

## Submit Essay and Nomination Letter to edu@holocaust-nassau.org

For additional questions, contact Zachary Graulich at 516.571.8040

#### Dates to Remember

| April 15, 2024 | APPLICATION DEADLINE for (a) Application Form, (b) Essay, |
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|                | and (c) Nomination Letter                                 |

- May 8, 2024 Winners Notified and posted on HMTC website
- May 20, 2024 Upstander Awards Event
- June 2, 2024 Upstander Conference/Luncheon for all Applicants; including certificate presentations



### 14TH ANNUAL CLAIRE FRIEDLANDER UPSTANDER AWARDS APPLICATION FORM

#### STUDENT INFORMATION

| Full Name                            |                  | Mobile                  |             |                 |  |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------------|-------------|-----------------|--|
| School                               |                  | Grade                   |             |                 |  |
| Home<br>Address                      |                  |                         |             |                 |  |
| City/St/Zip                          |                  | Email                   |             |                 |  |
| How did you hear<br>about the Claire | Advertisement    | Facebook                | 🗋 Instagram | HMTC Newsletter |  |
| Friedlander Award?                   | Family or Friend | Other                   |             |                 |  |
| TEACHER/COUNSELOR, ETC. INFORMATION  |                  |                         |             |                 |  |
| Full Name                            |                  | ] Mobile (              |             |                 |  |
| School                               |                  | Work Phone (            |             |                 |  |
| District                             |                  | ] Email (               |             |                 |  |
| School Address                       |                  |                         |             |                 |  |
| City/St/Zip                          |                  |                         |             |                 |  |
| Signature                            |                  | Relationship to Nominee |             |                 |  |

#### STUDENT RELEASE FORM AND SIGNATURES

I hereby transfer all copyrights in the Application to the Holocaust Memorial and Tolerance Center of Nassau County, Inc. I understand that the Center may publish and/or exhibit the Application and include it in brochures and other media.

I understand that winners will be *expected to participate* in any publicity related to HMTC and the Friedlander Upstander Award, including but not limited to: photographs, films, and interviews that may appear on websites, social media, and in print media. Winners may also be asked to participate in our conference.

| Name (printed)              |  |
|-----------------------------|--|
| Student Signature (         |  |
| Parent/Guardian Signature ( |  |
| Date of Application (       |  |

Attach your Essay and Nomination Letter to this Application Form.

Send it by email to edu@holocaust-nassau.org

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