

National Youth of the Year

Do you know a young member who exemplifies youth leadership and service? Someone who stands out as a role model for others? FCSLA Life has a long history of encouraging and supporting the youth and we continue the tradition of youth engagement with the National Youth of the Year award. This is your opportunity to nominate that outstanding young person. Our young members are the future of FCSLA Life!

Guidelines

- Any FCSLA Life member may submit a nominee for this award.
- Nominee must be an FCSLA Life member for at least three years.
- Nominee must be between 12-22 years old. (received date will determine the age)
- Family members of Home Office staff and National Officers are eligible to be nominated.
- Previous awardees are not eligible.
- Service projects and volunteerism included on nomination form can only be from 2021-2025.
- A headshot photo of the nominee must be included with nomination.
- Nominations must be received at Home Office by October 13th, 2025.
- Decisions are final.
- The winner will receive \$250 and be featured in *Fraternally Yours*, our website, and social media!

National Fraternalist of the Year

The National Fraternalist of the Year award is an honor presented to an individual in our association who, through example and accomplishment, has provided outstanding volunteer service to their branch, church, and community

Guidelines

- Any FCSLA Life member may submit a nominee for this award.
- Nominee must be an FCSLA Life member for at least three years.
- Nominee must be at least 23 years old (received date will determine age)
- Previous winners, Home Office staff, and National Officers are not eligible to be nominated.
- A headshot photo of the nominee must be included with the nomination.
- Decisions are final.
- Nominations must be received by October 13th, 2025.
- The winner will receive \$250 and be featured in *Fraternally Yours*, our website, and social media!



Nomination forms can be found at www.fcsla.com or by contacting the Fraternal Department at (800) 464-4642 x1025 or fraternal@fcsla.com



Return nomination and headshot by 10/13/2025 to:

FCSLA Life FOTY Award

24950 Chagrin Blvd.

Beachwood, OH 44122

or fraternal@fcsla.com

2025 National Fraternalist of the Year Nomination Form

PLEASE PRINT

NOMINEE:

Nominee's Name

Branch #

Home Address

Phone #

E-Mail address

Occupation

Employer

NOMINATOR:

Name of Nominator:

Branch #

Phone #

E-Mail address

Signature of Nominator

Please provide your responses to the questions below on a separate piece of paper/s. *Please print or type.*

1. **Society Leadership:** Describe your nominee's involvement in the **past five (5) years** in FCSLA's local branch and district governance and activities. This would include service as a branch or district officer, committee member for any FCSLA branch meetings, activities, dinners, Matching Funds projects, Join Hands Day events, etc.
2. **Service to Others:** Describe how your nominee has provided significant volunteer service in the **past five (5) years** to his/her community or participated in outreach programs and environmental activities on a local, state, or national level. This would include participation in church groups, mentoring programs, school or community activities, disaster relief efforts, community or service groups, etc.
3. **Innovative Leadership:** Describe how this nominee has been a leader or an innovator during the **past five (5) years**. This would include engaging in a cross-generational event or activity, updating an old annual activity to make it more relevant, seeing a need and creating a program to address it, etc.
4. **Personal Thoughts:** Describe why you feel the nominee is deserving of this award.