

EAST GREENBUSH CENTRAL SCHOOLS' EDUCATION FOUNDATION
ACCEPTING SIXTEENTH ANNUAL "COLUMBIA H.S. HALL OF FAME" NOMINEES

Nominations are presently being accepted for the E.G.C.S. Education Foundation's *Columbia High School Alumni Hall of Fame*, which is now in its sixteenth year. The Hall of Fame was established to recognize and reinforce the efforts of Columbia High School graduates as well as make them role models for current students.

Candidates are selected annually by a committee comprised of the District's administrators, teachers, community members, and representatives of the Foundation's Board. To qualify, the nominee must be a Columbia High School graduate and have 1. demonstrated achievement in their profession, or 2. demonstrated achievement in an area in which they take an active interest; or 3. have shown outstanding service to a specific community (it may be outside the East Greenbush School District); or 4. or have contributed to humanity in some special way. (Please identify area of accomplishment that produces the nomination)

Those chosen will receive individual awards, and be inducted into the Hall of Fame at the Education Foundation's Annual Spring *Gala*. This year's Gala is the Foundation's 24th *Gala*, and will be held on **Friday, March 19, 2010** at the Desmond. Names of Inductees will also be engraved on a permanent plaque, prominently displayed at Columbia High School.

COLUMBIA HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI HALL OF FAME
NOMINATION COVER SHEET

I nominate the following individual to the *Columbia High School Alumni Hall of Fame*:

Name of Nominator: _____ Street Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____ Phone Home: _____ Day: _____
EMAIL: _____

Name of Nominee: _____ Street Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____ Phone Home: _____ Day: _____
EMAIL: _____ Year of Graduation from Columbia High School: _____

Please circle one or more area(s) of Accomplishment:

1. Professional Achievement. 2. Special Interest Achievement. 3. Outstanding Service. 4. Contribution to Humanity

Please prepare a written document that contains information related to the following areas:

- I. Nominee's Educational Background: including any honors, awards, or special recognition.
- II. Nominee's Professional/Vocational Experience.
- III. Nominee's Honors/Awards/Special Recognition: including information associated with professional, vocational, or any other activity.
- IV. Community Service: including memberships in organizations.

In addition, please submit:

- 1. A brief essay, describing the reason(s) your nominee deserves to be included in the Columbia High School Alumni Hall of Fame.
- 2. Supporting documentation (articles, clippings, photos, press releases, letters of recommendation, etc.) is **essential**.

Please return this form, along with the required information pertaining to your nominee, no later than **Wednesday, January 20, 2010** to: Alumni Hall of Fame, East Greenbush Central School District, Administration Center, Route 4, East Greenbush, NY 12061.

For additional information, please contact Foundation President, Susan Garrigan-Piela, at 276-2016, email: Garrigan-Pielax@msn.com or Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Angela Gupitill at 477-2755 Ext.131.