

Indiana University Neal-Marshall Black Culture Center
2010 Juneteenth Freedom Celebration
Unsung Heroes Recognition

The Bloomington/Monroe County Community is enriched with a number of individuals who give quietly and unselfishly of their time, talent and resources for the benefit of others. These people go out of their way to assist, teach and support without looking for recognition. During the *2010 Juneteenth Freedom Celebration*, we will honor these *Unsung Heroes*. The top four recipients of the *Unsung Hero Award* will be honored with a monetary donation to a charitable organization of their choice. Nomination forms must be submitted no later than 5:00pm on Friday, June 11th. A panel of advisors will review the nominations and select one recipient from each of the following categories. Those names will be announced at the *Juneteenth Freedom Celebration* on June 19th at Indiana University Neal-Marshall Black Culture Center.

Award Categories:

- **High School Student:** *Enrolled in Monroe County high school in May, 2010*
- **Young Adult:** *Ages 18-30, not enrolled in area high school in May, 2010*
- **Adult:** *Ages 31-59*
- **Older Adult:** *Ages 60 +*

The Recommendation:

Please explain in detail how the nominee's contributions have been beneficial to the Bloomington/Monroe County residents in the past two years. You may attach the recommendation separately. Please provide a narrative statement, supporting your nomination in no more than two pages double-spaced and typed with the following criteria:

- Areas in which the Nominee has assisted taught and supported individuals or groups in Bloomington/Monroe County;
- Perseverance despite barriers (economic, social, physical, political);
- Tangible, meaningful results from the nominee's activity;
- Areas in which the Nominee has excelled;
- How the Nominee has demonstrated service worthy of recognition.

**Additional sheets of supporting documentation, not to exceed 5 pages, may be provided*

Past Recipients:

2009 Recipients

Coach Joe Boddie
T. Michael Ford
Anthony R. Scott
Debra L. Vance

2008 Recipients

Diane Hanks
Mahogany Hanks
Robert Motley
I. James Torry

Unsung Heroes Award - Nomination Form

NOMINEE

Last Name		First		M.I.	
Street Address				Apt. / Unit #	
City		State		Zip	
Daytime Phone		Email			
Evening Phone		Age			
Award Category	High School Student _____ Young Adult _____ Adult _____ Older Adult _____				

NOMINATOR

Last Name		First		M.I.	
Street Address				Apt. / Unit #	
City		State		Zip	
Daytime Phone		Email			
Evening Phone					

THE RECOMMENDATION

Guidelines on preparing the recommendation for your *Unsung Heroes Award* nomination are on Page 1. The recommendation should not exceed two pages, double-spaced, and can be attached to this Nomination Form. *In addition, up to 5 pages of supporting documentation may be provided.*

**PLEASE MAIL, EMAIL OR FAX NOMINATION FORM AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS
BY 5:00 P.M. ON FRIDAY, JUNE 11, 2010 TO:**

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Nominations received after 5:00 pm on Friday, June 11, 2010 will not be considered.