



## **Kindness Circle Awards Nomination Guidelines and Eligibility**

As of March 2026

1. Submissions must be received by the Kindness Circle Community Gala Committee by Thursday May 28, 2026, 11:59pm.
2. Submissions are to be completed and submitted via the following Google Form:  
<https://forms.gle/CaEVGyatfLQjibq7>
- ★ **IMPORTANT SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS:** To ensure a fair and efficient review process, incomplete nominations will not be considered. Please ensure that:
  - i. All required questions are fully answered, and
  - ii. A clear, high-quality profile photo of the nominee is uploaded.
3. A Nominator may submit multiple nominations, as long as each nomination is for a different Nominee.
4. A Nominee can be nominated in more than one category.
  - a. A separate nomination must be completed and submitted for the same Nominee in different categories.
  - b. Review The [Kindness Circle Community Awards Description](#) for an overview of each category.
5. Nominators may be contacted, once they've made their submission, to provide additional details about their nomination. By submitting a nomination and contact information, Nominators agree to be contacted by a Member(s) of The Kindness Circle Community Nomination Committee, and agree to potentially have their name and photo publicly acknowledged.
6. Nominees may be contacted, post submission by Nominator, to provide additional details about their nomination. Nominees agree to be contacted by a Member(s) of The Kindness Circle Community Nomination Committee, and agree to potentially have their name and picture publicly acknowledged. Should a Nominee not want to be contacted and / or share their name publicly, they will not be eligible to participate and win a Kindness Circle Community Award.
7. All Nominees will be contacted by email or a phone call by a member of The Kindness Circle Community Nomination Committee to let them know they have been nominated.
  - a. The Nominee will be asked to acknowledge their nomination and provide consent.
8. The top 3 Nominees in each category will be chosen using a Kindness Circle Community Scoring System.
9. The chosen top 3 Nominees in each category must purchase a ticket and attend the Kindness Circle Community Gala on Friday, October 16, 2026
  - a. The Top 3 Nominees in each category must purchase a ticket to The Kindness Circle Community Gala on Friday, October 16, 2026. Tickets must be purchased by August 1, 2026 .
  - b. If a Top 3 Nominee is unable to attend, their nomination is forfeited and will not be eligible to win.
10. Pricing for the Top 3 Young Changemaker Gala tickets (ages 13 to 19): \$120 each.
11. The Winner in each Kindness Circle Community Category will be announced at The Kindness Circle Gala on Friday, October 16, 2026.