Taiwanese Youth Arts Foundation, Inc.
2022 Outstanding Taiwanese American Youth Award
Greater Washington D.C. and Baltimore Metropolitan Area

Purpose
To encourage youth in the Taiwanese American Community to strive for outstanding achievements in Taiwanese Community activities, leadership, arts, literature, academics, and athletics.

Award
The 2022 Taiwanese Youth Arts Foundation (TYAF) Outstanding Taiwanese American Youth Award

Application Requirements
1. Applicants must currently be enrolled in high school in 10th through 12th grade for the 2022-2023 academic school year in the Greater Washington D.C. and Baltimore Metropolitan area.
2. A completed application form.
4. A resume of achievements, extracurricular activities, scholarships, honors, awards, and participation in community affairs.
5. An essay describing your experiences, personal interaction, participation, and service to the Taiwanese American Community. Essays are limited to 2 pages, single spaced, with one-inch margins.

Award Selection
Award winners will be based on the following criteria.
1. Participation in education and leadership in activities sponsored by the Taiwanese American Community. (30%)
2. Extracurricular activities, including service, performing arts, athletic, etc. (20%)
3. Academic achievement (20%)
4. Leadership (15%)
5. Essay (15%)

The winner(s) will be announced by TYAF after December 31, 2022. Winners will receive a plaque commemorating the award and a cash prize of $400.

Award Winners Requirements
1. Publication of their winning essay in the 2023 Taiwanese American Association Lunar New Year Celebration Program and the TYAF website.
2. Recognition of the awardees’ achievements in a formal setting during the 2023 Taiwanese American Association Lunar New Year Celebration on January 7th, 2023.
3. A 3 to 5-minute presentation or performance related to Taiwanese culture at the 2023 Taiwanese American Association Lunar New Year Celebration on January 7th, 2023.

Application Deadline: Applications must be post-marked by December 1, 2022.

Send all application materials to:
Outstanding Youth Awards Committee
Taiwanese Youth Arts Foundation
12908 Prairie Knoll Court
Germantown, MD 20874

Application forms are available online at http://tyafdc.org
Contact: Kevin Huang (410) 591-4969 for any questions.
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APPLICATION FORM

Name (English): _________________________________________________________________________

(Last) (First) (Middle)

Name (Mandarin or Taiwanese): _________________________________________________________________________

Home Address: __________________________________________________________________________________________

Main Telephone: _____________________________ E-mail: __________________________________________________

Date of Birth: _______________________________ Place of Birth: ____________________________________________

School: ______________________________________________________________________________________________

Grade: ____________ (You must be in grade 10-12 in the school year of 2022-2023)

Certification: The statements on this form as well as any included attachments were prepared by me and are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Applicant: ______________________________________________ Date: _____________________________

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