Yolo Youth Service Awards Announcement

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Yolo Community Foundation (YCF), an affiliate of Sacramento Region Community Foundation (SRCF), announces that guidelines and applications for the 2017 Yolo Youth Service Awards (YoYoSA) scholarships are now available online on the SCRF website at https://sacregcf.academicworks.com/opportunities/635

Yolo Community Foundation website [www.yolocf.org](http://www.yolocf.org) also has information and guidelines regarding the YoYoSA application process. It is important to emphasize that student’s applications **must be completed** through SRCF’s scholarship portal and submitted online. The sponsoring nonprofit organization sends its application to YCF’s YoYoSA email address.

**Applications from both the student and nonprofit organization are due March 1, 2017. YoYoSA awardees will be recognized at a reception hosted by Yolo Community Foundation on April 20, 2017.**

The YoYoSA program is designed to promote and reward **Yolo County high school seniors** volunteering with **local** **nonprofit organizations** and encourages Yolo County nonprofits to engage with youth volunteers. YCF seeks applications from Yolo County residents who are high school seniors and have volunteered with a recognized Yolo County nonprofit at least 60 hours during their junior and/or senior years of high school. YoYoSA student awardees will receive a $1000 scholarship to support post-high school education, which may include college, vocational, or technical school. A $500 grant will be awarded to the nonprofit agency sponsoring each YoYoSA student scholarship winner. The student and his/her sponsoring nonprofit agency supervisor must complete separate YoYoSA applications.

YCF strives to boost local philanthropy by serving donors, nonprofits, and youth in the Yolo County area, and is proud to recognize tomorrow’s leaders in local philanthropy through the YoYoSA program. To learn more about YCF and YoYoSA Awards, visit the YCF website at [www.yolocf.org](http://www.yolocf.org/), send an email to yoyosa@yolocf.org, or call 530-312-0593.