

**Chester County Women's Commission**  
*Enhancing opportunities for Chester County Women*

**2016 CCWC EMPOWERED YOUNG WOMAN AWARD**

*Recognizing young women (ages 16 to 21) who are inspirational role models for girls in Chester County.*

**The award includes a \$500 grant of financial support.**

**Do you know someone like this?**

Nominees must be current residents of Chester County. Selection for the award will be based on one or more of the following criteria:

- A young woman who has been a good student and a leader in her school and inspires others as a role model, while providing active service in her community.
- A young woman who has used social services available in Chester County to overcome difficulties and/or adversities and is striving to achieve her potential.
- A young woman who has been a leader of a successful project that benefits her community.

This list gives some indication of the characteristics we are seeking in the nominees, and is not inclusive. The nominee need not fit in all the categories.

Help her get the recognition she deserves by nominating her for the 2016 **CCWC Empowered Young Woman Award**.

***Nominations include the following:***

- **Required:** Completed nomination form.
- **Required:** Completed recommendation form.
- **Optional:** Additional recommendations.
- **Optional:** News articles and other documentation to support the nomination. Limit: three items.

**Nominations must be postmarked by March 1, 2016:**

By e-mail: [ccwcaward@gmail.com](mailto:ccwcaward@gmail.com)

By U.S. Mail: CCWC, P.O. Box 761, West Chester, PA 19381

***Note: Incomplete nominations will delay the selection process and may disqualify the nominee. Please ensure all required materials and any optional materials are delivered by deadline.***

Nomination materials are also available at <http://www.ccwomenscommission.org>, where you can also learn about past award recipients.

***Awardees must be present at the 2016 CCWC Empowerment Award Ceremony to receive the award.***

**CCWC Empowerment Award Ceremony**  
April 11, 2016  
6:00 p.m. – 8 p.m.  
West Chester University Alumni and Foundation Center  
202 Carter Drive ~ West Chester

**MISSION OF THE CHESTER COUNTY WOMEN'S COMMISSION**

*The mission of the Chester County Women's Commission is to identify and advance the diverse needs and interests of the women of Chester County, empower them to reach their potential personally and professionally, and to act as an advocate to the county Board of Commissioners.*