



**American
Red Cross**

Bucks County Heroes 2020

June 19, 2020 | 8:00 a.m.

Parx Casino East

A Celebration of Heroes

Nomination Form

Throughout the Bucks County community, everyday people perform extraordinary lifesaving acts. The American Red Cross needs your help to identify and recognize our local heroes for their selflessness and courage.

The Bucks County Heroes Breakfast will honor the prior year's local heroes for using their First Aid, CPR, AED training and/or other actions to save lives or make Bucks County a better place to live and work.

Your Bucks County nominee may be a friend or family member, a neighbor, a firefighter, a member of the military or a police officer.

Proceeds from the breakfast will benefit the programs and services of the American Red Cross.

Nomination Award Categories

- Good Samaritan
- First Responders
- Give Life
- Community Partner

Nomination Category Descriptions

Good Samaritan: Presented to an outstanding adult or young person who displayed courage and caring upon encountering an unusual, significant, or unexpected incident. This incident may include providing assistance to humans or animals. Nominations involving animals may be presented to a citizen saving the life of an animal OR presented to an animal saving a life of a human.

First Responders: Presented to a medical, law enforcement, 911 or other dispatcher, EMT or paramedic, military (active, retired or reserve or ROTC) or firefighter—professional or volunteer whose lifesaving action goes above and beyond the call of duty.

Give Life: Presented to an individual whose commitment to blood and platelet donation played a significant role in ensuring the health of patients in our communities and throughout the country.

Community Partner: Presented to a community group, neighborhood organization or local company that consistently demonstrates a commitment to making a difference in the community.



Note: there may be multiple or no honorees in each category.



Nominee

First Name _____
Last Name _____
Street Address _____
City/State/Zip _____
Phone _____ Email _____

Nominator

First Name _____
Last Name _____
Street Address _____
City/State/Zip _____
Phone _____ Email _____

Nomination Statement

Please include a thorough explanation of why you are nominating the candidate for the Heroes Award. Please include any names and other contact information of witnesses we may call to verify the event. Supporting material may include: news articles, police reports, testimonials from witnesses, etc.

Nomination Guidelines

The heroic action must have taken place between 1/1/2019-12/31/2019. Nominee(s) must have saved (or assisted in saving) a life by intervening in a life-threatening situation and/or given a victim aid they needed to survive. Nominee cannot have caused or contributed to the incident itself. The nominee can be a professionally trained life saver or simply a Good Samaritan. The nominee must live or work in Bucks County, although the heroic action may have occurred outside Bucks County.

Deadline for nominations is March 15, 2020. You can also submit your nomination online via redcross.org/BucksCountyHeroes

Submit your nomination form and supporting documents:

American Red Cross
Bucks County Heroes Breakfast
3939 Broadway
Allentown, PA 18104
Email: peter.brown@redcross.org

For questions, please call Peter Brown, Executive Director at 610-865-4400.



DO YOU KNOW A HERO?

On Friday, June 19, 2020, American Red Cross Eastern Pennsylvania will honor the Real Heroes of Bucks County at a breakfast to be held at Parx Casino East in Bensalem. These are individuals who truly exhibit the spirit of humanitarianism by showing courage, kindness and unselfish character through their acts of heroism in our community within the 2019 calendar year.

We need the community's help in identifying and recognizing our local heroes. It's not too soon to think about a possible nominee. We accept nominations all year long! Your Hero nominee may be a friend or family member, a neighbor, a stranger or co-worker. The nominee can be a professionally-trained lifesaver or simply a Good Samaritan.

There are several categories for nominations including:

- First Responders (Medical, Law Enforcement, Firefighter, Military, Dispatcher, EMT/Paramedic)
- Give Life
- Good Samaritan
- Community Partner

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A nomination form is enclosed for your use. If you have any questions, please reach out to Peter Brown via email peter.brown@redcross.org

All nomination forms should be sent or emailed to:

American Red Cross Lehigh Valley-Bucks
3939 Broadway
Allentown, PA 18104
ATTN: Peter Brown, Executive Director

We know YOU know the Heroes of Bucks County....please nominate a HERO today!

