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Youth Groups Are Eligible to Win \$500 in Youth Awards Contest

Youth groups in Luzerne County that have carried out projects to benefit their township in the last year are invited to enter the Youth Awards Contest of the Pennsylvania State Association of Township Supervisors (PSATS). Four winning groups will each receive a \$500 cash award and a framed certificate during PSATS' Annual Educational Conference April 23-26, 2023, in Hershey.

The award program is open to Boy and Girl Scout troops, 4-H clubs, church and school groups, and civic service club youth organizations. **To be eligible, all projects must involve youth in planning and implementation and must have a major impact on one or more townships of the second class (governed by a board of supervisors).** Eligible projects must have been undertaken during the 2022 calendar year. Multi-year, ongoing projects are also eligible as long as part of the project occurred during the contest year.

Eligible projects include such activities as community beautification, safety, recreation, voter registration, conservation, and direct services to residents of the community such as the elderly, children, the underprivileged, the disabled, and hospitalized patients.

All contest entries must be submitted to the group's county association of township officials by **January 15, 2023**. The county association will verify and submit the entry to PSATS. PSATS representatives will judge the entries in February.

Guidelines and entry forms are available online at **psats.org** (*choose the Programs & Services tab and then PSATS Award Programs and PSATS Youth Awards*).

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