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SPONSORSHIP FORM

High School Graduate Awards Program

The Union of Jamaican Alumni Associations (USA) Inc. (UJAA) has hosted an annual High School Graduate Awards every year since its formation 33 years ago. This event recognizes high school graduates of Jamaican heritage as they graduate high school and matriculate to colleges and universities in the United States. Another aspect of this award is an essay competition through which students are encouraged to write an essay on a topical subject that is selected by UJAA. The winner of the essay competition is announced during the Awards Ceremony. A special prize of an all-expense paid trip to Jamaica is presented to the essay competition winner and his/her chaperone.

Each awardee is presented with a certificate of recognition from UJAA, and depending on accomplishments, may also receive recognition from businesses or individuals.

The UJAA Members Associations, Individuals and Organizations are encouraged to join this celebration by donating towards individual awards. Contributions satisfy an important community donation required of 501 (c)3 organizations. UJAA Members are invited to donate \$250 or more. Other Individuals or Organizations are invited to donate \$300 or more. With this level of donation, the Sponsor has the option to set the criteria for awardees (e.g. plans to study engineering; plans to attend a college in CT) and are invited to the Awards Ceremony to present the award to the selected student.

Associations, Individuals and Organizations must indicate their intent to be a Sponsor – in writing - as well as the amount of the award and criteria, if appropriate, using the form below, and funds must be received by UJAA no later than **June 6, 2024**.



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This form should be returned along with your check to:

UJAA (USA) Inc. **Attention.: HSGA Chair** 229-19 Merrick Boulevard, # 141 Springfield Gardens, NY 11413

If payment is sent via Zelle or PayPal, form can be emailed to HSGAwards@ujaausa.org For inquiries, please call: (917) 523-5887

Thank you for your Support!

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