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GARVIS HUFF OUTSTANDING YOUTH AND YOUTH ADVOCATE AWARDS

Orange County, VA – The Orange County Office on Youth is accepting nominations for the Garvis Huff Outstanding Youth and Youth Advocate Awards.

We are looking for students from grades 6-8 and from grades 9-12, which have demonstrated community involvement that goes beyond academic and/or athletic achievements and contribute to their community on a daily basis. All qualified nominees will receive certificates and will be recognized at the awards ceremony on March 17th in the Orange County High School auditorium. The nominees must be a resident and/or student at the time of their community involvement.

The Orange County Office on Youth is also accepting nominations for Outstanding Youth Advocate. We would like to recognize an individual who has demonstrated a commitment to improving the lives of the youth in Orange County. This person symbolizes the Youth Commissions commitment to youth, and the encouragement of citizen involvement with the youth at a local level. This individual must be 19 years or older and reside and/or work in Orange County.

Applications for nominations can be picked up at the Office on Youth Monday through Friday from 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM or visiting the Office on Youth webpage at www.orangecountyva.gov. You may also have them faxed, mailed, or e-mailed to you by calling our office at the number below or contacting avines@orangecountyva.gov. For additional information or assistance, please contact the Office on Youth at (540) 672-5484. **All nominations are due by close of business February 13th, 2015.**

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