



# The Thomas “Tom” Manduca YMCA Citizen Award

This award is named in memory and honor of Tom Manduca, head coach of the Auburn Lewiston YMCA Swim Team for over 20 years. On June 8, 2018, the entire swimming community lost a great coach, father, husband and colleague. Tom’s commitment to the sport of swimming and the positive development of all athletes focusing on the YMCA core values of Honesty, Caring, Respect and responsibility was the stimulus for the YMCA’s Swim Coaches to vote unanimously to recognize Tom’s passion to the youth of our state by naming the YMCA’s Citizen Award after Tom Manduca. In Tom’s spirit of giving back to your community, the YMCA Swim league will donate \$500 to the Charity of the recipient’s choice. The criteria used to select the Tom Manduca YMCA Citizen are as follows:

1. Exhibits exceptional leadership characteristics with in their team and provides a positive role model for younger swimmers.
2. Gives back to their community through volunteerism.
3. Takes on leadership roles when opportunity arises.
4. Exhibits tremendous sportsmanship characteristics throughout their athletic career.

**Deadline is: February 22, 2019**

**Please Note: YMCA Swim league will donate \$500 to the Charity of the recipient’s choice**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ YMCA  
Represented: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/Town: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent’s Name (Father) \_\_\_\_\_

(Mother) \_\_\_\_\_

(Siblings-optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Age at which swimmer started: \_\_\_\_\_ Age at first meet \_\_\_\_\_ Current age: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of YMCA State Championships swum: \_\_\_\_\_

Volunteer opportunities:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Awards/Accomplishments/Recognitions: \_\_\_\_\_

Feel Free to submit an essay regarding the applicant along with the application.