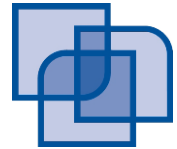




## 2020 Community Leader Youth Award



### Anna Brown

Anna is a very active senior at Williamsville East High School who has achieved high academic excellence while contributing much to her school and community. As a pioneer for the Sources of Strength, a youth suicide prevention program at her school, Anna has been very instrumental in working with mental health awareness issues, harnessing the power of peer social networks. An excellent communicator, Anna uses her keen insight and confidence to enrich her school culture and community. These skills have served her well as a member of the Wellness Team, Italian Club, and the Challenge to Change Team. Her school counselor describes Anna as an extension to the staff team, or a “third advisor” for her calm and non-judgmental approach with people and tasks.

Outside of school, Anna has volunteered with the WNY Book Arts Center, Nativity of our Blessed Virgin Mary, and the Albright Knox Art Gallery. In addition, she has won numerous awards including the St. Lawrence University Book Award and State Champion, Future Business Leaders of America.

For her caring and understanding approach to her peers and her concern for the wellbeing of her community, the NFJC is proud to present Anna Brown with the 2020 Community Leader Youth Award.