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“Creating Networks &
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Enlighten, Educate
and Empower
Jamaicans in the
Rochester NY Community”

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**Community
Leadership and
Service Award**



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**Award
Nomination**

**Community Leadership
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Presented at

**Rochester
Jamaica
64th
Independence
Gala 2026**

Friday July 24, 2026

**Hyatt Regency
Rochester, 124 East Main St.**

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Community Leadership and Service Award

The Rochester Jamaican Organization, Inc. Community Leadership and Service Award recognizes an individual whose leadership and service have made a significant impact in the Rochester Jamaican community. The nominee's credentials must reflect the mission of the organization which is as follow:

The Rochester Jamaican Organization, Inc. is a 501(c)3 Corporation (NOT-FOR-PROFIT) that was formed in 2006 to:

“be an association that will provide to Jamaicans and friends of Jamaica a network that will allow access to resources that will positively impact social conditions of Jamaicans in Jamaica and in Rochester”.

More information about the mission of the Rochester Jamaican can be found at our website:

www.rochesterjamaican.org

Eligibility

Nominations: To nominate an individual for this award, please adhere to the following guidelines:

1. Nomination for the Community Leadership and Service Award must be received by **June 20, 2026**
2. The nominee must have made a direct contribution to a cause that benefits Jamaicans in Jamaica and/or the Jamaican Diaspora in Rochester
3. The nominee must have been involved in community leadership and service for a minimum of 5 years
4. Your submission must include a statement about the nominee that addresses:
 - a. the individual's background
 - b. the community issues the individual addressed
 - c. the outcomes that were derived from the individual's actions
 - d. how the individual's contributions made and difference, and how these contributions have continued to making a difference in the community, and the characteristics that have made this individual an exemplary leader.
5. Two signatures of endorsement from members of the Rochester Jamaican Organization who can attest to the accomplishments of the nominee.
5. Nominee Contact Information
6. Nominator Contact Information
7. Please submit completed nomination form along with all supporting material to:

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Award Presentation: The Rochester Jamaican Organization, Inc. will recognize the award recipient during the Rochester Jamaica 63rd Independence Gala to be held on Friday July 24, 2026, 6:00 PM, Hyatt Regency Rochester, 125 East Main Street.

Award Nomination Form

Nominee Contact Information

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Nominator Contact Information

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Please complete this application form and submit with all required materials

Nomination Checklist

- Nomination submitted by 31, 2026
- Minimum of 5 years leadership and service
- Statement about nominee
- Two signatures of endorsement
- Nominee contact information
- Nominator contact information