



2023 Air Power Over Hampton Roads

Thunderbirds Hometown Hero Nominee Application

The Thunderbirds are looking for a “Hometown Hero” to fly in the backseat of an F-16 on Friday, May 5—the day before the Air Power Over Hampton Roads Air Show taking place May 6-7 at Langley AFB. Nominees* should be a member of the Hampton Roads community who have had a major impact on the community in some way.

Heroes might include, but are not limited to:

- Wounded warriors (pending medical clearance)
- An average citizen who heroically saved a life
- A renowned teacher
- A community humanitarian volunteer
- A local firefighter, paramedic, or police officer
- One who mentors children or volunteers as a coach or tutor in a youth program
- Someone who dedicates their life to working with at-risk children

If you would like to nominate someone for this special opportunity, fill out the form below and e-mail it to 633ABW.PA.CommunityEngagement@us.af.mil. **The deadline for applications is 12 p.m. on February 27, 2023.**

Nominator’s Full Name:

Phone number:

Email address:

Home address:

Nominee’s Full Name:

Phone number:

Email address:

Home address:

Explain the nominee's outstanding contributions to the community.

What makes this person a “Hometown Hero”?

*When nominating someone, please consider that there are physical requirements to fly in the back of an F-16. Air Force regulations dictate height, weight, and anthropomorphic measurement standards for flyers are strictly enforced. The general limitations are as follows:

- (1) Min/Max weight = 103-245 lbs.
- (2) Max height = 6’5”
- (3) Max waist = 38”
- (4) Age limit = 55 years old