

The “Quiet Heroes of New Canaan” series is designed to recognize small, meaningful acts of kindness in the community.

The acts themselves do not necessarily have to be directly tied to the COVID-19 public health emergency. No act is too small for nomination.

We’re spotlighting community members who would not receive recognition otherwise. That may be because they don’t seek it. It may also be because the act itself doesn’t typically merit news coverage. Or, because they’re not acting in some official capacity—such as through appointed or elected office or on behalf of a worthwhile mission-driven organization—they’re not easily visible to local media.

These are people demonstrating thoughtfulness for their neighbors, colleagues and acquaintances—even strangers.

We’ll accept nominees at editor@newcanaanite.com—tell us who you’re nominating and why, and provide your own contact information for follow-up.