

# CITIZENSHIP

## Angels In Action

(NAPSA)—Despite demanding schoolwork and extracurricular activities, nearly one-third of kids ages 8 to 18 volunteer year-round, according to a recent study conducted with 1,000 parents in the U.S. with at least one volunteering child; another 28 percent of



**Actress Jennie Garth encourages kids (like hers) to get involved in community volunteer programs.**

children ramp up their volunteer activities during the holiday season and summertime.

To encourage and honor these youth volunteers, the makers of Angel Soft toilet paper and Jennie Garth, star of the WB series “What I Like About You,” are launching the seventh annual Angel Soft Angels in Action Awards Program. The program is all about getting young people inspired and active in their communities.

“As a mother of two,” says Garth, “I want my children to grow up to be caring and community-conscious people, and I think it’s so important for kids and families to participate in service.”

Teachers, parents, guardians and friends are invited to submit nominations to honor ordinary kids who are doing extraordinary things to help improve their communities. One outstanding child or teen will be awarded \$15,000 for “Program of the Year” in 2006, with a dozen other youngsters receiving cash and additional prizes.

To nominate an Angel in Action, log on to [www.angelsoft.com](http://www.angelsoft.com) before October 1, 2006.