

Would you like to nominate an amazing young person?

We want to recognise those who give that little bit more, who have overcome difficulties, those who have shown courage or resilience.

We are looking for young people who attend a school or youth club, live or work in Medway. Any one from the age of 11 to 18 (up to 24 for a young person with additional needs) can be nominated.

We want to recognise all young people out there who support their communities or help others.

The categories are as follows:

The Community Action Award

This is aimed at someone who is involved in work that helps their community. We want to be able to recognise the contribution and commitment of young people living in Medway.

The Courage and Inspiration Award

This award would be for individuals who demonstrate courage in coping with adversity this can be illness or disability. They will be an inspiration to other young people.

The Creative Arts Award

We want to be able to recognise the amazing young people living in Medway who have produced any form of creative work. We also want to include those who have developed skills in supporting those engaged in the arts or creativity for example back stage support, costumes etc.

The young person must have done something that makes them stand out in their particular area of the creative arts. This can be in how they have developed their particular skill or knowledge, or by work that they have undertaken to produce a creative work.

The Learning and Achieving Award

We want to recognise those who have worked hard to develop their learning, this is for those who have strived and have gone beyond what is expected from them and their peer groups. The young person must have done something that makes them stand out in their particular area of learning or study. This can be in how they have developed their particular area of knowledge, or by the work they have produced.

The Sporting and Physical Achievement Award

The young person must have done their best to improve or develop their ability or achievement; they should demonstrate all of the attributes of a good sports person, including fair play and commitment. They will be a role model to other young people.

For more details visit our websites or contact us directly:

Website: www.medway.gov.uk/youth | email: youth.awards@medway.gov.uk | Phone: 01634 338742

The Young Volunteer Award

To qualify they must not be in receipt of any income or wages for the work or activity that is being recognised. The activity or work may support or benefit a Medway community this can include people or the environment. The activity or work can be for a continuous provision or a one of event and can be for individuals or groups.

New Awards for 2019

The Personal Challenge and Development Award

This award is for young people who have recognised and overcome challenges within their lives and worked hard towards achieving their own personal development goals

Team Recognition Award

This award is for any group of young people who have shown excellence in coming together to realise joint goals. This could include sports teams, dance groups, clubs, social enterprise action projects or other groups who have worked hard to make a difference to their community.

The closing date is **30th April**. Please complete the nomination online or return the form in person or by mail to Medway Council, Attention: Amy St Louis, Gun Wharf, Dock Rd, Chatham ME4 4TR.



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Nominee (Information about the person you nominating or team)

Name: _____

Contact Address (if known): _____

Post code _____

Phone (if known): _____ email (if known): _____

What category are you nominating this individual for? _____

Please tell us the reason you are nominating this person or team of young people.

Continue on separate sheet if needed

Nominator (Information about you)

Name of person making the nomination: _____

Contact Address: _____ Post Code: _____

We may require some additional information, please supply a contact phone number and/or email.

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Relationship to Nominee i.e. co-worker, employer, friend:

Is the young person aware of the nomination? Yes No

Please do not share any confidential information about a young person.

