



BE PROUD AWARDS 2012

NOMINATION FORM

Closing date: 24 September 2012

The Be Proud Awards give you the chance to recognise anyone you know who has worked hard to change things in your area, has improved the lives of others, or has shown outstanding spirit.

If you know someone who goes the extra mile to make a difference, you can nominate them on this form. Remember that each nomination is only judged on what's in the nomination, so make sure to include everything you want to say, and include any supporting information too. Please remember: the work that is done by the person or group you want to nominate must take place within the Manchester boundaries.

Tick (✓) the category that you want to nominate this person/group for.

- Blossoming Communities:**
Celebrating people or groups whose gardening achievements have brought about positive change to the surroundings and lives of others.
- Business in the Community:** Focussing on the businesses which invest resources, staff time or money in their local community, outside of their core activity, and make a really positive impact.
- Community Force Award:** Acknowledging a group or person who has worked hard to create a safer neighbourhood and helped make a community where people are proud to live.
- Community Project of the Year:** Recognising innovative, local projects which engage or motivate people to join in, helping to build happy communities that people are proud of.
- Creativity in the Community:** Championing community arts and creative projects, big or small, from individuals or groups. The winner will prove how creative activities can benefit individuals and strengthen communities.
- Green Futures:** Celebrating the people or projects who are working at a local level, leading by example and showing how we can all help build sustainable, green communities for the future.
- Neighbour of the Year:** A perfect opportunity to say 'thank you' to a neighbour whose kindness, practical help and support has made a real difference to you or your community.
- Unsung Hero:** Honouring those who make a big difference but often go unnoticed. Whether it's ongoing work or a big one-off, this person's efforts deserve a moment in the spotlight.
- Volunteer of the Year:** Highlighting the exceptional contribution to communities made by volunteers, who give their time to improve the lives and environment of others.
- Young Achiever of the Year (under 18):** Whatever their achievement, and whoever they have helped, this young individual or group will show pride, passion and commitment to their community.

Return to: Customer and Community Engagement Team, FREEPOST – MR1514, Town Hall, Manchester M60 2BR

