**AWARDS**

**BRAINTREE DISTRICT VOLUNTEER AWARDS**

**NOMINATION FORM**

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Please use the reverse to explain why this person should win this award.

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### Award Categories

**Young Volunteer Award:**
Recognising a person aged 25 and under who has demonstrated commitment and who has achieved great success for an organisation. They may have developed in a personal capacity, been keen to learn new skills, or shown particular enthusiasm for their role.

**Long Service Award:**
Awarded to exceptional long serving volunteers, to celebrate the effort and commitment they have shown over a number of years.

**Inspirational Role Model of the Year Award:**
Recognising a member of the community who has made an exceptional contribution through inspiring others to achieve outstanding success, or who inspire others with their achievements. They may have overcome adversity or difficulties and are a shining examples to others.

**Going The Extra Mile Award:**
Recognising volunteers who have performed above and beyond normal expectations in specific and recognisable ways for their organisation. This award acknowledges the service and dedication of those who take on one or more special initiatives to help others and the organisation through service they were not called upon to do.

**Fundraiser of the Year Award:**
For any volunteer who has made an outstanding contribution to fundraising for their organisation. The fundraiser should have shown consistent excellence and best practice through their actions, leadership and success.

**Volunteer Group of the Year Award:**
Recognising good teamwork and combined contribution, rather than simply an outstanding result achieved by a team of volunteers. The group may have worked on a specific event or project in the Braintree District, or may have volunteered together for a significant period of time.

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**Closing Date** 1st March 2017
AWARD CATEGORY: .................................................................

Please explain why the nominee should win the selected award. Please give as much information as possible about the person you are nominating. The judges will make their decision on the information you provide. Please note that if successful, the words could be used at the award ceremony:

A judging panel will be selecting the winners.

Judges will also be selecting the overall VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR AWARD:
This award is for a volunteer who has shown all-round commitment and excellence during their volunteering. They may have shown initiative or innovation, or inspired others to volunteer, and they will have been reliable and enthusiastic throughout.

Winners will be informed the week beginning 13th March 2017.
For terms and conditions please visit the website.

Please return this form to:
  Hannah Denson
  Community Services
  Braintree District council
  Causeway House
  Braintree
  Essex CM7 9HB

Alternatively you can fill it in online at www.braintree.gov.uk/volunteersawards

THE AWARDS EVENING WILL BE HELD ON
TUESDAY 4TH APRIL 2017