

RICHMOND'S

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HEROES AWARDS 2020



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**VIRTUAL EVENT PROGRAMME**

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Richmond upon Thames' annual Community Heroes Awards are the chance to recognise and show appreciation to local people who have made a difference to their community.

This year's awards also acknowledge the many members of the community who have stepped up in a huge local response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Due to ongoing lockdown measures, we are unable to host an awards event at this time, but we hope to be able to celebrate with our winners later in 2021.

We want to say thank you and congratulations to our 2020 winners and nominees. We also want to extend our gratitude to the many other unsung local heroes in our borough who go above and beyond.

Whether this has been shopping for a vulnerable neighbour, volunteering at a foodbank or a business providing that extra support for those in need. We see you, and we thank you.

Please read on to find out more about our winners, finalists, and the amazing things that have gone on in our borough over the last year.

**CLLR MICHAEL WILSON**  
**Lead Member for Communities, Equalities**  
**and the Voluntary Sector**



# About the Awards

Richmond's annual  
Community  
Heroes Awards  
recognises local  
people who have  
contributed to the  
local community.

**Nominees were nominated for their work in a voluntary capacity in the below categories:**

- Business Contribution in the Community
- Trustee of the Year
- Community Group of the Year
- Community Project of the Year
- Outstanding Volunteer
- Environmental Award
- Outstanding Sporting Achievement
- Young Person Achievement
- Lifetime Achievement
- Helping Hands

Nominations were open from 21 September to 31 December 2020 and we are delighted to announce that our winners and shortlisted have now been selected.

We have been overwhelmed by the sheer amount of nominations we have received this year, and due to this our judges have agreed that for the following categories, no shortlist could be decided. All nominees in the below categories will receive a certificate from Cllr Michael Wilson, Lead Member for Communities, Equalities and the Voluntary Sector.

- Helping Hands
- Outstanding Volunteer
- Young Person Achievement

Read on to find out more about our 2020 Community Heroes Awards winners and finalists!



# Outstanding Volunteer

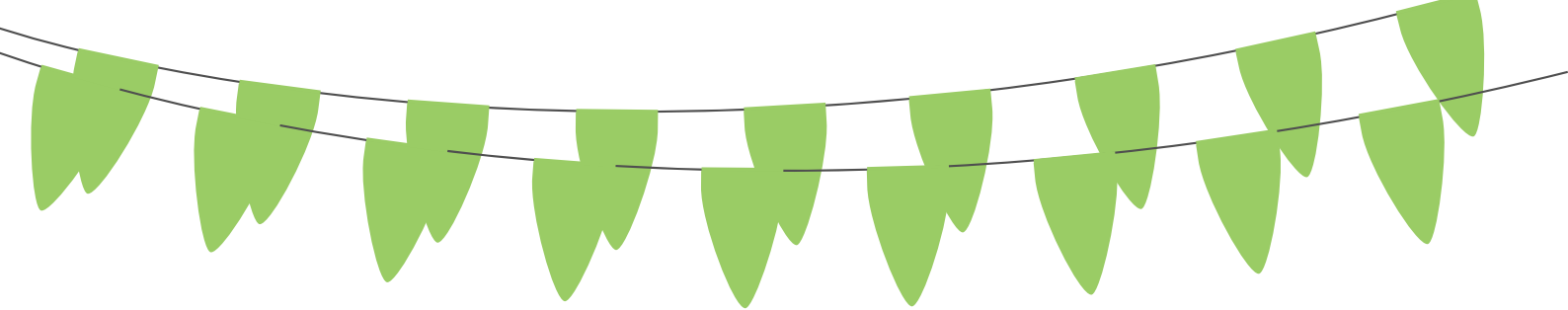
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## FOR INDIVIDUALS WHO VOLUNTEER WITH A GROUP, CHARITY OR ORGANISATION

This year no winner, highly commended or shortlist could be selected due to the sheer amount of nominations we received.

All the nominees are listed here.

1. **Abi Fisher** - For working with the Kingston and Richmond Youth Council to ensure young people get their voices heard.
2. **Alison & Kevin Sears** - For supporting parents and carers by volunteering with the National Autistic Society.
3. **Andrew White** - For volunteering throughout COVID-19 with the homeless charity SPEAR.
4. **Anita Capewell** - For volunteering with the charity GoodGym to create the three pigeons plot along the riverside.
5. **Barbara Lingle Elliott** - For co-creating the charity Mothers Against Muggings in response to the issue of youth crime in Richmond.
6. **Brenda & Keith Martin** - For being lead volunteers with Richmond Foodbank's operation at Whitton Community Centre, organising donations and stock.
7. **Brian Garcia** - For volunteering as a debt advisor at Richmond AID, helping clients to improve their financial circumstances.
8. **Christine (Lottie) Walker** - For volunteering at Teddington Theatre Club as a performer and in backstage theatre operations.
9. **Colin Thih** - For volunteering with Richmond Good Neighbours to provide support to vulnerable residents.
10. **David Linnette** - For his work as chair of Kew Village Market guiding the committee and volunteers to create and develop the monthly market.
11. **Dr Rebecca Butler** - For her work as a volunteer literacy tutor at Saint Elizabeth's Catholic Primary School and Saint Richard Reynolds Catholic College.
12. **Elizabeth Foster** - For volunteering at Teddington & Hampton Wick Voluntary Care, Homelink and as an NHS Responder shopping and delivering items to the vulnerable.
13. **Elliot Harding** - For supporting young people aged 14-18 as a BuddyUp volunteer.
14. **Felicity Barkus** - For setting up the charity Mothers Against Muggings with Barbara Lingle-Elliott.
15. **Firas Ali** - For supporting refugee families and volunteering at Ham Youth Centre.
16. **Gary Williams** - For delivering PPE with RUILS on behalf of the local CCG to GP surgeries.
17. **Hirsh Cashdan** - For volunteering with the Judaism for local schools' programme which hosts students weekly to build understanding of the faith.
18. **Jacqueline Maceacharn** - For volunteering with RUILS to call clients, pack food boxes and assist with administration.
19. **Lisa Ross** - For volunteering to lead the operation that turned the OSO Arts Centre in Barnes into a kitchen that made and delivered meals to vulnerable residents.
20. **Jane Maxwell** - For volunteering with the Greenwood Community Centre to help elderly residents both before and during COVID-19.
21. **John Burton** - For his work as an IT volunteer at Age UK Richmond, delivering lessons over the phone during COVID-19 to help elderly residents stay connected.
22. **John Coles** - For volunteering and donating his pension to Ham & Petersham SOS to help them support vulnerable residents.



23. **Jon Porter** - For volunteering to deliver PPE throughout Richmond with RUILS.
24. **Joseph Moran** - For volunteering with St John's Ambulance as Area Events Lead, delivering the charity's response to large scale events and activities.
25. **Judi Braddock** - For volunteering with the Kew Neighbourhood Association to deliver food and supplies to the vulnerable.
26. **Julia Westgarth** - For setting up the Twickenham branch of the Hygiene Bank to help families facing difficulties during COVID-19.
27. **Kathy Bravery** - For volunteering with Richmond AID to support the team with administration and daily operations.
28. **Kay Day** - For setting up an elderly persons and art club on her local estate.
29. **Kris Millican** - For volunteering with Richmond Good Neighbours to deliver essential items to vulnerable clients.
30. **Lailah Kigozi** - For delivering food and essential items to residents in addition to his day job as a key worker.
31. **Laurence Presland** - For volunteering with the People Hive Charity which supports adults with learning disabilities.
32. **Louise Mathias** - For volunteering as a walk leader with the Walking for Health Scheme.
33. **Joan Gibson** - For setting up the Friends of Heathfield Recreation ground group and working to preserve natural parks.
34. **Susan Nixon** - For volunteering with the Richmond Foodbank located in the Vineyard Centre, Kew Neighbourhood Association among other charities.
35. **Nity Raj** - For volunteering as the event Director at the Old Deer Park Parkrun, organising volunteers and arranging virtual meet ups for members during the pandemic.
36. **Penny Vegting** - For volunteering with Richmond Good Neighbours and being a Team Leader during the first lockdown to coordinate a group of volunteers.
37. **Peter & Ann Boyle** - For volunteering with Crossway Pregnancy Crisis Centre and supporting clients to help them cope with pregnancy loss.
38. **Rosemary Marston** - For volunteering as a befriender with Richmond AID supporting those who are suffering with loneliness.
39. **Rosie Goodall** - For fundraising for the stolen defibrillator from the Essex House Surgery in Barnes.
40. **Rosie Taylor-Davis** - For leading a group of volunteers called the Scrub Hub to sew and supply scrubs and face coverings to NHS workers in the local area.
41. **Sally Long** - For volunteering with Richmond Good Neighbours to deliver weekly food shops for vulnerable residents.
42. **Sarah Noble** - For volunteering as a food hub co-ordinator with Richmond AID.
43. **Sophie-Lia White** - For helping to launch fundraising activities for the charity You Can Change.
44. **Stephen Cunningham** - For volunteering with PA Housing to help tackle issues such as anti-social behaviour in his community at Fulmer Close in Hampton.
45. **Therese Rebeiz** - For volunteering at Kew Gardens as a landscaping director for Ham Riverside Lands estate and at a community gardening club in Ham.
46. **Tony Weller** - For volunteering with Richmond AID, the SPADE gardening project and for running fishing sessions for those of all ages with disabilities.
47. **Tracey Bonsey** - For volunteering at the foodbank in Whitton Community Centre helping to support vulnerable service users.
48. **Ute Barclay** - For volunteering as an advisor at Richmond AID and working during COVID-19 to support the busy helpline.
49. **Sheila Treadaway** - For volunteering to source donations of material for volunteers to cut out and sew to make PPE for those on the frontline.
50. **Lucy Arrowsmith** - For volunteering to help run Otakar Kraus Music Trust choir sessions for children and young people with disabilities.
51. **Margaret Saunders** - For volunteering as a telephone facilitator for FiSH Neighbourhood Care Group, including during the pandemic.
52. **Millie Spencer** - For volunteering with Achieving for Children to design and paint their social services office.
53. **Shailja Gulia** - For arranging free online meditation and yoga sessions every week for members of her community during the pandemic.

# Helping Hands

For individuals who make a difference to the lives of others, not in association with a group, charity or organisation. This could be a caregiver, a good neighbour or someone who gives their time to help out family or friends.

## WINNER: GINNY SPITTLE

Ginny Spittle engaged and supported the community on her street in Mortlake during COVID-19.

Ginny ensured that vulnerable people had been buddied up with someone to assist them with shopping and delivering essential items, as well as organised activities to raise the spirits of her neighbours. On VE day, Ginny organised a socially distanced celebration with bunting and music along her whole street. Ginny has gone above and beyond to look out for vulnerable members of her local community and to bring people together during the pandemic.



## Highly Commended: Dom Palacio

This year our highly commended nominee is Dom Palacio from Richmond Rugby Club.

In addition to his work with the club, Dom set up a collection point outside of supermarkets and Richmond Rugby club during COVID-19 to source food and technology for a local charity delivering food parcels. Dom also volunteered to collect groceries and walk dogs for vulnerable members of his community. Dom inspired over fifty other local people to join him in his efforts.

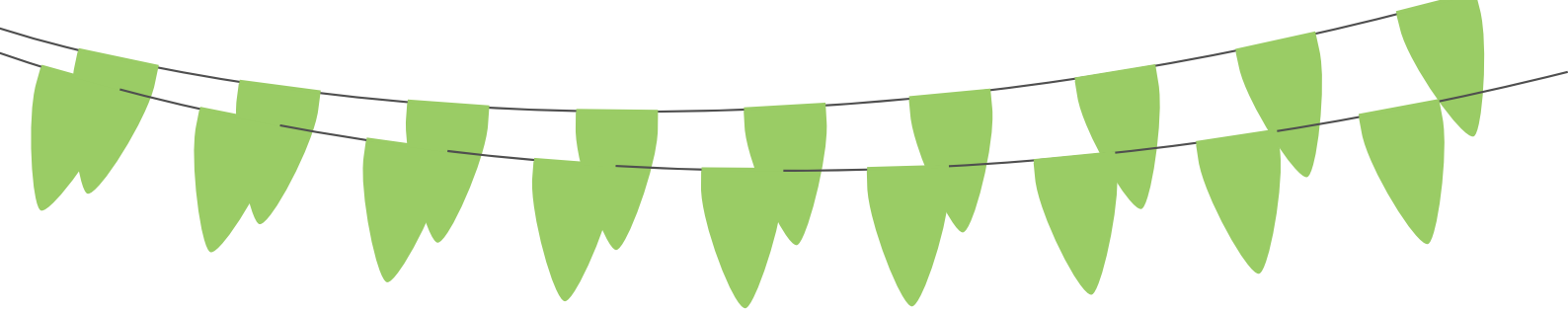
There is no shortlist this year for the Helping Hands category this year. Please see all nominees below.

1. **Alison Henderson** - For organising a food collection for Richmond Foodbank in March and inspiring others to join her.
2. **Alison Jayne Macedo** - For regularly visiting her mother who lives alone, bringing her shopping and essential items



as well as providing emotional support.

3. **Andrea Dodo** - For looking out for others within her community, workplace, and for her family and friends during the pandemic.
4. **Bryony Duckitt** - For running free socially distanced yoga sessions for those in her community after her yoga studio was forced to close during COVID-19.
5. **Charles (Chaz) Wiltshire** - For being a caring neighbour and picking up the free evening newspaper and delivering it to his elderly neighbours each day.
6. **Jackie and neighbours** - Jackie and her neighbours at Windsor Road baked treats for doctors at Ealing Hospital and constructed PPE visors for frontline staff.
7. **Charlie Jones** - During the pandemic Charlie organised a weekly collection for the local foodbank from the people on his street.



8. **Clare McNeish** - For collecting essential items for neighbours and setting up a WhatsApp group for her street to ensure everyone was supported.
9. **Dom Palacio** - For setting up a collection point to deliver food and essential items to the vulnerable and supporting those in need by collecting groceries, medicine or walking dogs.
10. **Gill Butler** - For helping growers on her allotment who were too vulnerable to work their plots themselves.
11. **Hayley Merrett** - For doing weekly food shopping for a vulnerable neighbour who lives alone and regularly checking in on them.
12. **Judith Emslie** - For helping the elderly and vulnerable in the community by offering her time to talk to them, going for walks with them and running errands.
13. **Kelly Meadows** - For helping Clarendon Secondary Centre pupils and the local community by offering free yoga lessons online.
14. **Mo Walker** - For taking vulnerable people in her community to hospital appointments and making phone calls on their behalf.
15. **Sharon Brewer** - For shopping for her vulnerable neighbours, driving the clap-for-carers initiative and sourcing celebratory bunting for VE Day celebrations in her street.
16. **Nick Botting** - For helping the homeless by providing hot meals, drinks, cakes, fruit, sleeping bags, seven days a week from the start of the pandemic.
17. **Patti** - For doing weekly food shops for her vulnerable neighbours throughout the pandemic.
18. **Petra Sale** - For organising a volunteer group to help vulnerable residents in Hampton by delivering their food shopping.
19. **Rosa Marquez** - For helping vulnerable members of her community by bringing them their medicine and whatever else they may need.
20. **Tamra Cave** - For helping to support vulnerable members of her community in addition to personal caring responsibilities.
21. **Vanessa Clark** - For regularly visiting and caring for an elderly neighbour who lives alone.



# Community Group Of The Year

Groups that exemplify what can be done to make a difference when people work together.

## WINNER: RICHMOND UPON THAMES NEIGHBOURHOOD CARE GROUPS

This year's Community Group of the Year Award goes to all eight of the Richmond upon Thames Neighbourhood Care Groups.

These eight groups are FiSH Neighbourhood Care; Ham & Petersham SOS; Richmond Good Neighbours; Whitton Network; Hampton & Hampton Hill Voluntary Care; HANDS; Teddington & Hampton Wick Voluntary Care and Kew Neighbourhood Association. These groups saw significant increases in demand from older people shielding at home during the pandemic and all stepped up and delivered in response to the high demand. Their work has been a big part of the ongoing voluntary sector response to COVID-19 in the borough.



## Highly Commended: Tag Youth Club

Tag Youth Club for Disabled Young People is our highly commended nominee for Community Group of the Year. They are an independent charity that operates for fifty-two weeks a year to deliver a range of evening, weekend and holiday activities and residential trips for people with disabilities. Tag provides much needed support for children and young people with disabilities from the ages of 8 to 30 living in Richmond and the surrounding areas.

## SHORTLISTED

1. **Crossroads Care COVID Volunteer Arm** - For their work conducting almost 3,000 food shops, medication collections and deliveries supporting vulnerable members of the community.
2. **Hampton & Richmond Borough Football Club** - For their work collecting and distributing foodbank contributions to Richmond residents in need.
3. **Mothers Against Muggings** - For their work tackling the issue of crime amongst young people in the borough.

# Community Project of the Year

Projects that have improved our borough and its local communities – run by individuals, groups or voluntary organisations.

## WINNER: SPADE GARDENING PROJECT

This year's Community Project of the Year Award goes to the SPADE gardening project.

Ten dedicated and hardworking volunteers make up SPADE, which provides gardening services to vulnerable residents across Richmond who are unable to maintain their garden themselves or afford a gardener. Spade helps those who are disabled, housebound and lonely continue to enjoy their gardens and the wellbeing benefits that being outdoors in nature provides.



## Highly Commended: Sheddington

Sheddington is a community support group created by Dr Chris Manning which offers a wide range of activities for people in the community to come together and enjoy, from DIY to mindfulness. Sheddington has been selected as this category's highly commended for providing a space for different people with similar interests to come together that also compliments and signposts to other available services in the borough where possible.

## SHORTLISTED

1. **Jackie Haigh** - For setting up the Share & Care Collective this year which is a parent community led initiative to raise funds and set up weekly street food collections.
2. **Mark Jopling** – For leading the team that has worked to save Udney Park Playing Fields from speculative development.
3. **Kew Sews** - Rosanda McGrath led this community effort by one hundred women in Kew to create and supply face masks and scrubs to hospitals and care homes during the pandemic.

# Business Contribution in the Community

Local businesses that have demonstrated commitment to their local area.

## WINNER: THE ANGEL & CROWN

This year's Business Contribution in the Community winner is the Angel & Crown pub in Twickenham.

They have been nominated for their work to provide free meals, tea, coffee, clothing and sleeping bags for vulnerable members of the community during the pandemic, operating as a takeaway service following social distancing measures. They also worked with the charity SPEAR to arrange accommodation for the homeless.



## Highly Commended: Richmond Rugby Club

Richmond Rugby Club have been selected as our Highly Commended for the Business of the Year award. The team at Richmond Rugby Club supplied free cooked meals to families in need, both during the summer school holidays and over half-term. They also supported vulnerable members in their local community by doing food shopping, picking up medicine and walking their dogs for them. They also plan to open their clubhouse and training pitches when COVID-19 guidance allows as a safe space for secondary school children.

## SHORTLISTED

1. **Kew Convenience Store** - For offering to get people what they needed during the pandemic and dropping goods at the homes of people who had to self-isolate.
2. **Squires Stores** - For offering free delivery to local people who could not leave their homes before and during the pandemic and getting residents the items they required.
3. **Meet and Deep Newsagents** - For providing free food to those in need and making sure their store caters for the needs of local residents.

# Trustee of the Year

For a trustee of a group or charity who has gone above and beyond in their role.

## WINNER: ROBERT BOLLEN

Robert Bollen has been selected as our Trustee of the Year.

Robert joined HoTCA and HoTCA CIO as a trustee at a difficult time of transition, stepping up in response to the many new challenges that COVID-19 brought for trustees. Robert worked with other trustees to transfer the lease from the unincorporated charity to the incorporated one. Robert also created a business case for redundancy and worked to source an accountant and trustee treasurer.



## Highly Commended: Sue Howes

Sue Howes has been the chair of ETNA since 2015. Sue has been selected for her work alongside staff and trustees to bring the idea for a new community kitchen space for ETNA to life. Sue has been praised for her underlying belief in the importance of empowering communities.

## SHORTLISTED

1. **Simon Danciger** - For his work as the chair of trustees at the OSO Arts Centre and coordinating the volunteer effort at the centre over the course of the first lockdown.
2. **Valerie Munro** - For her work as vice-chair of the Richmond Talking Newspaper, ensuring that the newspaper continued to be recorded onto memory sticks and delivered to people with visual impairment during the pandemic.
3. **Claudine McCreadie** - For her work as trustee of Kew Neighbourhood Association since 2018, reviewing the way KNA operates and for bringing a fresh perspective.

# Young Person Achievement Award

Young people (under 18 years) who inspire and drive change in their communities.

## WINNER: GEORGE MUDERACK

This year's Young Person Achievement Award goes to 10-year-old George Muderack from The Vineyard School in Richmond.

George has cerebral palsy and has been working hard for the past few years to try and walk short distances using his walker. George was inspired by what Captain Tom did for the NHS and replicated his challenge in support of BBC Children in Need, raising over £6,700. George walked for a total of 31 minutes and 13 seconds- which is the longest he ever has.



in partnership with many different groups. The Youth Council worked tirelessly to promote the survey to schools and gathered the views of 483 young people.

**No shortlist could be selected for this award, please see all nominees below.**

1. **Huyen Thi Phan** - For always being top of her class with one hundred percent attendance and being caring and polite towards her fellow classmates.
2. **Jack and Ethan Weissenborn and Jack Lewis** - For their work organising a bake sale for NHS Charity and Glassdoor during the lockdown and raising £360 for their charities.
3. **Jayden Thomas** - For learning how to use editing software to help his local church broadcast services online so that they could continue to operate during the pandemic.
4. **Saffron Elizabeth Cockerton -Rai-** For her work on the '67 Daises' project which has been recognised by local MPs. You can watch the video here: [www.vimeo.com/418645027](https://www.vimeo.com/418645027)
5. **Josie O'Connell** - For her work with the Kingston and Richmond Youth Council and stepping in as Chair when needed.
6. **Isabella Topley** - For her work with the Kingston and Richmond Youth Council, being a fervent campaigner for ensuring young people get their voices heard.
7. **Daralis Mavale** - For his achievement fundraising £2130 for Women's Aid to help combat domestic abuse.
8. **Kamran Ojeda-Haririan** - For his achievement fundraising £563.73 for Great Ormond Street Hospital.
9. **James Hunter** - For collectively raising almost £10,000 for various charities.

## Highly Commended: The Kingston and Richmond Youth Council

The Kingston and Richmond Youth Council were selected for their work during lockdown on developing and coordinating the Richmond Youth Wellbeing Survey to young people in the borough. They designed the questionnaire to ensure it enabled young people to identify their concerns about the impact of COVID-19 on their lives and worked

# Environmental Award

For individuals, projects and groups specifically focused on tackling environmental issues.

## **WINNER:** IAN GEORGE ANDREWS

Ian George Andrews has been selected as this year's winner for his work setting up and running the Hampton Hill WasteWatchers group for over ten years.

The group reports local fly tipping and picks up litter in the centre of Hampton Hill, as well as car parks and streets. The group consists of fifteen volunteers who litter pick on the first Saturday of each month. They have been accompanied by Councillors on several occasions.



## **Highly Commended:** Michael Hildesley

This year our highly commended nominee is Michael Hildesley. Michael is in his sixties and works to clear the common in Barnes, clearing rubbish and unwanted plants in the area. Michael is not part of a group but has inspired many others in the community to help with his efforts. Michael has taken it upon himself to look after the greenery and environment in Barnes to retain its natural beauty for other residents to enjoy.

## **SHORTLISTED**

1. **Let's Go Outside and Learn** - For their work bringing all people, including those from disadvantaged communities, in touch with nature in the borough.
2. **GoodGym Richmond** - For their work overseeing and maintaining the three pigeons plot project along the riverside.

# Outstanding Sporting Achievement

Those whose efforts and achievements in sport vitalise communities, bring people together and support physical and mental wellbeing, or those who have achieved significant sporting success representing the borough.

## WINNER: RICHMOND PARKRUN

This year the Outstanding Sporting Achievement winner are the organisers of Richmond Parkrun.

When events were suspended due to COVID-19, the organisers encouraged members to log their own runs and have made plans to reinstate runs in a socially distanced safe way as soon as allowed. The best parkrun was organised weekly, prior to COVID-19, and brought local people of all ages and abilities together. Tail walkers were used to ensure nobody was left out.



## Highly Commended: Simon Griffiths

Simon Griffiths has been selected as this year's highly commended nominee for his work in setting up a Thames river outdoor swimming group in March 2020. Simon provided guidance to many people that wanted to try swimming in the Thames and showed them how to swim safely. He often accompanied them with his stand-up paddleboard and formed a WhatsApp group to make sure swimmers could form safety groups with each other. He lent people his equipment so that they could swim safely. Simon's swimming group has helped many local people look after their physical and mental wellbeing.



## SHORTLISTED

1. **Gavin Ainsby** - For his work managing his son's grassroots football team, Sheen Lions for over ten years.
2. **Eamonn Newell** - For his work setting up and managing a girls only football club since 2015.

# Lifetime Achievement Award

Those who have shown a long-term commitment to voluntary work and have made a significant contribution to their communities over ten or more years.

## WINNER: HOWARD GREENWOOD

This year's Lifetime Achievement Award goes to 91-year-old Howard Greenwood for dedicating his adult life to community activities in Richmond.

Howard was Chairman and Music director of the Richmond Concert Society for over fifty- seven years, working to provide high standard concerts at affordable prices for residents. He also worked with the Arts Council Schools music trust as well as in a community partnership with the RFU. He was also a frequent judge at the May Day fairs on Richmond and Twickenham Green, and has encouraged many young children in the borough to take up musical instruments.

Sadly Howard has recently passed away and our thoughts are with his family and friends at this difficult time.



*A drawing completed in Howard's memory by his grandson Mark*

## Highly Commended: Bunny Farnell-Watson

Bunny Farnell-Watson is this year's highly commended nominee. Bunny performed the voluntary role of Richmond Neighbourhood Watch Central Co-ordinator role for over twenty-seven years and her work has been described as instrumental in Richmond being named one of the safest boroughs to live in London.

## SHORTLISTED

1. **Paul Leonard** - For his work in the field of learning and physical disabilities, including being an active Member of the Richmond Learning Disability Partnership board.
2. **Angela Roberts** – For her work volunteering for Ham and Petersham SOS since the 1970s.
3. **Perminder Singh Tamana** - For his work setting up and leading the East Twickenham Traders Association.





# Our 2020 Nominees

## **BUSINESS CONTRIBUTION IN THE COMMUNITY**

- Angel and Crown (shortlisted)
- Richmond Rugby Club (shortlisted)
- Kew Convenience Store (shortlisted)
- Squires Stores (shortlisted)
- Meet and Deep Newsagents (shortlisted)
- Sidra Lebanese Restaurant
- Haymarket Media Group
- Start Up Richmond
- The Sussex Arms
- East Sheen Micro Bakery
- Half Backs Rugby
- The Waterman's Arms

## **COMMUNITY GROUP OF THE YEAR**

- Richmond upon Thames Neighbourhood Care Groups (shortlisted)
- Tag Youth Club for Disabled Young People (shortlisted)
- Crossroads Care COVID volunteer arm (shortlisted)
- Hampton & Richmond Borough Football Club (shortlisted)
- Mothers against Muggings (shortlisted)
- Age UK RICHMOND
- FiSH
- Hampton Helpers
- Kew Neighbourhood Association
- Leaving Care Team - AFC
- Lynda Murray- Richmond Good Neighbours
- Marble Hill Volunteers
- My Life Films charity
- The Inspired Hub, Hampton
- Teddington and Hampton Wick

- Voluntary Care Group
- The Beavers Trust
- Whitton network

## **COMMUNITY PROJECT OF THE YEAR**

- Spade gardening project (shortlisted)
- Sheddington (shortlisted)
- Jackie Haigh (shortlisted)
- Mark Jopling (shortlisted)
- Kew sewing project (shortlisted)
- Barnes Children's Literature Festival
- Caitlin Limmer- Bearcat running club
- Jackie Haigh
- Dan- The Tobacco Road Boys
- Mark Jopling
- Melissa Gillings - The Christmas Beaver Box campaign
- Park Lane Stables- Pony visits
- Queen's Road Art Project
- Kew sewing project/ Rosanda McGrath
- Barnes Film Festival

## **ENVIRONMENTAL AWARD**

- Ian George Andrews (shortlisted)
- Michael Hildesley (shortlisted)
- Let's go outside and learn (shortlisted)
- Goodgym Richmond (shortlisted)
- Ian George Andrews (shortlisted)
- Michael Hildesley (shortlisted)

## **HELPING HANDS - NO SHORTLISTED, ALL TO BE SENT A CERTIFICATE**

- Alison Henderson
- Alison Jayne Macedo
- Andrea Dodo

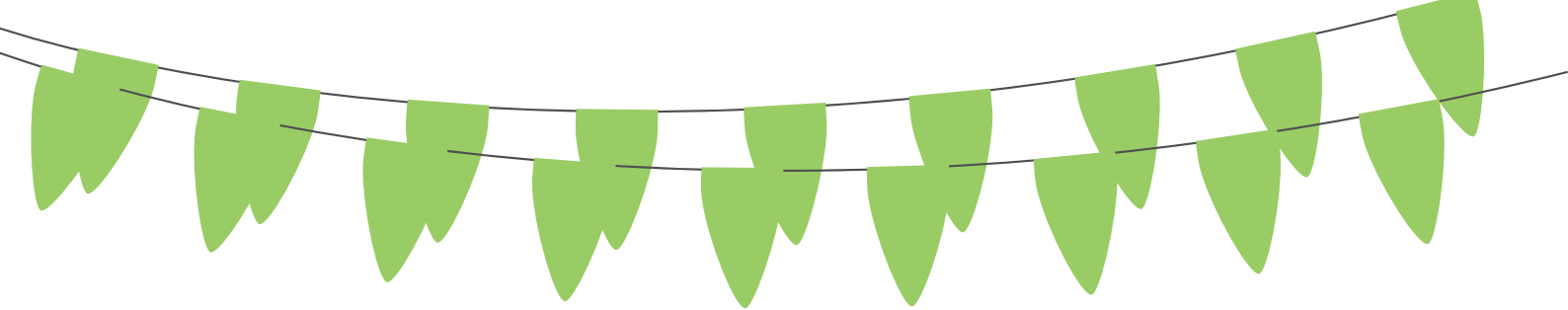
- Bryony Duckitt
- Charles (Chaz) Wiltshire
- Jackie and neighbours
- Charlie Jones
- Clare McNeish
- Dom Palacio
- Gill Butler
- Ginny Spittle
- Hayley Merrett
- Judith Emslie
- Kelly Meadows
- Mo Walker
- Mrs Sharon Brewer
- Nick Botting
- Patti (no last name given)
- Petra Sale
- Rosa Marquez
- Tamra Cave
- Vanessa Clark

## **LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT**

- Howard Greenwood (shortlisted)
- Bunny Farnell-Watson (shortlisted)
- Paul Leonard (shortlisted)
- Angela Roberts (shortlisted)
- Perminder Singh Tamana (shortlisted)
- Giles Hobart
- Jean Loveland
- Paula and William Mortimer
- Peter Davenport
- Peter Willan
- Sandra Sullivan
- Mary Noyes

## **OUTSTANDING SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT**

- Simon Griffiths (shortlisted)
- Richmond parkrun organisers - Andy Caie, with Francesca Creasy, Michael Glazebrook, David Pennell and Ally Pickard (shortlisted)
- Gavin Ainsby (shortlisted)
- Eamonn Newell (shortlisted)



## **OUTSTANDING VOLUNTEER**

- Abi Fisher
- Alison & Kevin Sears
- Andrew White
- Anita Capewell
- Barbara Lingle Elliott
- Brenda and Keith Martin (wife and husband jointly)
- Brian Garcia
- Christine Walker (known as Lottie)
- Colin Thih
- David Linnette
- Dr Rebecca Butler
- Elizabeth Foster
- Elliot Harding
- Felicity Barkus
- Firas Ali
- Gary Williams
- Hirsh Cashdan
- Jacqueline Maceacharn
- Lisa
- Jane Maxwell
- John Burton
- John Coles
- Jon Porter
- Joseph Moran
- Judi Braddock
- Julia Westgarth
- Kathy Bravery
- Kay Day
- Kris Millican
- Lailah Kigozi
- Laurence Presland
- Louise Mathias
- Barbara Lingle Elliott
- Joan Gibson

- Susan Nixon
- Nity Raj
- Penny Vegting
- Peter and Ann Boyle
- Rosemary Marston
- Rosie Goodall
- Rosie Taylor-Davis
- Sally Long
- Sarah Noble
- Sophie-Lia White
- Stephen Cunningham
- Therese Rebeiz
- Tony Weller
- Tracey Bonsey
- Ute Barclay
- Sheila Treadaway
- Lucy Arrowsmith
- Margaret Saunders
- Millie Spencer
- Shailja Gulia

## **TRUSTEE OF THE YEAR**

- Robert Bollen (shortlisted)
- Sue Howes (shortlisted)
- Simon Danciger (shortlisted)
- Valerie Munro (shortlisted)
- Claudine McCreadie (shortlisted)
- Lisa Jones
- Peter Willan

## **YOUNG PERSON ACHIEVEMENT- NO SHORTLISTED**

- George Michel
- The Kingston and Richmond Youth Council
- Jack and Ethan Weissenborn and Jack Lewis
- Huyen Thi Phan
- Jayden Thomas
- Saffron Elizabeth Cockerton-Rai
- Josie O'Connell
- Isabella Topley
- Daralis Mavale
- Kamran Ojeda-Haririan
- James Hunter




# THANK YOU

Richmond Council would like to say a tremendous thank you to all of this year's nominees, as well as to those who did not receive a nomination who we know are doing so much to help their local communities.

This has been a difficult year for many and the local response to the COVID-19 pandemic has been extraordinary.

To find out more about the awards please go to our [website](#).

We hope to host an in-person celebration event for our winners and shortlisted nominees later in the year, COVID-19 guidance allowing. We are also showcasing our winners and shortlisted nominees across our social media channels so please keep an eye on these for updates.

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**Thank you to everyone who made a nomination for Richmond's Community Heroes Awards 2020.**

