



MAYOR OF THORNBURY'S YOUTH AWARD

The Mayor of Thornbury's Youth Award is made by Thornbury Town Council annually to give due recognition to the many young people of the Town who give of their own time and voluntary effort in supporting and assisting individuals, charities or projects with no payment or reward for themselves other than the satisfaction of knowing that they are contributing fully to the community in which they live.

The award will be prestigious and will attract a grant of £100 to be put towards the charity or project selected by the winner. If the judges deem that no application of suitable quality has been made then they reserve the right not to make a grant in that year.

All those entered by their school or youth organisation will be invited to the Town Hall with their parents and representatives of their club or organisation, to the presentation evening to collect a certificate signed by the Mayor and hear the judges announce the overall winner of the award.

Conditions and Procedures

- The award is made annually to young people belonging to organisations, clubs or attending schools or colleges based in the town of Thornbury. The nominated persons need not necessarily live in Thornbury themselves.
- The award is open to young people who have not reached their 19th birthday on 1st January in the year in which the award is made. Young people may be nominated for the award by all youth organisations and clubs, including church groups, school and colleges. Normally no school, college or youth organisation may nominate more than one person, however, if two exceptional candidates are nominated from a single organisation then an exception can be made.
- Previous winners will not be eligible for a subsequent award, although their continuing contribution can be marked by a second certificate.
- A nomination form is attached hereto but should require further copies these can either be downloaded from Council's website www.thornburytowncouncil.gov.uk or by contacting the Town Hall, High Street, Thornbury, South Glos. BS35 2AR Tel: 01454 412103
- Nominations must be received at the Town Hall by 4.00pm on **14th April 2008** and the presentation will be one of the last duties of the outgoing Mayor at Council's Annual General meeting on 6th May 2008.
- All nominations, which must not exceed 250 words in the commendation section, must be signed by the club or organisation leader or an adult school or college representative. In addition the nomination must be signed by a parent or guardian of the nominated person.
- The nominations will be judged by a panel of five persons, comprising the Mayor, Deputy Mayor, One Councillor, Thornbury Gazette Correspondent and a Police Representative

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NOMINATION FORM

<p><u>Name of Nominee</u></p> <p>.....</p>	<p><u>Address of Nominee</u></p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p><u>Tel. No:</u></p>
<p><u>Age of Nominee (In years & months):</u></p> <p><u>Date of Birth:</u></p>	<p><u>Organisation</u></p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p>
<p><u>COMMENDATION</u> (in not more than 250 words – Use a separate sheet if necessary)</p>	
<p><u>Name of Proposer</u></p> <p>.....</p>	<p><u>Signature of Proposer</u></p> <p>.....</p> <p><u>Date:</u></p>
<p><u>Name of Parent or Guardian</u></p> <p>.....</p>	<p><u>Signature of Parent or Guardian</u></p> <p>.....</p> <p><u>Date:</u></p>

