

ELIGIBILITY AND DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS

all categories the achievements must have enhanced the image of Rocky Mountain House, and a span of one (1) year must elapse before a previous Mayor's Recognition Awards recipient will be considered for an additional award, subject to the discretion of the Selection Committee.

DEADLINE FOR NOMINATIONS

The deadline for submitting a nomination is:

FEBRUARY 20, 2012

Submissions must be received by the Town by February 20, 2012 or earlier. (refer to nomination forms for more details).

Responsibility for nominating deserving candidates lies with the public.

Please share this brochure with other interested individuals or organizations.

Nomination forms may be requested by telephone at 403-845-2866, on our website www.rockymtnhouse.com, or picked up at the Town Office located at 5116—50th Avenue.



Town of Rocky Mountain House

Please mail or deliver completed nomination forms to:

Mayor's Recognition Awards

Selection Committee

Box 1509

5116 50th Avenue

Rocky Mountain House, AB T4T 1B2

Or

Fax : 403-845-3230

Or

E-mail: town@rockymtnhouse.com

For more information please call the Mayor's Office

Phone: 403-845-2866

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Town of Rocky Mountain House

MAYOR'S RECOGNITION AWARDS INFORMATION



**TO RECOGNIZE THE
ACHIEVEMENTS AND
DEDICATION OF THE CITIZENS
OF ROCKY MOUNTAIN HOUSE**

Mayor's Recognition Awards

Recognizing achievement and volunteer service by individuals, teams, or groups who, through their efforts and/or accomplishments, have enhanced the image of or have made a significant contribution to the Town of Rocky Mountain House.

Each year this program may honour recipients in five categories: Athletics, Fine and Performing Arts, Citizenship, Youth Award, and the Mayor's Special Award.

Nominations are invited from the public. Recipients will be determined by an independent selection committee. The Selection Committee reserves the right to assign a nomination to an alternate category provided the nominator agrees to the reassignment. Decisions of the Selection Committee are final. Posthumous nominations cannot be accepted.

Categories

1. Athletics Award



Recognizing an individual or team for outstanding achievement at the national, provincial or local event or competition.

Candidates may have competed at an amateur or professional level.

Nominations are considered on the basis of performance in an event or competition.

Individual candidates must attain a higher standing in an event or competition in a given sport to be eligible for a subsequent awards; however, teams may receive the award on more than one occasion. There is no age limit in this category

2. Fine and Performing Arts



Recognizing an individual/group for outstanding achievement in one or more of the arts. Recognition may be for:

- a specific achievement or
- a series of accomplishments over time.



"Arts" for the purpose of this award, includes literary, visual, performing, musical, film, video, architectural arts, or other artistic categories. There is no age limit for this category.

3. Citizenship Awards (two categories)



A volunteer for the purpose of this award is defined as "a person who provides a service for which no salary is paid, but who may recover out-of-pocket expenses". There is no age limit in this category.

a. Distinguished Voluntary Service

Recognizing an individual whose volunteer service has had a significant impact on the community.

b. Voluntary Service

Recognizing an individual who has had a minimum of 10 years of volunteer service which has had an identifiable benefit to Rocky Mountain House. The years

of service may have occurred with more than one organization in Rocky Mountain House.

4. Youth Award

Recognizing an individual of the age of 19 or younger who has contributed a positive impact within the community, locally, provincially, or nationally, through a personal or individual commitment or within an organization. The length of this service should be no less than over the course of one year.



5. Mayor's Special Award

Recognizing an individual whose service or achievement at the local, provincial, national or international level has been of singular significance.

The Mayor's Special Award is the highest possible recognition from The Town of Rocky Mountain House. Nominees may have demonstrated any of the following:



- Humanitarianism
- Exceptional achievement in a profession, sports or the arts
- An act of heroism or bravery

The Mayor's Special Award may not necessarily be presented each year.

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