

“Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world. Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has.”

- Margaret Mead



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Municipality of Port Hope 2011 CIVIC AWARDS



Agriculture

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NOMINATION FORM

PORT HOPE CIVIC AWARDS

The Municipality of Port Hope Council established the Civic Awards program in 1987 to recognize contributions and or achievements bringing honour and enrichment to the Municipality of Port Hope. Since that time hundreds of awards have been presented in recognition of outstanding contributions in community service, arts, and athletics.

This year, the Civic Awards Advisory Committee is pleased to introduce some important changes to the program with the introduction of four new exciting categories: Agriculture, Inspiration, Philanthropy, and Environment and a change in the date of the awards ceremony. The new categories expand the scope of the awards to recognize the broad range of elements that make up Port Hope's inspiring culture. Coinciding with National Volunteer Week, the awards ceremony will be held on Thursday, *April 19th, 2012 at 7pm* at the Cameco Capitol Arts Centre. As always admission is free, everyone is welcome to attend and we encourage you to join us for an evening of celebration of those who generously dedicate their time, talent and resources in the Municipality of Port Hope to enrich our community.

Nominations are the key element of the Civic Awards program—nominations from individuals, agencies, organizations or institutions are welcome and encouraged. Please use the enclosed form to submit your application or use our online form available at www.porthopecivicawards.ca

The Civic Awards Advisory Committee welcomes your input and suggestions on the Civic Awards program. Please feel free to contact us at civicawards@porthope.ca.

Nancy Redner, Chair
Civic Awards Advisory Committee

Port Hope Civic Awards Categories

Individuals/groups who have volunteered their time and service and/or competed at an amateur level and for which no remuneration or payment has been received are eligible for a Civic Award. Those marked with * are new categories for the 2011 awards.

Outstanding Citizen Award

Presented in recognition of outstanding volunteer contribution to the community. Consideration is given to length of service, diversity of service, benefit to the community, and leadership. Nominees must be a resident of Port Hope.

Outstanding Youth Award

Presented to an individual 19 years of age or under as of Dec. 31, 2012 in recognition of outstanding volunteer contribution to the community and school. Consideration is given to length of service, service to their school, service to the community, service to charity, and leadership. Nominees must be a resident of Port Hope.

Community Service Award

Presented to an individual or group for outstanding achievement in volunteerism. Consideration is given to length of service, impact on the community, contribution and leadership in making Port Hope a better place to live.

Arts and Culture Award

Presented to an individual or group for outstanding achievement in the arts (music, fine art, dance, writing, singing, public speaking, visual arts, etc.). Consideration is given to level of achievement, achievement in multiple areas, and leadership in promoting the arts or culture in Port Hope.

Athletics Award

Presented to an individual or team that has placed 1st, 2nd, or 3rd in a provincial/national championship, qualified for national team funding, been chosen to represent Ontario/Canada at a national/international competition.

Agriculture Award*

Presented to an individual or group having considerable impact on sustainable agriculture in Port Hope. Consideration is given to promotion of sustainable agriculture, receiving an award in a provincial or higher agricultural competition, and leadership in the use of sustainable agriculture in Port Hope.

Inspiration Award*

Presented to an individual who has supported or inspired you. Consideration is given to type and nature of support provided, length of time support was provided, number of people influenced, and impact of the support provided.

Philanthropy Award*

Presented to an individual or group for leadership in fundraising and encouraging others in philanthropy. Consideration will be given to the benefit to residents, leadership role in fundraising and encouraging others in philanthropy.

Environment Award*



Presented to a person or group that has completed a local project providing considerable benefits to the environment. Consideration will be given to fundraising, media coverage, conservation and restoration in support of environmental initiatives.

Complete details on nomination guidelines and category details is available at www.porthopecivicawards.ca or by contacting civicawards@porthope.ca

CIVIC AWARDS NOMINATION FORM

Written nominations may be submitted by mail: Port Hope Civic Awards, 56 Queen Street, Port Hope, ON L1A 3Z9
 Fax 905-885-7698, Email civicawards@porthope.ca or online at www.porthopecivicawards.ca
 Please print clearly and ensure correct spelling of all names. You may nominate multiple individuals/groups—please use one form per nomination. **Deadline for nominations is March 15, 2012.**

- Outstanding Citizen*
- Community Service
- Athletics
- Inspiration 
- Environment 

- Outstanding Youth*
- Arts & Culture
- Agriculture 
- Philanthropy 

NOMINEE (may be individual, group or team)

Name _____ Email _____
 Address _____ Municipality _____
 Postal Code _____ Telephone _____

NOMINATOR (individual/organization/firm)

Name _____ Email _____
 Address _____ Municipality _____
 Postal Code _____ Telephone _____
 Email _____ Signature _____

ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF NOMINEE Attach separate sheet if required and any supporting documentation, including letters of recommendation. (*Outstanding Citizen/Outstanding Youth nominations must include a completed Signature Sheet available at www.porthopecivicawards.ca)
