Memo

Date:

January 5, 2010

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To:

City Manager

From:

Jim Gabriel - Director, Recreation & Cultural Services

Subject:

Civic & Community Awards Nomination Period

Recommendation:

THAT Council receive for information the report from the Director, Recreation & Cultural Services, dated January 5, 2010, that outlines the Civic & Community Award categories and nomination period.

City of

Kelowr

Background:

The nomination period for the 35th Annual Civic & Community Awards commenced on January 4th and remains open through to noon on February 12th. The celebration is in recognition for outstanding achievements and contributions in 2009 that have a direct benefit on Kelowna residents.

The categories include:

Bob Giordano Memorial Award
Bryan Couling Memorial Athletic Team of the Year Award
Male and Female Athlete of the Year Award
Young Male & Female Citizen of the Year Award
Teen Honour in the Arts Award
Honour in the Arts Award
The Central Okanagan Foundation Volunteer Organization of the Year Award
Sarah Donalda Treadgold Memorial Woman of the Year Award
Fred Macklin Memorial Man of the Year Award
Corporate Community Award

Nomination forms and criteria are available on the City's website, as well as City Hall, Parkinson Recreation Centre, Kelowna Librarys, Kelowna Chamber of Commerce office and YMCA-YWCA.

Other awards that are part of the annual event include the Anita Tozer Award, which is selected by City Council, and the Augie Ciancone Memorial Award, which recognizes male and female school athletes of the year as selected by School Disctict #23.

The awards night will be held on Wednesday, April 14, 2010, at the Delta Grand Okanagan.



Internal Circulation: General Manager, Community Services; Communications Supervisor

Communications Considerations: Community & Media Relations to distribute news releases and media packages.

Considerations not applicable to this report:

Legal/Statutory Authority:

Legal/statutory Procedural Requirements:

Existing Policy:

Financial/Budgetary Considerations:

Personnel Implications:

Technical Requirements:

External Agency/Public Comments:

Alternate Recommendation:

Submitted by:

J. Gabriel, Director, Recreation & Cultural Services

Approved for inclusion:



J. Vos, General Manager, Community Services

CC: General Manager, Community Services

Communications Supervisor

Civic Awards Steering Committee

Attachments: Powerpoint Presentation-Civic Awards Nomination Period



BOB GIORDANO MEMORIAL

- Awarded to a Kelowna citizen for outstanding voluntary service to amateur sport having had a direct benefit on Kelowna residents
- ► Contributions may include coaching or administrative support

BRYAN COULING MEMORIAL ATHLETIC TEAM OF THE YEAR AWARD

 Awarded to a Kelowna-based sports team (amateur or professional) bringing the greatest amount of recognition to Kelowna

MALE & FEMALE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

Awarded to the athlete (amateur or professional) bringing the greatest amount of recognition to Kelowna

YOUNG MALE & FEMALE CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARD

- Awarded to a Kelowna citizen who has made an outstanding voluntary contribution to their community and
- ▶ Nominees must be between the ages of 13 and 19 as of December 31, 2009

TEEN HONOUR IN THE ARTS

- Awarded to a Kelowna citizen who has made outstanding contributions to Kelowna's cultural and/or artistic life
- ▶ Nominees must be between the ages of 13 and 19 as of December 31, 2009

HONOUR IN THE ARTS AWARD

 Awarded to a Kelowna citizen who has made outstanding contributions to Kelowna's cultural and/or artistic life

THE CENTRAL OKANAGAN FOUNDATION VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATION OF THE YEAR AWARD

 Awarded to a Kelowna volunteer organization or agency that has provided outstanding community service having had a direct benefit on Kelowna residents

SARAH DONALDA TREADGOLD MEMORIAL WOMAN OF THE YEAR AWARD

Awarded to a Kelowna citizen in recognition of her overall outstanding voluntary contributions having had a direct benefit on Kelowna residents

FRED MACKLIN MEMORIAL MAN OF THE YEAR AWARD

 Awarded to a Kelowna citizen in recognition of his overall outstanding voluntary contributions having had a direct benefit on Kelowna residents

CORPORATE COMMUNITY AWARD

Awarded to the Kelowna business that has provided outstanding support for its employee volunteerism and financial contributions/initiatives having had a direct benefit on Kelowna residents

COMPLETING THE NOMINATION FORM

- ▶ Selections are based on achievements and contributions in 2009
- Past information can be included, but the focus should be the current award year
- Selections are based on the information provided
- Provide information in a clear, concise format within the guidelines

NOMINATION PERIOD

- ▶ Nomination period:
 - January 4th February 12th
- Nominations forms available on the City website as well as PRC, City Hall, Kelowna Librarys, Kelowna Chamber of Commerce and YMCA-YWCA

