THE QUEEN'S AWARD FOR VOLUNTARY SERVICE 2014

EAS	EAST OF ENGLAND		
GRC	UP NAME & LIEUTENANCY	CITATION	
-	Bedfordshire		
1	Diverse FM ashukahmed@yahoo.com	Promoting greater community integration and assisting disengaged and disadvantaged people to gaining key life and employability skills	
2	OM Group vikasacharya@om-unity.com	Helping to unite the community through social, sporting, educational and cultural events and integrating wider society through selfless service	
3	Primrose Car Service Volunteers Delphi.ellis@bedfordhospital.nhs.uk	Providing personalised transport for cancer patients receiving multiple treatments at a cancer centre	
4	Road Victims Trust Bedfordshire Volunteers francesb@rvtrust.co.uk	Providing emotional and practical support to people affected by the trauma and grief of road death.	
5	The Shuttleworth Veteran Aeroplane Society (Volunteer Workers) svas@shuttleworth.org	Educating the public in the science, practice and history of aviation and motoring by supporting the charitable work of the Shuttleworth Collection.	
	Norfolk		
6	Holt Area Caring Society stevebenson2@btinternet.com	Transporting people in the rural community to hospital and medical appointments	
EAS	TMIDLANDS		
	Nottinghamshire		
7	Arkwright Meadows Community Gardens deirdrewhitworth@hotmail.co.uk	Providing a green oasis in the inner-city, growing fruit, vegetables and plants and offering recreational and educational training and horticulture-based activities.	
8	Bassetlaw Action Centre Itupling@bassetlawactioncentre.org.uk	Promoting the independence of older and vulnerable people throughout Bassetlaw district.	

9	Netherfield Forum netherfieldforum@hotmail.com	Assisting with the relief of poverty and the provision of youth, educational and recreational activities for all within the community and surrounding areas.
GRE	ATER LONDON	
10	Angel Community Canal Boat Trust john@acct.org.uk	Operating a canal narrowboat for young, disadvantaged, elderly and isolated people on day and residential trips to enjoy the waterways, environment, and experience working together as crew
11	CoolTan Arts michelle@cooltanarts.org.uk	Enhancing mental well-being through the power of creativity - run by and for adults with mental-distress.
12	Cotmandene Community Resource Centre & Mottingham Community & Learning Shop Volunteer Team ccrc@bromley.gov.uk	Supporting the most vulnerable within their local communities of Mottingham and the Cray's
13	Croydon College layzed@staff.croydon.ac.uk	Giving all students the opportunity to volunteer as active citizens in their community. Over 1,500 students volunteered 18,000 hours lobbying, campaigning and representation at the UN.
14	Freightliners Farm liz@freightlinersfarm.org.uk	Bringing a little bit of the countryside to inner city Islington, enabling the local community especially young and vulnerable people to participate in farming, gardening and nature.
15	Friends of Croham Hurst Woods maria.gatland@croydon.gov.uk	Caring for and regenerating ancient woodland by keeping it green and accessible for the local community
16	Greenwich Housing Rights' Duty Advice Scheme Volunteers <u>chris.minnoch@grhr.co.uk</u>	Reducing homelessness by advising and advocating for those at risk of losing their home.
17	Jeremiah Project kevin@jeremiahproject.org.uk	Working together with other churches in Mitcham to provide education, practical and pastoral support, helping people reach their full potential and live fulfilling lives
18	Mentoring and Peer Support (MAPS) HelenGasparelli@vcsutton.org.uk	Placing people who listen with young people who need to be heard through one-to-one mentoring and building a valuable community

19	Merton Street Pastors merton@streetpastors.org.uk	Caring for, listening to and helping people in Mitcham and Wimbledon on the streets late at night on the weekends.
20	The Horse Rangers Association (Hampton Court) admin@horserangers.com	Promoting responsibility, friendship, and self-confidence in young people from diverse backgrounds for 60 years through looking after horses and providing therapy for young carers and those with special needs
21	Volunteers in Positive East rebecca.byekwaso@positiveeast.org.uk	Helping HIV+ people in East London deal with their diagnosis, get back on their feet and fulfill their true potential
22	Waterloo Action Centre jennystileswac@gmail.com	Promoting everyone's right to give as well as receive, WAC, developed by the local community, facilitates economic, diverse and relevant solutions to community needs.
ISLA	NDS Guernsey	
23	Guernsey Samaritans charlotte.cox@live.co.uk	Providing non judgemental, confidential emotional support to anyone in distress or despair, including those with suicidal feelings for 50years in the Guernsey Community
24	St John Care in the Community Library judith.keen@cwgsy.net	Providing easy access to large print books for the elderly and infirm, with the accompanying social interaction which is important in keeping the mind active in later life.
25	The Guernsey Society for Cancer Relief keith.bichard@cwgsy.net	Assisting cancer suffers and their families by supplying services not otherwise provided and helping them through their oncology treatments for the past 30 years
NOR	TH EAST	
	Northumberland	
26	Morpeth Detachment, Northumbria Army Cadet Force gordon.watson@talktalk.net	Delivering structured, interesting and challenging opportunities to young people from all backgrounds to become self reliant, confident members of the community in line with their motto "to inspire to achieve"
	Tyne and Wear	
27	Brunswick Methodist Church Volunteers sue@brunswickmethodist.org.uk	Committed to serving the weak and vulnerable, creating space for young and old and reaching out to the diverse community.

28	The People's Kitchen info@peopleskitchen.co.uk	Providing friendship and food for homeless, disadvantaged, vulnerable people in Newcastle at times when other services are not available. One 150 volunteers give 34,000 hours per year.
NOR		
	Cheshire	
29	Fairfield & Howley Neighbourhood Project - The Old School's Committee/Trustees/Volunteers Ian.Smith@Fairfieldhowley.Co.Uk	Providing social, leisure, educational and support facilities in a relatively- deprived inner urban area
30	The Wednesday Disco Team Anthonyhares1943@Yahoo.Co.Uk	Providing a valued and much loved, non-funded, social activity for people with learning disabilities, right in the heart of the local community for more than two decades
	Cumbria	
31	Theatre by the Lake Front of House Volunteers Mary.Elliott@theatrebythelake.com	Giving the theatre a smiling, welcoming face; assisting visitors and ensuring they have the best possible experience.
	Lancashire	
32	Rossall Beach Residents & Community Group secretary@rossallbeach.org.uk	Working together to improve and look after the Rossall Beach area to create a better place for everyone who uses it and the residing wildlife
33	Sandy Lane Gardening Group gerryb48@btinternet.com	Creating opportunities for Creative Support service users with mental health needs to participate in and contribute to their local community, working in partnership with other third sector organisations.
	Greater Manchester	
34	Abraham moss warriors abrahammosswarriorsjfc@yahoo.co.uk	Delivering a range of sport for development activities using football as the vehicle. All different-all equal-all welcome.
35	Bury involvement group in mental health mentalhealth@buryinvolvementgroup.org	Providing hope, support and empowering adults with mental health conditions and others in recovery.
36	Bury society for blind & partially sighted jill.logan@buryblindsociety.org	Increasing confidence and providing support for local people with a visual impairment, enabling them to lead full and active lives.
37	Compassion in action	Meeting the needs of people in crisis and giving hope to the most

	pam@compassioninaction.info	vulnerable in our society	
38	Friends of debdale park allangrafton@live.co.uk	Creating a place where there is something for everyone in the community through health and social projects, training and pre employment schemes.	
39	Oldham bereavement support service (obss) bill.barlow1983@gmail.com	Providing understanding, support and hope to bereaved adults and children	
40	Salford heart care branches@salfordheartcare.co.uk	Supporting the community, reducing social isolation, improving health and well being, preventing heart-related illnesses and after care for people with heart conditions and long term illnesses	
41	The donkey assisted therapy centre, manchester dat.manchester@thedonkeysanctuary.org.uk	Providing emotional, mental and physical therapy through donkeys, thereby enhancing the lives of children and adults with additional needs.	
42	The hub community centre in altrincham info@ourhub.org	Providing a welcoming facility for all ages, including events, social activities and professional support in order to see lives and communities changed for the better.	
43	The mustard tree info@mustardtree.co.uk	Creating choice and opportunity for people who are homeless or marginalised.	
44	The wellspring jonathan@thewellspring.co.uk	Providing support services to homeless and disadvantaged people aiming to re-engage them in the wider community, by providing effective options 365 days a year to promote independence.	
45	Wood street mission info@woodstreetmission.org.uk	Supporting thousands of local children living in poverty. The devoted team of volunteers provide essential support and comfort to families in need.	
46	Wythenshawe fm community radio volunteers jk@wfmradio.org	Empowering Wythenshawe residents through their own community radio voice by the people, for the people. Working with partners to provide opportunities for new volunteers and learners.	
NOR	NORTHERN IRELAND		
	The County Borough of Belfast		
47	Suffolk Community Gardens Volunteers	Developing Suffolk Community Garden, growing fresh fruit and	

	caroline@suffolkcommunityforum.org.uk	vegetables and rear free range hens at no cost to benefit the disadvantaged community.
SCO	TLAND	
	Angus	
48	Montrose Air Station Heritage Centre rafmontrose@aol.com	Telling the story of the people of the Royal Flying Corps and the Royal Air Force who served at Montrose, 1913-50, the country's first operational Air Station.
	Inverness	
49	Day1 <u>corrin@day1.uk.com</u>	Mentoring young people from tough social backgrounds. Building their confidence and helping them make positive transitional decisions about their future leading them towards sustainable employment.
	Renfrewshire	
50	The President and Committee of the Inverclyde Music Festival mcgregor545@btinternet.com	Providing a platform for performance for young people and adults in Inverclyde and the wider community for one hundred years.
	Stirling and Falkirk	
51	Friends of Abbeyfield Killearn mandbpell@yahoo.com	Providing friendship, support, activities and assistance with integration into the village community for those staying at an Abbeyfield Residential home.
	The City of Glasgow	
52	We Step Together (WEST) donaldhewitson@yahoo.co.uk	Assisting adults with learning disabilities to engage with the wider community and in doing so help to alleviate the loneliness and isolation experienced by many within the disabled community
	Tweeddale	
53	Peeblesshire Youth Trust angie@peeblesshireyouthtrust.org	Offering 1:1 mentoring to young people, aged 10-14, to enable them to improve their confidence and self-esteem
SOU	TH EAST	
	Berkshire	
54	ABC to Read (Assisting Berkshire Children to Read) Marciarowlinson@gmail.com	Advancing the education and self-confidence of primary school children in Berkshire, by helping them to overcome reading difficulties, giving

		them a skill for life.
55	Berkshire county blind society <u>ceo@bcbs.org.uk</u>	Helping visually-impaired people across berkshire to live active and independent lives by supporting them in a varied programme of social , leisure and cultural activities
56	Crowthorne Old Age to Teen Society <u>Yvonne.hattersley@btinternet.com</u>	Providing companionship, healthy meals and stimulating activities for older people in the local community in addition to providing respite for their carers.
57	Elizabeth house, cookham admin@elizabethhousecookham.org	Providing the oldest resident members a warm welcome, good companionship, lunches and numerous stimulating activities for more than thirty years
58	Kerith community church andy.jackson@kerith.co.uk	Seeking to serve and transform the local community through a range of practical projects and initiatives
59	Mortimer village partnership (mvp) mortimervillagepartnership@gmail.com	Building a stronger community and enriching village life by enabling all mortimer residents to volunteer in local events, clubs, services, communications and entertainments.
60	Slough furniture project (homemaker) sfphomemakers@yahoo.co.uk	Working for the betterment of financially underprivileged and vulnerable people within the community
	Buckinghamshire	
61	Wycombe Homeless Connection Christian Trust <u>contact@wyhoc.org.uk</u>	Helping individuals to escape from homelessness and rebuild their lives, by offering resettlement advice and support and running the Wycombe Winter Night Shelter
	East Sussex	
62	Alfriston & Cuckmere Valley Heartstart jen.dumelow@gmail.com	Providing a voluntary medical first response group, trained by the ambulance service to immediately attend emergency calls within their rural area until backup arrives
63	Beachy Head Chaplaincy Team gail.whitington@bhct.org.uk	Helping to find and assist those in distress or considering suicide at Beachy Head. The team is equipped, trained, and present on duty, night and day.

64	Brighton & Hove Healthwalks corinna.edwards-colledge@brighton-hove.gov.uk	Leading walks across Brighton & Hove for people of all ages and abilities to help them get active, improve their mental and physical health and meet new people.
65	The Oyster Project admin@oysterproject.org.uk	Creates meaningful opportunities for voluntary action and activity by fellow disabled people who want to support the community.
	Essex	
66	Harlow District Scouts ann.nutt@ntlworld.com	Providing fun and friendship, challenge and everyday adventure through Scouting, to young people in Harlow
	Hampshire	
67	The Farnborough Air Sciences Trust richard@richardgardnerassociates.com	Safeguarding, displaying and making available documentation and artefacts recording 100 years of continuous air science development at Farnborough, creating an engineering and history-themed education centre and community cultural facility.
68	Titchfield Amateur Boxing Club ken.charman@superscoot.net	Welcoming members from all walks of life and striving to assist local charities financially, especially focusing on helping handicapped children.
	Kent	
69	Kent Special Constabulary gavin.mckinnon@kent.pnn.police.uk	Providing innovative community focussed volunteer policing to the people of Kent in support of the regular force.
	Oxfordshire	
70	Oxford Hub manager@oxfordhub.org	Connecting university students with volunteering and social action opportunities in Oxford; tackling homelessness, educational disadvantage, food waste and elderly isolation
	Surrey	
71	Sebastian's Action Trust jane@sebastiansactiontrust.org	Providing dedicated services to families of life-limited children and young people from diagnosis, through treatment and beyond.
	The Isle of Wight	
72	Isle of Wight Society for the Blind <u>ceo@iwsb.org.uk</u>	Supporting blind and partially sighted residents of the Isle of Wight through advice, friendship, information and activities.

	West Sussex	
73	Sussex Neighbourhood Watch Search Teams derek.pratt@btconnect.com	Assisting Police in the search for missing high risk vulnerable persons, and evidence which may be crucial to a police enquiry
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	Cornwall	
74	Chicks Coastal Retreat Cornwall <u>Tim@Chicks.org.uk</u>	Providing free respite breaks for disadvantaged children from across the UK
	Gloucestershire	
75	Youth for Youth Laura.lewis-paul@creativeyouthnetwork.org.uk	Encouraging young volunteers to lead and stage events for communities across Bristol and the West of England.
	Somerset	
76	Burnham Area Rescue Boat (BARB) Rogerflower@talktalk.net	Saving and protecting lives using the rescue hovercraft and inshore boat.
77	Stand Against Violence <u>A.fouracre@sav-ed.co.uk</u>	Reducing and preventing interpersonal violence through education and primary intervention
78	Taunton Street Pastors Adrianjps@aol.com	Dealing with the issues of vulnerable people and helping to diffuse aggressive situations
79	The Helicopter Museum Helimuseum@btconnect.com	Restoring and conserving this rare aircraft collection. Over eighty volunteers maintain the archives and running special events, the shop and other aspects of the museum.
80	The Mayor of Bath's Corps of Honorary Guides	Conducting local people and visitors on free daily walking tours around

	Info@bathguides.org.uk	Bath to enhance their appreciation of the city by describing and explaining its historic attractions.
	The City and County of Bristol	
81	One25 Limited Gill@one25.org.uk	Reaching out to women trapped in or vulnerable to street sex work, supporting them to break free and build new lives away from violence, poverty and addiction
	Wiltshire	
82	Swindon 105.5 Shirley.ludford@swindon1055.com	Providing training and volunteering opportunities, currently to ages 9 to 73, with success stories of personal development and achievement via an accessible, inclusive non-commercial community radio station.
WAL	ES	
	West Glamorgan	
83	Discovery Student Volunteering Swansea discovery@swansea.ac.uk	Enriching the lives of disadvantaged and vulnerable people in Swansea and Zambia.
WES	ST MIDLANDS	
	Shropshire	
84	Festival Drayton Centre geoff@festivaldraytoncentre.com	Creating quality of life enhancing opportunities for the whole community and beyond by providing multi-purpose facilities including cinema, theatre, exhibition gallery and a coffee shop.
85	Severn Hospice philb@severnhospice.org.uk	Donating time, skills and enthusiasm to ensure specialist care is accessible for people throughout Shropshire and Mid Wales who are living with cancer and other incurable illnesses.
86	Wellington Cottage Care Trust	Providing high-quality, nurse-led, person-centred Day Care for adults of
00	vickyjbrain@yahoo.co.uk	any age with medical care needs and disabilities.

	Staffordshire	
87	DEAFvibe deafvibe@yahoo.co.uk	Offering accessible services that ensure all deaf people are treated equally and with respect. Providing access to information and communication promoting full participation in the wider community
88	HAMMERWICH CRICKET CLUB v.box@uwclub.net	Providing a safe, friendly and structured environment for people of all ages in cricket and supporting the wider community in charity fundraising projects.
89	HMP Featherstone Visitors' Centre Volunteers victoriasmith87@btinternet.com	Making the whole visiting process for families and friends more welcoming and less stressful by offering a listening ear, providing refreshments and supporting those who are troubled or despondent.
90	Mow Cop Residents Association des_ball56@yahoo.co.uk	Providing an increasing range of amenities, facilities and services for everyone in the local community for the last ten years.
91	Oak Tree Farm Rural Project oakmanager@btconnect.com	Helping people with learning disabilities with the practical activities of growing, gardening, pottery, catering and animal care.
92	Stafford Decorative & Fine Arts Society (Stafford DFAS) Heritage Volunteers & Church Recorders postmaster@stafforddfas.org.uk	Promoting universal and lasting awareness and enthusiasm by recording, preserving and conserving Staffordshire's rich cultural heritage
93	Swan Bank Methodist Mission revacooper@btinternet.com	Increasing engagement and reducing isolation by providing a safer space for children and teens; welcoming lunch for elderly, a food-bank and Community Library.
94	Tamworth Samaritans director@tamworthsamaritans.org.uk	Providing confidential and emotional support to people in distress and despair within the community.
95	The Claymills Pumping Engines Trust callen59@sky.com	Working to restore and operate Britain's most complete example of a Victorian sewage pumping station for the public.
96	The Grocott Centre	Supporting vulnerable people in our community through the provision of

	thegrocottcentre@hotmail.co.uk	support services for both them and their families.
97	Wombourne Volunteer Bureau	Providing transport to medical facilities, drop in centre and support for
0.	wombournebureau@talktalk.net	housebound elderly people through day-care group activities and
		wheelchair loans for 41 years.
	The West Midlands	
98	64th Birmingham Scout Group	Transforming a dilapidated building into a thriving facility creating
	paul.little@birminghamscouts.org.uk	community cohesion via activities for all ages, backgrounds and needs,
		whilst also enabling young people to realise their full potential through
		Scouting.
99	Coventry City Mission	Providing support to vulnerable and disadvantaged individuals and
55	office@covcitymission.org.uk	families across Coventry through the creation and implementation of
	- <u>omocecovorymosion.org.uk</u>	relevant projects and groups.
100	CRASAC - Coventry Rape and Sexual Abuse Centre	Supporting victims of sexual violence from crisis to sustainable recovery
	dianne.whitfield@crasac.org.uk	through a range of specialist sexual violence services made possible
		only through the time, commitment and expertise of our volunteers.
101	Heath Town Senior Citizen's Welfare Project	Offers day care services to older people who are feeling isolated, lonely
	heathtown@talktalkbusiness.net	and distressed.
102	New Heights Warren Farm Community Project	Providing support for people and families of all ages and needs within
102	ctk newheights@yahoo.co.uk	the local community.
103	Phoenix Swimming Club for Disabled people	Providing a vibrant, inclusive environment for disabled people of all ages
	naima.alikhan@yahoo.co.uk	and abilities to enjoy life enhancing exercise, fun and friendship through
		swimming.
104	Power Pleas Trust	Providing powered outdoor wheelchairs and other mobility aids to young
	keithoberry@hotmail.com	people with disability in the Wolverhampton area.
105	SUIT - Service User Involvement Team	Training recovering addicts and empowering those who are suffering
105	SDhadley@wolverhamptonvsc.org.uk	from addiction to move forward with their lives and start contributing
	<u>Conducy & workernamptor vol.org.uit</u>	positively to themselves and society as a whole.
106	The Hope Centre, Halesowen	Welcoming, serving and listening to everyone at the Centre, regardless
	hopecentre@hotmail.com	of circumstance, lifestyle or any other factor.

107	The LGBT Network, Wolverhampton info@lgbtwolverhampton.org.uk	Working within the local community, providing services to improve the lives of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Trans (LGBT) people.
108	Troop Aid pamsutton@troopaid.info	Supporting Military Personnel by providing them with a Grab Bag containing basic personal essentials when they are hospitalised following injuries in conflict or other emergency situations.
	Warwickshire	
109	Friends of the Hospital of St Cross heather.green12@btinternet.com	Operating a range of voluntary services for the Hospital of St Cross Rugby and fundraising to provide equipment to improve hospital facilities
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	The East Riding of Yorkshire	
YOR 110	-	Helping the long-term unemployed, ex-offenders and other marginalised people participate fully in their community by providing work placements and training to help them find secure employment.
	The East Riding of Yorkshire Giroscope Limited	people participate fully in their community by providing work placements

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