



# CBRM Volunteer Awards- Nomination Form

All nominations must include:

- This completed nomination form
- Two (2) letters of support
- Any additional documents warranting consideration

All nominations must be completed in full to be considered. Nominations are accepted year round, with those received after the deadline rolled over to the next consideration period. Due to the volume of applications, only those chosen for awards will be contacted.

**Nomination Deadline:** April 7, 2026

**Award Ceremony:** During National Volunteer Week (April 19-25, 2026)

Submit completed nomination packages to CBRM Recreation:

Email: [recreation@cbrm.ns.ca](mailto:recreation@cbrm.ns.ca)

Mail: CBRM Recreation, 320 Esplanade Suite 204, Sydney NS B1P 7B9

The CBRM Volunteer Awards recognize citizens who have made outstanding volunteer contributions to recreation in our community. The following 3 awards are

## **Anne Holland Memorial Award-** Outstanding Community Volunteer

To recognize an individual who has made an outstanding contribution to the inception and growth of community opportunities within the field of recreation.

Nominees must have made a significant contribution in one or more of the following criteria:

- exhibited high standard of volunteer performance (e.g. dedication, commitment, time, energy, attitude, and motivation)
- contributed to a broad range of activities within the field of community volunteerism
- shown outstanding leadership in the field of volunteerism

## **Gary McDonald Memorial Award-** Outstanding Volunteer Group or Project

Presented to a volunteer group to recognize an outstanding project that improves recreation opportunities in the CBRM.

Projects must have made a significant contribution in one or more of the following criteria:

- increased available opportunities that have proven to be innovative or unique
- included a significant number of participants
- endeavoured to encompass all-inclusive services for community members

## Youth Volunteer Award- Outstanding Youth Volunteer

Students throughout the Cape Breton Regional Municipality that attend area schools or postsecondary institutions will be considered for this award. Open to students 25 years and younger.

Nominees must have made a significant contribution in one or more of the following criteria:

- demonstrated a balance between volunteering for school, community projects, and/or community organizations
- show their volunteer activities have taken place in a variety of areas or purposes
- volunteers a significant number of hours on a regular basis for specific activities, projects, or organizations
- shown impact through their leadership

## Award Category

**Anne Holland Memorial Award** – Outstanding Community Volunteer

**Gary McDonald Memorial Award** – Outstanding Volunteer Group or Project

**Youth Volunteer Award** – Outstanding Youth Volunteer (students 25 and under)

## Nominee Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Nominator Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

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Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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