

# **NOMINATION FORM**

# **CATEGORY OF MAYOR'S CIVIC AWARD**

(Please tick as applicable):

Young Person of the Year
Community Organisation of the Year
Business of the Year
Citizen of the Year
Initiative of the Year
Volunteer of the Year

I nominate the following person/ organisation/ business for a Mayor's Civic Award:

Surname of nominee:	
(Where applicable)	
Forename:	
(Where applicable)	
Title:	
(Where applicable)	
Business/ Organisation	
Name:	
(Where applicable)	
Contact details for nominee	
(including email):	
important that you provide as rhelp them stand out.	has made a significant contribution to their nominated category. It is much detail as possible about the achievements of your nominee to 200 words the reasons why you consider that the nominee should

Please describe in no more than 200 words the benefits resulting from the nominee's service to a particular field, area, group, business sector or the community.				
Details of the person making	the nomination:	_		
Surname:				
Forename:				
Title:				
Address:				
Post Code:				
Post Code:				
Telephone No:				
Email address:				
Relationship to nominee				
Signature:				
Date:				

By completing this form you are giving consent for Alcester Town Council to retain the information in accordance with the Data Protection Act 2018. Contact details are provided for the purposes of the Awards evening only. Please see our Privacy Notice.

#### Please complete and return the form by 5pm Friday 9 January 2026 to:

Kyla Brown, Deputy Town Clerk Alcester Town Council Globe House Priory Road Alcester B49 5DZ

Or email: mayor@alcester-tc.gov.uk

# **Guidance Notes for the Mayor's Civic Awards**

#### Who can be nominated?

The Mayor's Civic Awards use an 'open' nomination scheme. This means that anyone can nominate a resident, initiative, organisation or business for an award as long as the nominee meets the criteria for that award.

# Young Person of the Year Award

This award recognises an individual young person or group of young people, aged 18 and under, who have made a positive contribution to the local community and demonstrated exceptional community spirit and civic responsibility. Nominations can be for excellence displayed in a number of ways including success in areas that are not normally recognised or awarded eg. acts of bravery, kindness in helping others, outstanding commitment for caring for others or improving our community.

# **Community Organisation of the Year Award**

This award recognises an organisation that has made a positive impact on the community of Alcester. This could include a voluntary body, sports club or charity which has made a significant contribution to our unique community spirit and has promoted Alcester outside of the town.

## **Business of the Year Award**

This award seeks to recognises a business that has made a significant contribution to Alcester in the broadest sense. This could include the economy, promotion of tourism, establishing Alcester as a centre of excellence or support for community events.

# Citizen of the Year Award

This award recognises an individual's exceptional and continued commitment to Alcester over a considerable period of time and an outstanding contribution to the life of the community. Someone who has supported the community and made a difference time and time again, with a real commitment to others who live, work or learn in the town and could include volunteering, community work, helping neighbours or carrying out exceptional deeds.

#### Initiative of the Year Award

This award recognises an outstanding project, program or effort that has demonstrated exceptional innovation, impact, or execution over the past year. This award honours an initiative that has clear intended goals, demonstrated active and inclusive engagement with the community, and results or will result in measurable benefits. This award celebrates those who turn bold ideas into meaningful action, setting a standard of excellence and inspiring others through their commitment to progress and positive change.

#### Volunteer of the Year Award

This award honours an individual whose dedication, compassion, and service have made an exceptional impact on our community. This award recognises a volunteer who has gone above and beyond, giving their time, skills, and energy to support their mission while inspiring others through their leadership and commitment. Their contribution has created meaningful change, strengthened our community, and enriched the community of Alcester.

#### When can nominations be made?

Nominations are open between Monday 24 November 2025 and Friday 9 January 2026. Nomination forms can be downloaded from the Alcester Town Council website as an editable PDF. Alternatively, hard copies can be obtained from the Town Council office in Globe House or from Alcester Library. Completed forms can be sent by e-mail to <a href="mayor@alcester-tc.gov.uk">mayor@alcester-tc.gov.uk</a> or posted to Kyla Brown at Alcester Town Council, Globe House, Priory Road, Alcester, B49 5DZ.

#### How will the winners of the awards be decided?

Following the deadline date all the nominations will be reviewed by the Mayor who will select the winner of each award category.

# When will the winners be announced?

The winners of the Mayor's Civic Awards will be announced at a special event to be held on the evening of Thursday 5 February 2026 at the Greig Hall. Invitations to shortlisted nominees and nominators will be sent ahead of the Awards Evening.

#### Important nomination information

- A separate form must be completed for each nomination
- Nomination forms that highlight more than one category will be disqualified
- Alcester Town Council is collating information for the sole purpose of evaluating the nominations for the Mayor's Civic Awards
- Information provided on the nomination form will only be disclosed to relevant council officers dealing with the Awards
- Nominations for the Awards will only be kept until the Awards Evening
- Award Winners will be disclosed to the press and other media
- Please ensure your applications are returned by 5pm on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2026
- The Mayor's decision is final