# Corby Sports Awards 2017

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### 1) Community Club of the Year

For clubs that have made a significant impact or achievement over the past 12 months. This could be by achieving Club Accreditation, having made significant contribution to the community or delivered a successful project that has increased participation and/or volunteering.

**Criteria**
- Clubs must either have a home venue, pitch, clubhouse, facility or regular use of a facility within the borough of Corby.

### 2) Team of the Year

For teams that have achieved success over the past 12 months. Organisations should demonstrate the successes of a particular team and put that success into context. This applies to professional, amateur / community status teams.

**Criteria**
- Teams must either have a home venue, pitch, clubhouse, facility or regular use of a facility within the borough of Corby.
- Teams should be with a club that is based in Corby and be affiliated to the Local / National Governing Body of Sport.

### 3) Coach of the Year

For individuals who have made a significant impact through their coaching over the past 12 months. This can include coaching teams / individuals to relative success or a coach that has made a significant contribution to the community, club or organisation. This is open to professional, paid and unpaid coaches.

**Criteria**
- Nominees should be delivering activity within the borough of Corby.
- Nominees must have a recognised National Governing Body Coaching Certificate
- Coaching can either be in a volunteer or professional capacity
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| 4) Volunteer of the Year                  | For individuals who have made a significant contribution to a community or club project / programme and / or a significant contribution to volunteering at sporting events over the **past 12 months**. This could be someone who is **new to volunteering** or an existing volunteer. This is an addition to the Long Time Contribution to Sports Award, which recognises a longer term commitment to volunteering in sport.                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | • Nominees volunteering must be within the borough of Corby  
• Individuals will be assessed on their volunteering contribution over **the past 12 months**                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| 5) Get Active 2017                        | This award recognises an individual who has significantly improved their health and wellbeing by becoming more active either through sport, exercise or active recreation in the past 12 months.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | • Nominees must live in the borough of Corby  
• Age 16+                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| 6) Young Leader of the Year               | For individuals who have been actively volunteering in the community or club environment over the past 12 months and have shown leadership qualities and potential for the future.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | • Nominees should be delivering activity within the borough of Corby  
• Nominees with CSLA, Leadership or NGB coaching qualification would be at an advantage  
• Nominees must be under 18 years of age on 1st September 2017                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 7) Young Sports Person 2017               | For individuals who have had success at elite level in the past 12 months- this can be regional, national or international success or representation. County representation (i.e. cricket) and young people who have shown great sporting advocacy and leadership qualities (i.e. as a captain) can also be a contributing factor.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | • Nominees must live, represent a club or go to school within the borough of Corby or have represented Corby at a county level or above  
• Nominees must be under 18 years of age on 1st September 2017                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 8) Disabled Sports Achiever 2017          | For individuals who have had success in the past 12 months – this can be county, regional, national or international success or representation. People who have also shown great sporting advocacy and leadership qualities can also be a contributing factor.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | • Nominees must live, represent a club or go to school within the borough of Corby and have represented Corby at county level or above  
• Nominees must be registered disabled                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
9) Local Sportsperson 2017
For individuals who have had success at an elite level in the past 12 months – this can be regional, national or international success or representation. People who have also shown great sporting advocacy and leadership qualities (i.e. as a captain) can also be a contributing factor.
Criteria
- Nominees must live, represent a club or are based within the borough of Corby or have represented Corby at county level or above
- Nominees must be over 18 on the 1st September 2017

10) Long time Contribution to Sport
For individuals (or can be a group) who have made a significant contribution to the development of sport or range of sports in a community or club environment, and in some cases exceeding expectations of their paid / volunteer roles. This can be over any length of time period.
Criteria
- Nominee’s contribution must be within the borough of Corby.

11) Sports Project of the Year award
This award will celebrate the work of projects designed to get more people participating in sport. The award is open to any individual, group or club that has successfully delivered a project in Northamptonshire that has helped to regularly increase and sustain participation in sport by Northamptonshire residents.
Criteria
- The project must have been delivered in Northamptonshire for communities predominantly living in Northamptonshire
- The project must have been delivered in the last 12 months
- If the project is for a longer period of time, more focus should be given to the achievements of the project during this year.

12) Sport School of the Year – Primary
This award recognises a Primary school that has made a significant impact with its delivery and commitment to PE and School Sport, has used programmes such as the School Games and Change 4 Life to embed PE & sport within the school’s ethos and has enabled students to access community based opportunities.
Criteria
- School must hold the most recent School Games Mark award

13) Sport School of the Year – Secondary
This award recognises a Secondary school that has made a significant impact with its delivery and commitment to PE and School Sport. The school must demonstrate it has provided a broad and quality PE curriculum for all students, have strong cross curricular links, have used programme such as the School Games, Change 4 Life and Young leadership to embed PE & Sport across the school, have taken a lead within an area / Partnership and have enabled students to access community based opportunities.
Criteria
- School must hold the most recent School Games Mark award