

# Celebrating Prevention and Protection Awards 2023



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# New for 2023



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For 2023, we will be hosting the Celebrating NFCC Prevention and Protection Awards which recognises and celebrates the achievements of prevention and protection activity in Fire and Rescue Services.

The presentation of the awards will take place during the networking dinner on the 14<sup>th</sup> November of the NFCC Prevention and Protection conference, taking place 14<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> November 2023, where winners will be announced on the night. By nominating an individual or team, you will be supporting their skills, dedication and commitment whilst also helping to raise the profile of prevention and protection work.

Make sure you register your attendance for the conference to be part of the night.

## How to nominate?

The best way to enter is via our online nomination entry form below.

**Categories are open to both prevention and protection teams, receiving separate awards in their area of work**

1. Choose the category or categories for which you want to nominate the individual or team. If you are entering more than one category, please make a separate entry for each category.
2. Write an account of no more than 500 words saying why the individual or team should be considered.
3. Fill in the [online nomination entry form](#) by the closing date, 10<sup>th</sup> October 2023.

# What are the categories?



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**These award categories are open to both Prevention and Protection colleagues**

## **Outstanding Contribution Award**

The Outstanding Contribution Award will be presented to an individual who has shown great contribution to the work of prevention or protection. They are a committed individual who goes the extra mile to advocate and enable the development of prevention activity. They have made a significant impact to national prevention or protection work to support the continual improvement of Fire and Rescue Services. As a leader and team player, they are hardworking and dedicated to all areas of prevention or protection.

## **Partnership Working Award**

The Partnership Working Award will be presented to a Fire and Rescue Service who can demonstrate excellence in multi-agency working, and participation in collaboration which has made an improvement to the community they serve.

## **Team Award**

The Team Award will be presented to a team that can demonstrate being productive, approachable, supportive, respectful of others and working collaborative through high performance to achieve their working objectives.

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### **Volunteering Award**

The Volunteering Award will be presented to an outstanding volunteer, who exhibits commitment in supporting their Fire and Rescue Service through teamwork and have made an impact in their community by delivering safety education messages. This individual is an ambassador for volunteers and has truly demonstrated that volunteering can help reduce incidents and save lives.

## **This award category is only open to Prevention colleagues**

### **Children and Young People Award**

This award category is for those working within prevention work. The Children and Young People Award will be presented to a Fire and Rescue Service that can demonstrate the positive impact that its work with children and young people has achieved. This could include any engagement or intervention whether it be targeted or universal.



# Key dates



**Closing date for entries:  
10<sup>th</sup> October 2023**

**Shortlisted entries announced by:  
31<sup>st</sup> October 2023**

**Award ceremony:  
14<sup>th</sup> November 2023  
(at the NFCC Prevention and Protection Conference)**



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## Rules for entry

- ☆ The awards are open to anyone working in a Fire and Rescue Service or externally within other organisations, that have championed prevention and protection within the sector
- ☆ All entries are treated confidentially
- ☆ Entries will be judged by separate panels for prevention and protection
- ☆ Entries are online only
- ☆ To attend the Awards Ceremony, you need to book a place at the [NFCC Prevention and Protection Conference and dinner](#)