

Dublin South Central



# **GARDA YOUTH AWARDS 2025**



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**Dublin South Central Gardaí in association with Aviva Insurance present the annual Dublin South Central Youth Awards. These awards celebrate outstanding young people between 13 and 21 years of age and recognise the good work being done by young people throughout the communities of Dublin South Central.**

**Awards will be considered for nominated young people who by their presence make their communities a better place to live.**

There will also be an award for groups of two or more young people whose combined efforts have contributed positively to their communities. All nominees and group members should be between 13 and 21 years of age. The Dublin South Central Garda Division covers Kevin Street, Pearse Street, Kilmainham and Donnybrook and Irishtown Garda Stations.

As much information as possible should be supplied by nominators in respect of nominees and why you think they deserve an award. Additional space is provided on the reverse of the form. A seconder is required for each nominee.



## YOUR DETAILS (NOMINATOR)

Nominator's Name:

Address:

Telephone Number: Club

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Email:

## DETAILS OF THE INDIVIDUAL OR GROUP THAT YOU ARE NOMINATING, AND THE AWARD CATEGORY

Nominee's Name:

Address:

The closing date for receipt of applications: **Wednesday 30th April 2025.**

Please contact **Pearse\_Street\_Community@Garda.ie** if you have any queries in relation to making an application to this year's awards.

Return completed application forms to: **Garda Youth Awards, Pearse Street Garda Station, Pearse Street, Dublin 2**

Scanned completed applications can also be forwarded to **Pearse\_Street\_Community@Garda.ie**

### Rules of the Competition:

1. Awards are confined to those young people who are aged between 13 and 21 years of age on *31st August 2025*.
2. Permanent residence of the young person must be in the Garda Division in which they are nominated.
3. Awards are confined to individuals and groups of two or more people.
4. Judge's decision is final.
5. The Judging Panel will decide upon one nominee in each category to go forward to represent the Division at the National Garda Youth Awards.
6. Any member of the public may nominate anyone whom they feel deserves an award.
7. Nominations may be submitted by family members or relatives.
8. Previous award winners are not eligible.
9. Forms must be signed by a nominator and co-nominator.

**Please see back of for booklet for Important Data Protection Notification**

# AWARD CATEGORIES

All categories are for young people aged between 13 and 21 years.

(Please tick the relevant box)

## INDIVIDUAL AWARD:

Making a positive contribution to their community, making it a better place to live.

## GROUP AWARD:

Groups of 2 or more, making a positive contribution to their community, making it a better place to live.

## SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD:

Overcome difficult circumstances, defied all the odds, and whose commitment deserves recognition.

## COMMUNITY SAFETY AWARD:

Through a crime prevention or safety initiative / innovation, have made their community a safer place to live.

For Individual Award nominations,  
please provide details as requested in SECTION A.

For Group Award nominations,  
please provide details as requested in SECTION A.

For Special Achievement Award nominations,  
please provide details as requested in SECTION B.

For Community Safety Award nominations,  
please provide details as requested in SECTION C.

## **SECTION A. INDIVIDUAL AND GROUP AWARD NOMINATIONS.**

**Please outline how this young person / group has made a positive contribution to their community, making it a better place to live. (Maximum of 100words) .**

**Please outline how this young person / group has shown the spirit of volunteerism. How have they been selfless and dedicated in their actions, without expecting anything in return. (Maximum of 100 words).**

**Please describe how the young person / group has promoted a positive image of young people throughout the community. (Maximum of 100 words). .**

**How have the young person's / group's efforts benefited the community? (Maximum of 100words).**

**Please describe how the young person / group has been a positive role model for others, and gone above and beyond what is required of a young person? (Maximum of 100 words).**

## SECTION B. SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD NOMINATIONS.

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Please outline what difficult personal circumstances the young person has had to overcome in their lives (Maximum of 100words) .

Please outline how this young person has demonstrated personal growth and endurance in the face of those difficulties. (Maximum of 100 words).

Please outline how the young person's efforts and contribution have made a difference in the community. (Maximum of 100 words).

Please outline how many people have been affected by the young person's efforts and contributions. Please indicate how many people have been affected, and how they have been affected. (Maximum of 100words).

Please describe how their actions have been a source of inspiration to others. (Maximum of 100 words).

## **SECTION C. COMMUNITY SAFETY AWARD NOMINATIONS.**

**Please outline how this young person has set about identifying a safety issue in their community. (Maximum of 100words).**

**Please outline why this young decided upon this particular issue, and if they carried out any additional research in advance of their work. (Maximum of 100 words).**

**Please outline what steps the young person took in order to address this issue. What did their work involve? Please provide details of the project. (Maximum of 100 words).**

**Please describe how the young person displayed enthusiasm, passion and creativity in the course of their work on this project? (Maximum of 100words).**

**Please outline the impact the work of this young person has had on their community. Please provide details of any specific benefits to the community as a result of the young person's work? (Maximum of 100 words).**

**IMPORTANT DATA PROTECTION NOTIFICATION** The following Privacy Information is being provided to you as outlined in the General Data Protection Regulation. It is intended to inform you of how the Personal Information provided on this form will be used, by whom and for what purposes.

**Who is the data controller?**

An Garda Síochána are Data Controllers of the Personal Data contained on this form.

**How can I contact the Data Protection Officer for An Garda Síochána?**

An Garda Síochána's Data Protection Officer can be contacted at **dataprotection@garda.ie**, or via post to **Data Protection Unit, Third Floor, 89-94 Capel Street, Dublin 1**. You can contact the Data Protection Officer if you have any questions or wish to make any request in relation to your personal data.

**What is the purpose of processing my Personal Data?**

Your Personal Data will be processed for the purpose of assessing applications for the Dublin South Central Youth Awards.

**Where is your Personal Data stored?**

Your Personal Data as provided on this form will be stored at Pearse Street Garda Station, Pearse Street, Dublin 2.

**How long will your Personal Data be stored for?**

Your Personal Data will be stored until the awards have taken place in 2025, after which time these forms will be securely deleted. Should you win an award, your personal data will be stored for up to twelve months; after which time these applications will also be securely deleted.

**What are my privacy rights relating to my Personal Data?**

You have the right to access your Personal Data and to have your Personal Data updated, rectified, or deleted if you so wish. You have the right to object to your Personal Data being processed and to withdraw your consent to processing - you can do so by contacting us.

**Where can I get further information?**

Further information regarding your rights can be obtained through the Data Protection Commission, 21 FITZWILLIAM SQUARE SOUTH, DUBLIN 2, D02 RD28 IRELAND's, or on the website [www.dataprotection.ie](http://www.dataprotection.ie)

**How do I make a complaint or report a breach?**

Should you wish to make a complaint or report a breach under in relation to your Personal Data, you can do so by emailing the Office of the Data Protection Commissioner using the following email address: **info@dataprotection.ie**