



The Welsh Veterans Awards 2019

Why not join us in celebrating the success of the Military Veteran Community in Wales during the last twelve months!

This black-tie awards ceremony held on Wednesday the 26th June 2019 will include: cocktail reception, a three-course meal and the opportunity to network with successful Military Veteran businesses, organisations and people within Wales.

Nominations can be accepted by Self nomination or via a third party.

The categories of awards include:

- Role Model of the Year
- The Community Award
- Contribution to the Welsh Fitness Industry and Society
- Contribution to Welsh Sport
- Entrepreneur of the Year
- Young Entrepreneur of the Year
- Employer of the Year
- Lifetime Achievement
- Business Leader of the Year
- Volunteer of the Year
- Veterans Business of the Year Award

Entry Criteria

The entry criteria for each category are listed below. If you are keen to enter, please return your application form to info@veteransawards.co.uk or The Veterans Awards, 47 Rhodfa'r Celyn, Coity, Bridgend, South Wales CF35 6FN (Please note: hard copies of applications forms cannot be returned.)

1. Must be based or operate in Wales
2. Will need to provide details in the application form, in accordance with the entry criteria of the specific category.
3. Applicants may apply for more than one category.
4. Applications will be accepted from Friday 1st March 2019
5. All applicants must have applied for entry no later than Friday 3rd May 2019

6. Applicants will be shortlisted and notified no later than Tuesday 10th May 2019
7. The awards are held Wednesday 26th June 2019 at the Village Hotel, Swansea.

Role Model of the Year

- Must be based or operate in Wales
- Must be a Military Veteran
- What was Your Military Service Number, who did you serve with, how long did you serve?
- Have you received any testimonials to your work?
- How have you been a role model?
- What have you done to inspire others?
- Have you inspired other service leavers since leaving the Forces?

The Community Award

- Must be based or operate in Wales
- Must be a Military Veteran
- What was Your Military Service Number, who did you serve with, how long did you serve?
- Have you received any testimonials to your work?
- Do you work for have close links to Charities within the local community?
- How have you gone above and beyond for your local community?
- Do you spread a positive message to the wider community?
- Do you aid former military personnel with their transition to the local community?

Contribution to the Welsh Fitness Industry and Society

- Must be based or operate in Wales
- Must be a Military Veteran
- What was Your Military Service Number, who did you serve with, how long did you serve?
- company do you work for?
- Have you got testimonials from your clients?
- you received any previous awards, nominations or citations for your work
- What have you done to go above and beyond to improve the Health, Fitness and well-being of our nation?
- Have you inspired others to make a change to their lifestyle?

Contribution to Welsh Sport

- Must be based or operate in Wales
- Must be a Military Veteran
- What was Your Military Service Number, who did you serve with, how long did you serve?
- How have you excelled in the Welsh Sport since leaving the Armed Forces?
- Have you played sport or represented their sport at county or national level?
- Have you demonstrated your dedication to this sport? Please give examples how you've gone above and beyond.
- Have you encouraged others within the local community to take up the sport

Entrepreneur of the Year

- Must be based or operate in Wales
- Must be a Military Veteran
- What was Your Military Service Number, who did you serve with, how long did you serve?
- How have you thought outside the box?
- What have you done?
- Are you a shining star and a true inspiration to business people and the community, if so how?
- What makes your idea/project exciting and why is working?
- Have you got any testimonials?

Young Entrepreneur of the Year

- Must be aged under 32yrs of age
- Must be based or operate in Wales
- Must be a Military Veteran
- What was Your Military Service Number, who did you serve with, how long did you serve?
- How have you thought outside the box and developed new ideas?
- What have you done?
- makes you stand out from the rest?
- What makes your idea/project exciting and why is working?
- Have you got any testimonials?

Employer of the Year

- Company Must be based or operate in Wales
- Are you a Business, Charity or Organisation?
- How does your organisation have a commitment to attracting, employing and retaining ex-forces personnel and reservists?
- What support you offer?
- Do you chose to employ former military personnel and serving reservists?

Lifetime Achievement

- Must be based or operate in Wales
- Must be a Military Veteran
- What was Your Military Service Number, who did you serve with, how long did you serve?
- What did you achieve in your Military career that makes you proud?
- What achievements have happened since leaving the military?
- How have you inspired others on Civvy street?
- Have you received any citations and testimonials from your work?

Business Leader of the Year

- Must be based or operate in Wales
- Must be a Military Veteran
- What was Your Military Service Number, w Who did you serve with, how long did you serve?
- What's the name of the Company you work for?
- How have you demonstrated outstanding business leadership?
- has your organisation or department within a large organisation grown?
- How have you contributed to the success of the team?
- We would require you to outline with figures how your leadership has been effective within your organisation.

Volunteer of the Year

- Must be based or operate in Wales
- Must be a Military Veteran
- What was Your Military Service Number, who did you serve with, how long did you serve?
- How have you made an impact on, or contributed to the development of other veterans?
- Where does the volunteering take place?
- How many hours are contributed per week?
- How does their work benefit the community?
- Any other achievements, and where they have gone 'above and beyond' normal expectations?
- Any success stories from their volunteering?

Veterans Business of the Year Award

- Must be based or operate in Wales
- Must be founded or run by a Former Military Veteran
- Who is the military veteran that founded or runs your company. who did they serve with, how long did they serve?
- How have you exceeded your initial targets for growth?
- Have you shown a significance within the Industry you are operating in?
- your Business Overcome challenges, if so what, when, how?
- Have you got the foundations in place for continued success and potential expansion?
- makes you a great place to work at compared to others?
- Have you received any testimonials?

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