

Exceptional Service to Aylmer Awards

From October 2013 to September 2014, former Mayor Jack Couckuyt recognized one individual and one group for their Exceptional Service to Aylmer. Below is a list of those recognized by former Mayor Couckuyt.

September 2014

Ron Sawyer - and - Barbara Warnock

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank Mr. Ron Sawyer and Mrs. Barbara Warnock for their dedication and perseverance with starting the Aylmer Community Theatre in 2001. I salute your initiative and appreciate your achievement. Break a leg!

Aylmer Community Theatre (A.C.T.)

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank A.C.T. for the many years of making us laugh, and think, and enjoy. You have done Aylmer proud. You have made the great "Union Jack" Theatre the place to be!

August 2014

Paul Bode

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank you and recognize your contributions as a Kinsmen Club member, APAC and assist the Chamber of Commerce, BIA, Community Foundation and Cemetery Board by providing meeting room space.

Pine Street West Neighbourhood

Oh behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank you for providing and maintaining flower baskets along Pine Street for many years. This not only supported the 'Communities In Bloom' efforts but has also set an incredible example of community co-operation.

July 2014

Mike Hutchinson

For his continued investment in the Town of Aylmer and to acknowledge his efforts in bringing business to the Town.

Lion's Park Landscaping Volunteers

For their decade long attention to the landscaping needs of Lions Park. Henry Peyenburg, Rob Fulton and Majorie Rimnyak (who is the "gang" leader) are congratulated for their efforts on behalf of the Town.

June 2014

Jack Baribeau

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to recognize the entrepreneurship you have demonstrated in relation to the one million square foot facility known as the Elgin Innovation Centre. Through this project you have encouraged the establishment of a great many businesses at this location.

Aylmer Performing Arts Council (APAC)

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank APAC for bringing world class performers into our community. You provide an amazing attraction and are a superb advertisement for the cultural reputation of Aylmer!

May 2014

Don and Judy Durkee

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank you for being "behind-the-scenes" supporters of all things Aylmer such as involvement with the Aylmer Area Community Foundation, the Library, APAC, the OTH Theatre and municipal concerns.

Aylmer and District Horticultural Society

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank you for many landscaping projects for the Town such as at the OTH, the Bathhouse, Rotary Park daffodils and the gazebo near the splashpad.

April 2014

Tom Hill

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank you for your many years of behind the scenes support and donations to the Town.

Aylmer Fire Department Volunteers

Oh behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank you for you outstanding service to Aylmer.

March 2014

Abe Harms

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank you for exemplary service to the Town for your many years of dedication to the Mennonite Community Services.

Mennonite Community Service

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank the Mennonite Community Services for their many services to the citizens of the Town of Aylmer and area since 1975. Your support of local residents is much appreciated.

February 2014

Duncan Sinclair

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank you for your exemplary service to the Town of Aylmer for starting the Environmental Leadership Program at the East Elgin Secondary School 15 years ago.

Aylmer & Area Community Foundation

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank you for your exemplary service to the Town by providing grants to many projects in the area during your 20 years in the Town.

January 2014

Pat Zimmer

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank you for exemplary service to the Town for being the curator of the Aylmer Museum for 36 years, since its beginning. Thank you for your lifelong work.

Optimist Club

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank you for exemplary service to the Town for providing Christmas Toy Boxes for more than 30 years to local children throughout Aylmer, Malahide, Bayham and Central Elgin. The Optimist Club delivered 650 boxes to children last year!

December 2013

Ron & Yvonne Allen

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank you for exemplary service to the Town for your astounding service in helping Santa Claus for many many years.

Aylmer & Area Community Band & Choir

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank you for exemplary service to the Town for your many years of musical talent for Remembrance Day and during the Christmas season.

November 2013

Mary Jane Lampman

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank you for exemplary service to the Town for your incredible fundraising for the Bandshell and for establishing the Farmers Market in Palmer Park.

Aylmer and East Elgin Agricultural Society

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank you for exemplary service to the Town for your service to the community in providing the Home and Garden Show, The Aylmer Fair, and The Haunted House.

October 2013

Chris Streib

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank you for exemplary service to the Town for your outstanding support in bringing the Family Health Team Facility to the Medical Centre.

Aylmer Kinsmen Club

On behalf of the Town of Aylmer, I wish to thank you for exemplary service to the Town for your annual Santa Claus Parade and Canada Day Fireworks.