

NOMINATION FORM NOTES

for children aged 13 - 17 years

To nominate an individual or sibling group for an award please read the following information, complete a nomination form, and then email it to

BuildOurFutures@wakefield.gov.uk or, post it to **Care4Us Awards, Crofton Young People's Centre, High St, Wakefield WF4 1NF**

Please check that you have read the relevant award guidance and have addressed all the key points. This will help in the judging process.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The Care4Us Awards celebrate all the achievements of children in care from the Wakefield District.

The Care4Us Awards are only for children aged 13 to 17 years old.

One nomination per application form and all boxes must be completed.

It is important that you provide as much clear information and detail as possible in your nomination, including any specific information about certificates gained, levels achieved and the name of any awards or trophies. Incomplete forms will not be included for shortlisting. For help, please ask your child's social worker or contact Richard on **07920 503 473**.

All children that are successful must attend the event with an accompanying foster carer or worker.

AWARD CRITERIA

Awards will be given for achievements under the following categories:

- Being Involved and Making a Difference
- Making Positive Changes
- Being Kind
- Recreational Achievement
- Educational Achievement

DATES AND DEADLINES

The Care4Us Awards take place on **Thursday 20 Feb 2025**.

Children and Young People Services staff, parents, carers and other related professionals can nominate a child. Completed nominations must be submitted no later than **Friday 17 January 2025**.

Places are limited; the judging panel will meet **Friday 24 January**.

Please do not assume your child has been allocated an award until confirmed in writing. Award winners and their carer will be sent an invitation to the award ceremony to accept the award. The awards becomes increasingly popular each year so we encourage you to submit your form early.

EXCEPTIONS

Children in Care, who are the responsibility of another local Authority are not eligible.

Good luck with your nomination form, you will hear from us after the closing date.