



Grande Prairie
Regional Association of
Volunteer Organizations

INDIVIDUAL VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR AWARD

NOMINATION FORM - **Nominations due October 18, 2024**

The 2024 Volunteer of the Year Awards presented by the Grande Prairie Regional Association of Volunteer Organizations (the Association) recognizes the 2024 Individual Volunteer of the Year and Corporate Volunteer of the Year living/operating in the Grande Prairie region for outstanding contributions to the community through their support and acts of volunteerism.

The award recognizes their commitment over the last twelve-month period (November 2023 through October 2024) and the significant impact their efforts have had on a not-for-profit organization(s) in the Grande Prairie region.

Nominations may be made by not-for-profit and voluntary organizations, community groups, education institutions, levels of government or individuals in order to acknowledge a company who deserves recognition for their efforts.

The Awards will be presented at the 2024 Volunteer Awards Ceremony, during the Annual International Volunteer Day Celebration Breakfast on December 5th, 2024. The Grande Prairie Regional Association of Volunteer Organizations will notify award winners prior to presentation.

The 2024 Individual Volunteer of the Year Award is sponsored by



Nomination Guidelines

1. Anyone over the age of 18 whose volunteer efforts have played a significant role during the last twelve months in the Grande Prairie area is eligible.
2. The contribution(s) for which the nominee receives nomination for must have occurred through November 2023 – October 2024.
3. Nominations cannot be submitted without the permission of the nominee.
4. If more than one nomination is submitted for the same nominee, all the information received will be considered as one submission.
5. Nomination form must be completely filled out and submitted on or before nomination deadline.
6. By signing the nomination form, each nominator and nominee: Agree to abide by the guidelines that govern the Volunteer of the Year Award; Consents to participating in the awards program and in the nomination process; Consents to having photographs taken for award-related publicity purposes; & Consents to the use of the winner's name, photograph & nomination material in any awards-related publicity carried out by the Association.
7. The decisions of the selection committee are final.
8. Nominations (including all supporting materials) become the property of the Association and will not be returned. The Association takes no responsibility for incomplete, inaccurate, lost or late nominations.

Please mail, email, drop off or fax completed nominations to:
Grande Prairie Regional Association of Volunteer Organizations
101, 10101 100 Avenue Grande Prairie, AB T8V 0V4
T: 780-538-2727 F: 780-539-5986 E: programs@volunteergp.com
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Nominee Information:

Full Name: _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____, AB, Postal Code: _____

Email: _____

Phone Number: _____ Alternate Phone Number: _____

Employment status (select): F/T P/T Retired Student Not employed

Age Range (select): 18-24 25-40 41-65 66+

Nominee must sign and agree to the following: I have read the complete nomination submission and certify that it accurately describes my and/or my business/corporation's volunteer and community work. I agree that it may be provided by the nominator to Grande Prairie Regional Association of Volunteer Organizations, and that Grande Prairie Regional Association of Volunteer Organizations may collect the information on that basis, so that I/my child may be considered for the Volunteer of the Year Awards. I also agree that Grande Prairie Regional Association of Volunteer Organizations may contact the references who are identified in this submission to verify the information provided or to seek additional related information from them. Should I/my business/corporation be selected for the Award, I consent to the use and disclosure of my and/or my business/corporation's personal/business information (including photographs, video, name and quotation) as necessary, without compensation, for awards-related publicity and promotion of volunteerism.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Nominator Information:

Full Name: _____ Title: _____

Organization: _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____, AB, Postal Code: _____

Email: _____

Phone Number: _____ Alternate Phone Number: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Personal Information Protection Act (PIPA)

The personal information in the submission about the nominator and the nominee is collected under the Personal Information Protection Act. The information will only be used for the purpose of administering the Volunteer of the Year Awards program and to select and publicize the achievements of the award recipients. All information collected is protected under the policies of the Grande Prairie Regional Association of Volunteer Organizations

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3. How does the nominee's work improve or change our community? What sets them apart from other volunteers?

4. Please share a story of how this volunteer has affected the life of another person in the community or how this volunteer has added to the organization's success.

5. Please briefly describe any additional volunteer work performed by the nominee with other agencies

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