

HAL & ELSPETH ROGERS NATIONAL SERVICE AWARD

Objective:

- To encourage clubs to participate in service work within their community
- To recognize the club that has contributed the most to the fundamental objective of the Association i.e. service work

Management:

1. The service project must have been completed within the 12 month period prior to the date of the conference at which it was originally presented (Zone or District).
2. The same service project may not be entered in two successive years unless it has been materially advanced and/or compared to the involvement of any other parties on the submitted project.
3. Where multiple clubs collaborate on and/or jointly participate in a service project, or where one club materially contributes to the service project of the other during the currency of that project, and only one club chooses to submit the project for award consideration, the other club cannot submit the same project in the following year unless it complies with the previous requirement.
4. A national winner will not be allowed to enter the same project for three years after winning the award.
5. The preferred method of entry is a power point presentation which includes at least 10 photographs and a written narrative of up to 2000 words. The submission shall be forwarded on three compact disks, or paper form in **triplicate**. No other form of submission will be accepted
6. The disk forwarded pursuant to paragraph 5 hereof may be used by National Headquarters for presentation of the district winners at National Convention and may also be used in national publications and on the national website

Judges

- The national awards committee will appoint a panel of three judges

Reward:

- The winner will receive a keeper plaque and club banner crest
- The winners name will also be added to the National Plaque
- The winner and runner up will be announced at National Convention

SERVICE AWARD MARKING GUIDELINE

	MAX	PTS	COMMENTS
COMMUNITY BENEFITS	20		
a) Community's acceptance of the project	10		
b) Number of people benefiting from the project	10		
PUBLIC RELATIONS	20		
a) Did the club gain community recognition?	5		
b) Were additional members obtained as a result of the project?	5		
c) Was the public awareness of the Association raised?	5		
d) Were media outlets used i.e newspaper, radio, T.V?	5		
PARTICIPATION	20		
a) How did the club support the project?	2		
b) Percentage of members participating?	2		
c) Duration of the project	2		
d) Number of person hours spent on the project	2		
e) Duration of fund raising for the project	2		
f) Number of person hours spent on fund raising for the project	2		
g) Other clubs participation	2		
h) Community participation	2		
i) Government funding	2		

j) Other sources of funding	2		
PROJECT DESCRIPTION	20		
a) Organization of the project	5		
b) Development of the project	5		
c) Detailed description of the project	5		
d) Quality of submission (introduction, conclusion, language etc.)	5		
TOTAL POINTS	80		