

## BBC Power of Sport Award

Supported by Sport England

### Terms and Conditions for Nominations

1. The 'Power of Sport Award' should be made to a project or initiative that best meets the following criteria:
  - makes a real and sustainable impact and involves the local community
  - involves a recognised sport (for a definition of "recognised sport", please go to [http://www.sportengland.org/about\\_us/recognised\\_sports.aspx](http://www.sportengland.org/about_us/recognised_sports.aspx))
  - has resulted in the local community becoming more engaged in sport
  - be supported by a case study that brings the project to life
2. Another key element is how each project has addressed the needs of young people and under-represented groups in sport which include: disabled people, black and minority ethnic groups, and people on low income and older people (over 45).
3. Nominations can be made from a form to be found on [www.bbc.co.uk/england](http://www.bbc.co.uk/england) and be submitted by Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2009. Sport England, who are supporting the Award, will also propose nominations.
4. All nominations must identify the relevant individuals who should take credit and own the project or initiative, as well as details on how best to contact them. Those individuals will be contacted and asked to confirm that the project/initiative is of their own creation and, to the best of their knowledge, no other person could claim authorship over the project or initiative. If they have been inspired by a similar project/initiative, details should be provided.
5. A regional BBC organiser/representative in each of the 12 English regions will shortlist no more than 10 nominees in their respective regions. The short-listing criteria will be as above.
6. A regional judging panel consisting of both BBC and non-BBC judges will then select a regional BBC Power of Sport winner from those shortlisted, based on the criteria above.
7. Winners will be announced by the relevant BBC regions in due course on regional TV, local radio and BBC Local websites.
8. The BBC reserves the right to:
  - (i) vary the opening times of the awards;
  - (ii) disqualify any nominee who breaches the rules or has acted fraudulently in any way; and
  - (iii) cancel the awards, at any stage, if in its opinion it is deemed necessary or if circumstances arise outside its control.
9. The BBC, its sub-contractors, subsidiaries and/or agencies cannot accept any responsibility whatsoever for any technical failure or malfunction or any other problem which may result in any nomination not properly registered.

10. The BBC will only use personal details for the purposes of administering this award and will not publish or provide them to anyone without permission. You can read more about the BBC Privacy Policy on: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/privacy>
11. The BBC Power of Sport Awards accords with the BBC's Code of Conduct for Competitions and Voting, details of which can be found on [BBC's code of conduct for competitions](#)
12. The promoter of the award is the British Broadcasting Corporation and is subject to the laws of England and Wales.