

Please outline here why your nominee should win an Award  
Giving as much information as possible (Minimum 50 words):

Additional pages can be provided and feel free to enclose any  
supporting documentation you feel is relevant to your nomination.

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# Rehab/Donegal County Council "People of the Year" Awards 2011

# Nominate Now

Completed nomination forms should be returned to:  
Michael Carty, Rehab Foundation, Wisteria, Ardfarna, Bundoran

Would you like to attend this year's Award Ceremony?  
Tickets are available by contacting Michael Carty 087 4169247  
or Credit Card Booking at 01 2100510



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DONEGAL COUNTY COUNCIL

Rehab  
Investing in People, Changing Perspectives



Is there a hero in your midst? An ordinary person who has done something extraordinary? Someone whose inspiring actions have singled them out for special recognition? Then why not nominate them to receive an Award at the Donegal People Of The Year Awards, organised by Rehab, sponsored by Donegal County Council & supported by the Donegal Democrat on Friday 25th Nov 2011 in The Abbey Hotel, Donegal Town. The Closing Date for Nominations is October 28th 2011.

You can nominate an individual or a group in a particular category or for a People Of The Year Award, Categories are provided here as guidance:

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| 1. Inspirational Person of the Year        | 6. Entrepreneur of the Year                |
| 2. Young Person of the Year (under 25)     | 7. Grand Parent of the Year                |
| 3. Carer of the Year                       | 8. Posthumous                              |
| 4. Community / Voluntary group of the Year | 9. Sport Person / Sport Group              |
| 5. Teacher / Trainer of the Year           | 10. Arts, Music and Culture Person / Group |

The winners of the People of the Year Awards are selected by an adjudicating committee from nominations received from members of the public. For more information on the Awards, telephone 087-4169247

The adjudicating committee reserves the right not to make an Award in a specific category and to transfer nominees to an alternative category at its discretion.

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### Rehab Services in Donegal

In Donegal, through its divisions National Learning Network and RehabCare, Rehab provides services for 92 people with disabilities at four locations. Rehab is a leading non-governmental organisation which works towards a world where every person has the opportunity to achieve their potential. The people who currently use Rehab services include young people and adults with physical, sensory and intellectual disabilities, people with mental health difficulties, people with autism and people with an acquired brain injury. A range of essential services is also provided to older people, carers and others who are marginalised. In partnership with the HSE, RehabCare Donegal provides a range of high-quality person-centred services. These include a centre which provides programmes such as cooking, healthy eating, dance and movement, exercise and leisure, maths and English to 30 people. There is also a supported accommodation service. National Learning Network Donegal provides training funded by FÁS and the Health Service Executive (HSE) for persons out of work through accident, illness, or disability. The centre currently caters for 62 learners in Letterkenny and provide the vocational programmes Employer-Based Training, IT by Distance Learning & JobStart and the rehabilitative programmes Turas, Access, Advance and Prospects.

## Nomination Form | 2011



Name of Nominee: (BLOCK LETTERS PLEASE)

Name:

The following information on the individual / group nominated should be provided if known:

Address:

Tel:

email:

For the following category: (PLEASE TICK)

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| <input type="radio"/> Inspirational Person Of The Year    | <input type="radio"/> Community / Volunteer Group of the Year | <input type="radio"/> Grand Parent of the Year     | <input type="radio"/> Arts, Music and Culture Person / Group |
| <input type="radio"/> Young Person of the Year (under 25) | <input type="radio"/> Teacher / Trainer of the Year           | <input type="radio"/> Posthumous                   |  |
| <input type="radio"/> Carer of the Year                   | <input type="radio"/> Entrepreneur of the Year                | <input type="radio"/> Sports Person / Sports Group |  |

Nominated By:

Tel:

email:

Signature:

Date:

Winners selected from Donegal will go forward as candidates to the National "People of the Year" Awards, which are shown on RTE and held in Dublin.