

MAAW - Manitoba Access Awareness Week Awards Form 2011

“Access for All Manitobans” Means equal opportunity for people with disabilities to participate fully in all aspects of community life including volunteerism, leadership development and the creation of an accessible society.

The Manitoba Access Awareness Achievement Awards (**MAAW Awards**) annually honour outstanding individuals, organizations and businesses for their dedication to creating or enhancing opportunities for participation by people with disabilities. One award winner in each of the three categories will be selected.

Deadline for Nominations: **Friday, May 13, 2011**

Nomination Requirements:

1. An individual, organization, or business that has made exceptional contributions to the lives of people with disabilities in the areas of volunteerism, leadership development, or through the creation of an accessible business, service or workplace for persons with disabilities.
2. The individual, organization or business nominated has contributed significantly to the presence and involvement of persons with disabilities within the community for at least one year by reflecting a positive attitude and the elimination of barriers to the participation of people with disabilities in society.
3. Please complete the form below providing a paragraph or two outlining why the individual, organization or business is being nominated for a Manitoba Access Awareness Award.

4. Individuals, organizations and businesses that were nominated in previous years, but did not receive an award, can be nominated again.

All nominations will be assessed by the Manitoba Access Awareness Week Awards Sub-Committee composed of representatives from the Manitoba League of Persons with Disabilities (which chairs the Steering Committee for Manitoba Access Awareness Week 2011), a representative from the Disabilities Issues Office, Province of Manitoba, (which sponsors the awards) and other representatives from the disability community.

Award recipients will be notified by May 24, 2011.

The Awards:

The Awards will be presented in conjunction with the Province of Manitoba. A ceremony will take place:

Friday, June 3, 2011
Legislative Building
Dining Room (in the Basement)
Noon to 1:30 p.m.
Light Lunch will be served

E-mail completed Nomination Forms to:
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For further information, contact:

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Nomination Form

Name of Nominee:

Address:

City:

Telephone/TTY: (residence)

E-Mail Address:

Name of Nominator:

Address:

City:

Telephone/TTY: (residence)

E-Mail Address:

Please provide two reasons why the individual, organization or business is being nominated for a Manitoba Access Awareness Week Award:

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