

## Village of Mount Prospect Press Release

## **Village Accepting Shining Star Award Nominations**

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The Village of Mount Prospect's Special Events Commission is once again honoring individuals and organizations that have a positive impact on the community. The Shining Star Awards are presented on the basis of nomination by community leaders, business owners, community member and residents. The categories cover a wide range of interest areas and are designed especially to seek out individuals who do things that often go unnoticed. If the person you wish to nominate does not quite fit into the established categories, please create a new category.

Award categories include: Best Neighbor Award, Open Arms Award, Home Town Award, There Ought to Be More Like This Award, Invigorated Youth Award, Star Spangled Banner Award and Community Partner Award.

The nomination form as well as a detailed list of categories and list previous winners are available at <a href="https://www.mountprospect.org">www.mountprospect.org</a>. Click on the Shining Stars logo at the bottom of the home page of the website to be taken to the nominations page. Forms are also available at Village Hall, 50 South Emerson Street. Nominations must be submitted in writing or online, and received no later than midnight, November 29, 2021. Winners are selected in early December and will be announced shortly thereafter.

The awards will be presented at the Shining Star Awards 29th Annual Shining Stars Gala which will be held Saturday, Feb. 5, 2022 at The Cotillion Banquets in Palatine. For more information about the awards and event, please visit www.mountprospect.org.

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