

Dear Supporter,

**THREE WEEKS LEFT TO CELEBRATE YOUR YOUNG PEOPLE WITH A DIANA AWARD**  
**Deadline 17<sup>th</sup> May 2013**

The Diana Award was founded as a legacy to Diana, Princess of Wales' belief that young people have the power to change the world for the better. Since 1999, we have recognised 39,000 young people who have made a positive difference to their community.

***86% of Diana Award Holders said that receiving a Diana Award had changed their lives***

Making a nomination is simple and through our ongoing youth programmes will change that young person's life forever. The Diana Award has five categories for individuals and groups of young people aged between 9 and 18 and an International Award.

To nominate please visit [www.diana-award.org.uk](http://www.diana-award.org.uk) and nominate online today! **The nomination deadline is 17<sup>th</sup> May 2013.** To request an electronic nomination form please email [katie.marple@diana-award.org.uk](mailto:katie.marple@diana-award.org.uk)

Receiving a Diana Award is only the beginning.

The Diana Award is proud to offer three ongoing youth programmes for young people.

**1. The Diana Network** provides 'bite-sized' volunteering, youth voice and engagement opportunities for young people to get involved in as and when they can.

**2. The Diana Antibullying Ambassadors Programme** aims to reduce bullying using a well tested peer led approach. 31million school days are lost per year as a result of bullying; we currently work with 6,000 young people across UK the helping to create a safer and happier environment.

**3. The Diana Training and Mentoring Programme** was launched in 2012 as a result of nearly 1million young people being unemployed. The training sessions cover key employability skills and young people are supported through the programme with a mentor.

As a Diana Award School you are also eligible to attend the WE Youth Day celebration in partnership with Free The Children. The inaugural We Day UK will be taking place at Wembley Arena on 7 March 2014 for up to 10,000 young people from across the United Kingdom. We Day is an educational event that celebrates the hard work of young people in changing the world. Registration for WE Day opens on the 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2013 and is first come first served. For more information please contact [katie.marple@diana-award.org.uk](mailto:katie.marple@diana-award.org.uk)

With your support we can continue to recognise inspirational young people and help them to fulfil their potential. Please do share this email with your colleagues and if you would like to feature us on your social network or e-newsletters then please do get in touch!