



# CHRIST'S HOSPITAL OLD BLUE SPECIAL RECOGNITION AWARD

Christ's Hospital recognises and acknowledges alumni who have made an important contribution to the profile of the School through their achievement. Nominations are sought for alumni who have made an important contribution to the local, national or international community in the course of their career, through voluntary or charitable work or commitment to Christ's Hospital. The fields for which nominations will be considered:

- Achievement in a chosen career
- Community engagement and leadership
- Enterprise and innovation
- Excellence in sports or the arts
- Commitment to Christ's Hospital

*Further details overleaf*

The deadline for nominations for the 2012 award is Friday 17<sup>th</sup> February 2012. The successful alumnus / alumna (and their nominator) will be notified by Friday 9<sup>th</sup> March 2012.

To make a nomination, in confidence, please send details by email ([administrator@chassociation.org](mailto:administrator@chassociation.org)) or by post to:  
Margaret Wadman  
Christ's Hospital Old Blues' Association  
The Counting House  
Christ's Hospital  
Horsham  
West Sussex  
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## Eligibility for the Old Blue Special Recognition Award

- Nominees must be Old Blues.
- Nominations will be accepted from alumni resident in the UK or overseas and may reflect achievement regionally, nationally or internationally.
- No member of the Selection Panel may be eligible for nomination while serving on the panel.
- No posthumous awards will be made.

## Presentation of Old Blue Special Recognition Award

All winners will receive their award on Old Blues Day 2012 (Saturday 28th April) at Horsham. Where an Old Blue wishes to accept his/her award but is not able to attend the ceremony, alternative arrangements will be made but no public presentation is guaranteed.

## Method of Nomination

- Nominations will be private and confidential.
- Nominations can be made by current students, staff and former students but not by those who are members of the Selection Panel.
- Nominees will be verified by CHOBA to ensure that they are Old Blues.
- The nominator must explain fully in the nomination how the Old Blue meets the criteria for their specified field.

## Nominations should include the following information:

- Name of alumnus / alumna
- Year of leaving (if known)
- A description, in no more than 200 words, of the contributions or achievements which makes them deserving of this award
- Your name
- Your contact details
- Details of your relationship with the nominee
- In addition to the nomination, appropriate supporting materials may be submitted e.g. newspaper or magazine clippings.
- Alumni can nominate themselves providing that they send two letters of support from independent referees with their nomination. Support letters cannot be written by members of the nominee's family.

## Selection Panel

The Selection Panel will consist of:

Head Master  
Clerk  
Director of Development  
Vice-Chairman of Council of Almoners  
A member of the School Board of Governors  
CHOBA Board Representative  
Senior Grecian

**The Selection Panel's decision will be final.**

For further information or queries please contact  
Margaret Wadman (CHOBA) on 01403 247665



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