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**VAS are delighted to announce that the
MAKE A DIFFERENCE AWARDS will be returning for 2018.**

Our inaugural event, in 2016, brought together the unsung heroes of Sheffield's community groups, charities and voluntary organisations to recognise their contributions and the immense difference they make.

The prestigious ceremony, held at the stunning Cutlers' Hall, was well-attended with over 350 representatives from the charitable, public and private sectors, local businesses and government. The inspiring and uplifting evening was buzzing, with awards presented by Olympic Gold Medallist Dame Jessica Ennis-Hill, to staff and volunteers from organisations across the city.

This year we want to reach more people to celebrate the 'quiet heroes' in our city and the contribution they make to changing people's lives. This is where we need your support.

Join us as a Gold, Silver or Bronze sponsor for this year's awards, making your organisation a champion of the diverse range of groups who contribute to the prosperity, benevolence and wellbeing of our city.

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SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES

GOLD PACKAGE - £6,000 / SILVER PACKAGE - £3,000 / BRONZE PACKAGE £1,200*

GOLD

Make A Difference Awards

- ★ Your organisation will be a named Partner of the Make A Difference Awards
- ★ As a named Sponsor of a category, you will present to the winner on the night
- ★ Expo space in our Sponsors Hall on the night of the awards - to showcase organisation and network with guests
- ★ 4 tickets to the prestigious awards event

Promotion

- ★ Feature in awards film showcase, on digital platforms before awards and shown on night
- ★ Logo and name featured prominently through digital platforms - VAS and volunteer centre website, social media sites, email newsletters
- ★ Logo and name featured prominently on all printed materials - booklets, banners, invitations

SILVER

Make A Difference Awards

- ★ As a named sponsor of a category, you will present to the winner on the night
- ★ Expo space in our sponsors hall on the night of the awards - to showcase organisation and network with guests
- ★ 2 Tickets to the prestigious awards event

Promotion

- ★ Feature in awards film showcase, on digital platforms before awards and shown on night
- ★ Logo and name featured prominently through digital platforms - VAS and volunteer centre website, social media sites, email newsletters
- ★ Logo and name featured prominently on all printed materials - booklets, banners, invitations

BRONZE

Make A Difference Awards

- ★ Option to be named as a supporter of the Make a Difference Awards (level of disclosure is optional)
- ★ 2 tickets to the prestigious awards event

Promotion

- ★ Support featured through digital platforms - VAS and volunteer centre website, social media sites, email newsletters
- ★ Featured on all printed materials - booklets, banners, invitations, volunteer bulletin

*ALL PRICES INCLUDE VAT



Celebrating over 90 years of supporting voluntary & community action in Sheffield

Voluntary Action Sheffield (VAS) has a key role to make Sheffield a great place to live and work. For 90 years we have been at the heart of the voluntary and community sector; supporting groups, influencing decision makers and promoting volunteering as a force for positive action. Key to our mission is enabling a thriving voluntary and community sector, to enhance Sheffield in its identity as a welcoming, compassionate and generous place.

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"The impact that the volunteers and charities have on the community is astounding and this was a chance to say thank you for all the hard work that these organisations do. The Awards make me proud of the city, and I have been pleased to offer my support."

Lord David Blunkett / The Rt Hon. Lord Blunkett

"Thank you to all of you for such a fantastic event last night. The quality of the experience for everyone and the tone of the whole evening was a wonderful way to say thank you to all the volunteers and to underline how much their work is valued.

I was very proud on behalf of SYHA to be part of an evening that was so inspiring."

Miranda Plowden, Business Development Director- South Yorkshire Housing Association

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