

**Age Takes Centre Stage Volunteer Awards 2016**

**Nomination Form**

The annual Ages Takes Centre Stage volunteer awards celebrate and reward the contribution of North Tyneside’s older people to the community. The awards are sponsored by North Tyneside Council, Age UK North Tyneside and DFDS Seaways, who host the awards ceremony to invited guests on board the cruise ship MS King Seaways while docked at Royal Quays. Entries should be returned by **5th September 2016.**

**Guidelines for nominating:**

* All volunteering must be within the borough of North Tyneside
* All volunteering must be outside of paid employment
* Winners from the previous year are not eligible
* There are no limits on of the number of nominations you can make

### Details about the person or group you are nominating

Name………………………………………………………………………………………………….

Address…………………….……………………………………..Postcode ………………….......

Email ………………………………………………………………………………………...............

Telephone…………………………………………………………………………………………....

Mobile…………………………………………………………………………………………………

Age …………………..How long has this group/ person been active……….………………….

Amount of members in the group ………………………………………………………………….

**Nomination category** please indicate category:

**Individual Award** for a person aged over 50 who has given a lot to the community in North Tyneside as a volunteer

**Group** **Award** this is to celebrate the achievement of groups (based in North Tyneside and in which at least half the members are over 50) that give older people more opportunities to enjoy life and contribute to the community

**Chairman of the Council’s newcomer** award is either an **Individual** or **Group** as abovewhose contribution began during November 2015 – August 2016

**Please explain why this person or group deserves the award.**

Please include detailed information; how long they have been volunteering, their contribution to the local community, why you think they deserve recognition, how much time they regularly contribute, what outcomes they have achieved, and any other reasons for nomination.

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### Your details

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Entries should be returned by **5th September 2016** to **Emily Rudd at Age UK North Tyneside, Bradbury Centre, 13 Saville Street West, North Shields, NE29 6QP or email** **Emily.rudd@ageuknorthtyneside.org.uk**Successful nominees will receive a written invitation to attend the award ceremony.