



To celebrate National Volunteers Week and to highlight the excellent work carried out by our volunteers, we're launching our **Volunteer of the Year Award**.

The categories are:

<b>Property:</b> for volunteers within our historic buildings, centres and battlefields	<b>Garden:</b> for volunteers within the National Trust for Scotland gardens
<b>Outdoor Conservation:</b> for those volunteering in our countryside properties	<b>Support:</b> for our volunteers <i>behind the scenes</i> in our offices, properties, committees and projects

The rules are simple –

- 1) You must be a registered volunteer with the National Trust for Scotland
- 2) You can only be nominated by a volunteer or member of staff of the National Trust for Scotland
- 3) Nominations must be received by 31<sup>st</sup> August 2010

The winner of each category will be selected by a committee and will be presented with their award and prize at an event in Edinburgh, in mid September 2010

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**Volunteer of the Year nomination form:**

<b>Name of the person being nominated</b>	
<b>Their Role within the Trust</b>	
<b>Time in this role (if known)</b>	
<b>Property/Department/Group where they are based</b>	

<b>Name of the person making the nomination</b>	
<b>Role in the Trust</b>	
<b>Property/Department/Group</b>	
<b>Signed</b>	
<b>Date</b>	

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**Why they should receive the award:**

*Guidance:*

- *Time involved/commitment to the Trust*
- *The impact on the Trust/community/visitors*
- *What personal qualities they bring to the role*
- *What makes them special*

**Please send completed application forms to Violet Dalton, Head of Volunteering, Wemyss House, 28 Charlotte Square, Edinburgh. EH2 4ET. Applications to be received by 31<sup>st</sup> August 2010**