Nominate your hospital hero now

Have you been impressed with the way you or someone you know has been treated at the Royal Bournemouth or Christchurch Hospitals? Did a particular member of staff exceed your expectations and really make a difference to you?

Why not nominate the person or team so they could be in with the chance of being named ‘unsung hero’?

Nominations for the Royal Bournemouth and Christchurch Hospitals’ Staff Excellence Awards 2012, which recognise the hard work and commitment shown by staff who go above and beyond what’s expected of them, are now open.

Last year, dozens of nominations were received for the Unsung Hero Award, but local man John Warren won the honour.

John volunteers two mornings a week and one afternoon a month at the Stroke Unit. He serves hot drinks to patients, helps run a weekly gardening group, plays games and once a month, with other volunteers, oversees the unit’s monthly Patient Carer Forum Meeting. John is very committed to his role and says that he ‘feels privileged to work at the Stroke Unit.’

This year we need your help again to find a member of our staff or volunteer to be crowned the Unsung Hero for 2012. We are looking for an individual or team who works tirelessly behind the scenes with little thanks, or who has made an outstanding contribution.

You can nominate any member of staff or volunteer at the Royal Bournemouth or Christchurch Hospitals but please remember we are looking for the Unsung Hero.

Make your nomination

The deadline for entries is Friday 25 May. For further details on the award criteria and how to make a nomination please visit www.rbch.nhs.uk/awards2012 or contact the Communications Department on 01202 704271.

Join the 2012 Twilight walk for women for the Jigsaw Appeal

Friday 1st June at 8pm, Bournemouth Seafront. 1km, 5km and 10km fundraising walk. Entry Fee: £15 per person (includes T-shirt). For more information please contact: Jigsaw Appeal Office Tel: 01202 704060 Web: www.jigsawappeal.org.uk

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