

Agenda item: 10
One Nottingham Board

Title of Paper:	One Nottingham Awards Update – Nottingham Awards, Dr Varnum Awards and the Black Achievers Awards
Date:	10th November 2017

1. Purpose	
1.1	This report updates the Board on the recent Awards supported by One Nottingham.

2. Recommendations	
2.1	The Board members are asked to note the paper and to comment on this year's awards.

3. Background	
3.1	Each year ON is involved in a number of awards which reflect the diversity and the breadth of the activity under the broad ON umbrella.

4. Nottingham Awards	
4.1	The Nottingham awards took place as in previous years at the annual Goose Fair Dinner. This year was sponsored by the Mellors Group and organised by One Nottingham.
4.2	<p>This year's recipients were:</p> <p>Voluntary Sector:</p> <p>Louise Cooke - The founder and organiser of Shareware, supporting homeless people, refugees and asylum seekers in Nottingham.</p> <p>Leo Keeley - The Chair of the Refugee Forum for his work with refugees and lifelong contribution to Nottingham communities.</p> <p>Public Sector:</p> <p>Glen O'Connell - for his long service at the City Council and his lasting contribution to a number of iconic developments in Nottingham.</p> <p>Private Sector:</p> <p>Alan Parkinson - for his creative talent and promotion of Nottingham through the Architects of Air, which started as a voluntary organisation in St Anns going on to be an international phenomenon, from its factory in St Anns.</p> <p>Thank you to the panel who made the decisions this year. Cllr David Trimble, David</p>

	Tilly, Jane Todd, Mike Khouri- Bent and Nigel Cooke.
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5. Black Achievers Awards

5.1	The Black Achievers Awards took place on the 21 October and was attended by One Nottingham Board Members Cllr Leslie Ayoola, Superintendent Ted Antill and Mike Khouri- Bent, who also judged the nominations.
5.2	One Nottingham sponsored the Lifetime Achievers Award. This category is open to an individual with an outstanding record of achievement who has, in their lifetime, made a significant contribution towards enhancing the lives of people in the Nottingham Community.
5.3	Cllr Ayoola presented the award to Ade Aderogba for his lifelong dedication to his work, both in the UK and abroad, in improving the standard of living for people on low income, through the provision and management of affordable housing.
5.4	The organisers of the Black Achievers Awards have thanked One Nottingham for their continued support in making the awards such a successful and sell out night.

6. The Dr Michael Varnam Awards

6.1	The Dr Michael Varnam Awards took place on Wednesday 25 th October 2017. The awards commemorate the contribution that the late Dr Michael Varnum made to community health from his practice in Sneinton.
6.2	This year the Group Award went to Bulwell Forest Community Garden for its work with residents in physical activity, healthy eating and education.
6.3	The individual Award went to Tracy Dickinson - Wheelden for her personal contribution to homeless people after having been homeless herself.
6.4	Thank you to Dr Hugh Porter who represented ON at the awards panel.

7. Contact Details

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