

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN has been graciously pleased to confer Her Awards in 2016 upon the following groups in recognition of their outstanding voluntary work in the community.

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## EAST MIDLANDS

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### *Voluntary Group*

#### DERBYSHIRE

Aquabox

### *Activity Description*

A Rotary Charity providing safe drinking water purification units and humanitarian aid to disaster victims worldwide.

Chesterfield & District Athletics Club

Providing volunteer coaches, technical officials and administrators for the benefit of our members since 1978.

Derby Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust  
Voluntary Services

An 800 strong team of dedicated volunteers, aged 16 to 85, enhancing patient experience across our hospitals.

First Steps Derbyshire

Providing Hope, Opportunities and Choices for people whose lives are affected by eating disorders.

#### LEICESTERSHIRE

Open Hands Trust (Leicester)

Assisting homeless and vulnerable people in their basic needs and help re-engage them in the wider community.

#### NORTHAMPTONSHIRE

C.A.F.E. (Creative Activities For Elderly People)

C.A.F.E. provides volunteers who enhance elderly people's' lives in care, through art, reading and music.

#### NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

Children's Bereavement Centre

Helps children and families affected by terminal illness, bereavement, divorce or separation.

Reach Learning Disability

Enabling people with learning disabilities to have a better quality of life in their community.

Vale First Responders

Attending life threatening 999 emergencies in our community to help preserve life pending the arrival of paramedics.

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## EAST OF ENGLAND

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### *Voluntary Group*

#### BEDFORDSHIRE

CHUMS Mental Health and Emotional Wellbeing Service

Supporting children and young people to develop resiliency, enabling positive and fulfilling lives.

NINE RED Presents...(CIC)

Provides holistic support for survivors of all forms of abuse and enhances the lives of socially disadvantaged groups.

Sight Concern Bedfordshire

Giving people of all ages the support they need to cope with going blind so that they can live independently.

#### HERTFORDSHIRE

Box Cleva

A non contact amateur boxing initiative installing discipline, respect and healthy living in children.

DENS LTD

Seeking positive solutions to the problems of single homeless people and poverty in Dacorum.

The Crescent Support Group

Providing care and support for those living with, or affected by HIV.

#### NORFOLK

Stalham & Smallburgh First Responders

Medically trained volunteers giving life-saving treatment – within a few minutes – to emergency calls in the community.