



# THE VALE WOMEN'S BUSINESS NETWORK SPIRIT OF GIVING AWARD IN MEMORY OF YVONNE M<sup>C</sup>DERMOTT

## CLOSING DATE

**Wednesday 30 September 2009**

The Vale Women's Business Network Spirit of Giving Award is set to become an annual award, for a member who has given their most that year. The Award, which has been set up in memory of former member Yvonne McDermott, recognises an individual's contribution to their business and / or community. The Awards are open to all VWBN members working in or on behalf of businesses in the Vale.

## JUDGING

There are two stages to the judging process:

**Stage One:** An independent panel of judges invited from the private and charitable sectors will draw up the shortlist.

**Stage Two:** The panel will then further assess the shortlisted entries and will be responsible for making the award. All of the individuals put forward from stage one will automatically receive a nomination.

**Remember** that your entry is the only opportunity you have to 'sell' it to the judges. You should therefore ensure that your information is clearly and professionally presented, and which the judges will find easy to read.

## SHORTLISTED ENTRIES

If you are shortlisted, you may be invited to speak about your work in one of our 2010 season of events and workshops. Details of the overall winner will also be made public and will appear on the VWBN's website – [www.vwbn.org.uk](http://www.vwbn.org.uk)

## HOW TO ENTER

You can nominate yourself or nominate another person. If you are nominating yourself, please complete sections B and C only.

### A. Please complete the details below:

**Contact Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Company name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Job Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Postcode:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Telephone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

### B. Name of nominated VWBN member (if different from the contact person):

**Address** (if different from the contact person's address):  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Postcode:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Telephone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_





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Please read the points below carefully before signing and returning your entry form.

- I understand that my signature on the Entry Form gives permission to the competition organisers to use material entered into the **“VWBN Spirit of Giving Awards”** for publicity purposes, and that no further permission will be sought.
- I have read and understood the competition rules and guidelines.
- I confirm that, to the best of my knowledge, all information on this form is true and correct.
- I confirm that the nominated VWBN member is aware that she is entering or being entered into this competition.
- I confirm that the nominated person is a member of the VWBN.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: *(please print carefully)*

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Your entry form must be bound securely. Do not send any loose or separate items with your entry.

The closing date is **Wednesday 30 September 2009**, and the winners will be announced at the VWBN's March 2010 event. The winner will receive a commemorative plaque in recognition of her achievement.

Completed entries should be sent to **“VWBN Spirit of Giving Awards”** Glanrhyd, Causeway Hill, Llanblethian, Cowbridge, CF71 7HZ to arrive by **Wednesday 30 September 2009.**