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Bill Skelly Awards 2014-15 NOMINATION FORM

Submission Deadline: Friday June 5, 2015

The Bill Skelly Awards, presented by Cystic Fibrosis Canada, is an annual program that recognizes outstanding Kin Canada events that raise funds and awareness for Cystic Fibrosis Canada.

Eligibility & Nomination Criteria

The awards program is open to all Kinsmen, Kinette, and Kin clubs from across Canada. Only **ONE** event (not a series of events) will be considered per nomination. The event cannot be a Great Strides™ walk. A Bill Skelly Award will be presented to the winning club in each Kin District. In order to qualify the event must:

- Take place between June 1, 2014 and May 31, 2015;
- Raise funds for Cystic Fibrosis Canada (not for an individual or family); and
- Raise public awareness of the cystic fibrosis cause.

A judging committee, with members from both Kin Canada and Cystic Fibrosis Canada, will evaluate the nomination entries. Award winners will be announced at the 2015 Kin Canada National Convention. Winning clubs will receive a Bill Skelly Awards plaque and will be featured in the October issue of Kin Magazine. The winner will also be featured in a publication written and distributed by Cystic Fibrosis Canada.

Your nomination package should include the following:

1. **A completed Bill Skelly Awards Nomination Form** (see below)
2. **A narrative (3 pages max.) that includes the following criteria:**
 - **Planning (0-5 points)**
 - Concept development (and/or history of event)
 - **Organization (0-10 points)**
 - Resources used
 - Participation of club members (and other volunteers)
 - **Publicity and Promotion (0-10 points)**
 - Methods used to promote and advertise the event and the cystic fibrosis cause
 - **Budget/Fundraising Total (0-10 points)**
 - Budget planning (if applicable)
 - Funds raised for Cystic Fibrosis Canada (net dollars)
 - (The size of the community and any other factors outlined in the nomination is considered when evaluating fundraising total)
3. **Supporting Documents (6 pages max.):** Photos and newspaper clippings (if applicable)



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Each nomination should include the nomination form, the narrative and any supporting documents. The narrative should be no longer than 3 pages (12-point format with 1" margins). Supporting documents are accepted, but only to support the narrative. No more than 6 pages of supporting documents are allowed. Do not introduce new information in the supporting documents.

The Awards Selection Committee, chaired by the Chair of the Kin-Cystic Fibrosis Canada Liaison Committee will be asked to review the submissions based on the eligibility criteria set out above. Applicants are strongly encouraged to provide nominations that match the criteria above to ensure the strongest submission. If in the judgment of the Committee, no applications meet the criteria, no award will be given in that district.

Please submit the complete application package (completed nomination form, narrative and support documents) to aawweh@cysticfibrosis.ca

2013-14 Bill Skelly Award winners were:

District 1: The Kinette Club of Collingwood

District 2: The Kinette Club of Thompson

District 3: The Kinette Club of Saskatoon and District

District 4: The Kin Club of Fort Edmonton

District 5: The Kinette Club of Port Alberni

District 6: The Kin Club of Russell

District 8: The Kinsmen Club of Milton & District and the Kinette Club of Milton

For more information, please contact Alice Awweh 1800 378-2233 x 293 or aawweh@cysticfibrosis.ca

Deadline for 2014-2015 nomination submissions is Friday, June 5, 2015 at 5:00 p.m.



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Please complete the information below and submit with your nomination.

Event Name: _____

Date of Event: _____

Contact Name: _____

Club Name: _____

District #: _____

Address: _____

City, Prov., P. Code: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Nomination submissions are due at 5:00 p.m. on **Friday June 5, 2015**. Please send your nomination by mail, fax, or email to:

Att: Alice Awweh
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