







"An Inspired Generation"

Welcome to the 2022 YST Awards! The evening is an opportunity to mark 10 years since London 2012 which gave the entire nation such joy and optimism and to look ahead to Birmingham 2022, as well as recognising and thanking all the educators who have given so much to all our young people throughout the pandemic.

The awards will recognise the work of schools who have demonstrated the central role of PE, sport, physical activity and wellbeing in supporting young people's return to school.

Throughout the evening we are delighted to be joined by some very special guests from the world of sport who will inspire us through their journeys from London 2012 to Birmingham 2022.

Congratulations to all those shortlisted and a very special thank you to our sponsors Ortus Energy.

We hope you have a wonderful evening.

Menu

- Butternut Squash and Sage Tart, Rocket Leaves
- Free Range Chicken Breast, Morel Mushrooms, Baby Onions, Truffle Mash, Tenderstem Broccoli and Carrots (GF)
- Strawberry Cheesecake
- Tea and Coffee

Vegetarian and options to suit other dietary requirements are available on request

Your hosts for this evening

- Kate Grey, former Paralympic swimmer and broadcaster
- Jeanette Kwayke, former International sprinter and broadcaster

Performers

- Torrin Cuthill, Wood Green School, Oxfordshire
 winner of The Voice Kids 2021
- Belle Voci Opera



Youth Sport Trust Awards 2022 – **Shortlist**

Outstanding Early Years Physical Literacy Practice

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Bodmin Pre School, Cornwall Paget Primary School, Birmingham

Outstanding Primary Practice

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Brooklands Middle School, Leighton Buzzard Chesterton Church of England Voluntary Aided Primary School, Oxfordshire Stokes Wood Primary School, Leicester

Outstanding Secondary Practice

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The Royal Liberty School, Romford St Ives School, Cornwall Crown Hills Community College, Leicester Theale Green School, Theale, Reading

Outstanding Multi Academy Trust Practice

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GORSE Academies Trust, Leeds Aspire Academy Trust, Cornwall Bright Futures Educational Trust, Greater Manchester

Outstanding Contribution to the Community

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Capital City Academy & London Elite Basketball Club, Brent Falkirk's Active Schools Coordinators & Falkirk and Grangemouth High Schools, Scotland Bincombe Valley Primary School, Dorset

Outstanding Inclusive Practice

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Olive Academies, Cambridgeshire & Essex The Lodge, Sandbach School, Cheshire Redwood School, Rochdale

Campbell CARE Award - Network Leader/Local Influencer Award

Peter Knight, Stride Active, Herefordshire Lesley Byrne, Slated Row Special School, Milton Keynes Hannah Whitfield, Mayesbrook Park School PRU, Dagenham

For more information on all shortlisted please scan



Beckwith CARE Award Young Person/Group Winners



INTERNATIONAL WINNER

LOUAY ALI KADRO SHATILA REFUGEE CAMP, LEBANON

Louay is a 15 year old Syrian refugee who had to flee war torn Syria to settle in Lebanon. During the pandemic he participated in online youth sport leadership training sessions delivered by YST International to groups of young refugees.

To appreciate Louay's remarkable achievements, it is important to understand the circumstances in which he lives. Set up in 1947 in Beirut as a temporary home for 5000 displaced Palestinians, today Shatila Camp is a slum, home for over 40,000 refugees, half Palestinian and half Syrian and one of the most densely populated areas in the world. It has witnessed war, an infamous massacre and waves of refugees. Living conditions are poor and often dangerous. Streets are narrow and cluttered, housing is cramped, clean water is lacking and power cables are exposed. Access to education is limited, with boys facing child labour and girls early marriage. The catastrophic explosion in Beirut in 2020 led to food shortages and destabilisation of a fragile country where corruption was rife.

YST International provided youth sport leadership training for young people at Shatila. Louay was an enthusiastic participant and quickly developed his coaching, mentoring, entrepreneurial and leadership skills, progressing to become a positive role model for others and a cricket coach himself. Louay and his peers faced multiple challenges in engaging with the programme – frequent breaks in electricity supply and internet connection and translation from English to Arabic. They demonstrated huge resilience and commitment, seeing the training as an opportunity to enhance their education, raise their aspirations and achieve their tremendous potential. Their English improved dramatically and Louay, himself, has presented online to supporters overseas about the positive impact on his life. As a result of Louay's hard work, he is not only inspiring and coaching more young people to play cricket, but also changing long held traditions and attitudes in his community, advocating for better opportunities for girls and supporting social cohesion – he has truly become a young changemaker and activist.



UK WINNER

SUPPORTING GIRLS WITH AUTISM PROJECT ALFRISTON SCHOOL, BUCKINGHAMSHIRE

A group of pupils at Alfriston School have led the way in the development of the Supporting girls with Autism project. Originating from research around how girls with autistic spectrum conditions (ASC) are often 'flying under the radar' and have been disengaged from the wide offer available to them through school and their communities, the pupils have used the vehicle of Physical Activity and Sport to support peers with ASC find their voice, form friendships and develop the social skills they need to thrive in the school environment and beyond.

The girls have been incredibly supportive the whole school community – demonstrated in welcoming new members to their projects and also showing empathy for one another in school. Even though they are all so different as individuals there are strong friendships continuing to emerge and grow.

Not only are the pupils so incredibly passionate about ensuring there is an accessible, inspiring and meaningful offer for all children and their families, through their PE teacher they also work tirelessly on these core values across the county of Buckinghamshire. Alongside this the school have always generously shared the learnings, insight and practice from their sessions to support other schools from across the country. Very real examples of changemakers in action!



Support us

Join our challenge events whilst raising vital funds to help more young people get active, improve their mental health and wellbeing and bounce-back from the devastating impact of the pandemic.



National 3 Peaks Challenge: Your invitation to join Ali Oliver and #TeamYST

From 24-26 June 2022 we are inviting you to join a team of Youth Sport Trust staff, family, friends and supporters taking part in the National 3 Peaks Challenge, including our CEO Ali Oliver.

The challenge will see us take on the mountains of Ben Nevis, Scafell Pike and then Snowdon. If you are interested in joining us, ticking this classic UK challenge off your list, while supporting the Youth Sport Trust you can find more and sign up using the QR code opposite.



We're incredibly grateful to #TeamYST and our passionate Changemakers like you, who are helping us work towards a future where no young person has to miss out.

Donate now and become a Changemaker today #TeamYST.





YST's Fundraiser of the Year — Patrick Traylor, Project 52

Over the course of 2022, Patrick Traylor will be taking on 52 events in 52 weeks in support of YST. From the London Marathon, parkruns and ultramarathons to sprint triathlons, adventure tri's and other endurance challenges. Along the way Patrick will be encouraging donations and running fundraising events, working towards his amazing fundraising target of £12,000.

Why Patrick is supporting the Youth Sport Trust?

'The last couple of years have been very unusual and kids have suffered as much as adults, if not more: imagine not being able to hang out with your mates every day! Unfortunately, with the numerous lockdowns, structured sport has been decimated and children's health has suffered due to this. I wanted to raise money for a areat charity that would help children return and regain their passion for sport and physical activity. By doing this challenge I hope to inspire others to take on their own physical challenges and potentially be a role model to their families and encourage even more people into sport and physical activity'.

Follow Patrick's challenge blog and race diary.

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London Classic Events – Sign up today!

We have a limited number of charity places available for two of the UK's greatest and most iconic mass participation running and cycling events:

TCS London Marathon Sunday 2 October 2022

The London Marathon is the largest annual fundraising event on the planet – and sees the opportunity to race around the streets of London in this globally-renowned event.

Ride London 100

Sunday 29 May 2022

This 100-mile route through central London and the beautiful Essex countryside offers a chance to cycle alongside thousands of other cyclists and promises to be a spectacular return of the world's greatest festival of cycling.

Please email

supporters@youthsportrust.org to register your interest.

Find out more about our challenge events, take a look at the stories of our fantastic fundraisers and find details about other ways to support us here: www.youthsporttrust.org/support-us/fundraising



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