The Carolyn Randall Volunteer of the Year Award

Roy Marks, Durham & Darlington Committee

"Whilst Roy has built up a significant network base his passion for getting things done and being on the ground talking to people is how he feels he and we can make the biggest difference".



Overview

Dependable and committed Roy constantly brings terrific energy and enthusiasm to all he undertakes in promoting Crimestoppers. Roy never misses an opportunity to make presentations to the widest spread of organisations or community groups and whilst wearing his other hat as the Area Co-Ordinator for Neighbourhood Watch he always ensures Crimestoppers services and messaging is featured highly. Driven by Roy, the Committee showcases the charity constantly at a huge variety of local events and Roy is always there first to set up as he stores all the Crimestoppers merchandise, tables and chairs at his home!

Judges' comments

The judges were stunned by the level of progress Roy has achieved over the last 18 months or so in particular how he has built a small but completely re-galvanised committee of highly active and motivated volunteers. They were also greatly impressed by Roy putting himself on a computer course so he can produce committee plans, newsletters and the like.

