

Lord Mayor's Medals 2014

BRISTOL's unsung heroes and heroines who put other people before themselves have been rewarded for their work in the community. They have been officially thanked by being presented with the Lord Mayor's Medal at a ceremony in The Mansion House on 26 February 2014.

The Lord Mayor Faruk Choudhury handed out 20 medals – 19 people selected for the annual Lord Mayor's Medal award and one International Medal.

All those nominated either live or work in the city or serve the people of Bristol through their voluntary and community work or charitable acts.



Alan Aburrow

Alan Aburrow has served the community of Westbury-on-Trym for many years, and through his efforts he has greatly contributed to the quality of life there and in the neighbouring wards. When chairman of the Friends of Badock's Wood, Alan was instrumental in organising the improvement of Badock's Wood from a run-down woodland area into a designated nature reserve, now enjoyed by the local communities of Southmead and Westbury. Alan is also involved with the local neighbourhood partnership and the Westbury-on-Trym Society, working with different organisations to improve road safety, the local environment and amenities. Alan is an example of what can be achieved through the efforts and hard work of an individual for their community.