



Pewasow Yowynkneth - Young People's Awards

The Gorsedh Kernow Young People's Awards seek to encourage learning, understanding and promotion of Cornish culture and give expression to the national Celtic Spirit of Cornwall.

The expression of Cornish identity and culture is the over-arching criterion against which all entries and nominations will be judged.

These Awards are open to all young people under 18 years of age. There is a separate Awards and Competitions scheme for those over 18 years of age.

Please visit www.gorsedhkernow.org.uk/awards.html to see examples of previous award winners

Winners will be notified in July and invited to a special awards evening which will take place as part of the Esedhvos Festival of Cornish Culture. The Festival is held during the week around the annual ceremony of Gorsedh Kernow which takes place on the first Saturday in September. The Festival is held during the week around the annual ceremony of Gorsedh Kernow which takes place on the first Saturday in September.

These Awards are divided into six sections.

1. Yeth Kernewek – Cornish Language

A piece of work / project making use of the Cornish language, for example

- a project to record and discover meanings of local Cornish place-names
- devising a school Cornish phrasebook
- recording a song in Cornish

2. Dons Kernewek – Cornish Dance

A performance / project using traditional Cornish dance, for example

- using traditional Cornish dances and costume as part of local history project
- choreographing a set of Cornish dances for public/video performance
- writing a new Cornish dance based on traditional moves and steps for video/public performance

3. Ilow Kernewek – Cornish Music

Performance, recording or composition of a song or piece of music about Cornwall, for example

- composing and recording a song in Cornish or about Cornwall
- composing and recording a piece of music inspired by Cornwall
- arranging traditional Cornish tunes for a performance / recording

4. Fylm ha Drama Kernewek – Cornish Film and Drama

A performance project, for example

- posting a video on YouTube about what makes Cornwall great
- writing and performing / videoing a play about Cornwall
- recording a “radio play” about Cornwall

5. Studhyans Kernewek – Cornish Study

for example

- a personal history and memories of an older person
- an essay or digital presentation on, for example, Cornish mining or costume
- an essay or digital presentation about an important person in Cornish history

6. Art, Desin ha Diskwedhyans Besyel Kernewek – Cornish Art, Design and Digital Media for example

- a slide show of images illustrating a Cornish legend
- a poster advertising a Cornish event
- an illustrated booklet about why you love Cornwall

The closing date for entries is 31st March

For full details of Young People’s Awards together with submission forms please visit
www.gorsedhkernow.org.uk/awards.html

Hard copies can be obtained by sending a SAE to
 Gorsedh Kernow Young People’s Awards,
 c/o Kowsva, 6 Artists’ Muse, Heartlands, Pool, Redruth, Kernow, TR15 3QY.

Please send any email enquiries to
young-peoples-awards@gorsedhkernow.org.uk

Please note:

- all entries/submissions will be acknowledged
- work can be submitted for an Award so long as it is within 5 years of the project taking place
- re-submissions of entries will not be considered

Gorsedh Kernow - the national Celtic Spirit of Cornwall - encourages all young people to

- discover Cornish history and the Cornish language, literature, art, music, dance and sport
- help connect Cornwall with other Celtic countries
- promote a spirit of peace and co-operation among those who love Cornwall

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Nomination Form

Date of submission:

Contact details for nominee(s) (e.g. individual, school or youth group)

Name:

Address:

Age

Email:

Tel No:

Contact details of person submitting nomination if different from the above:

Name:

Address:

Email:

Tel No:

Title of project and brief description

Category entered:

Permissions

Should this nomination be successful please confirm:

The young person winning the award can be named in any press/social media release: YES / NO

Project material can be displayed on the Gorsedh Kernow website and at the exhibition during the Esedhvos Festival of Cornish Culture: YES / NO

Please send a completed nomination form (one for each project submitted) and a copy of the work/project:

- as an email attachment* or website link to:
young-peoples-awards@gorsedhkernow.org.uk
- or by post to: Gorsedh Kernow Young People's Awards,
c/o Kowsva, 6 Artists' Muse, Heartlands, Pool, Redruth,
Kernow, TR15 3QY
- or by delivering in person when the Kowsva is open:
Mon/Wed/Fri/Sat 10 – 1pm.
Please address your envelope/package as above.

If it is not practical to send a copy of work/project please provide a detailed description overleaf and send as an email attachment or post as above.

Confirmation of receipt and notification of winners will normally be via email. If you do not have an email address or would prefer to be contacted by post please enclose 2 stamped self addressed envelopes.

Award winners will be notified in early July and invited to an awards ceremony which will be held in early September. There will also be press and social media releases listing award winners.

Copyright: Wherever practical, award winning projects will be displayed on the Gorsedh Kernow website and at the exhibition held during the Esedhvos Festival of Cornish Culture. It is the responsibility of the person submitting this form to advise if there are copyright issues that prevent us from doing this.

**Text files (pdf or rtf), images and audio files up to 6Mb can be sent as email attachments. Larger files (e.g. videos) should be stored in a personal cloud account (e.g. Dropbox) and then 'shared' via a link in an email to us or sent in the post on CD, DVD or memory stick. We cannot guarantee to return media so please ensure you keep a copy of your work.*

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