

# Labour Community Service Awards

## Nomination Package



Chatham-Kent Labour Council



**United Way**  
Chatham-Kent



**Canadian Labour Congress**  
Congrès du travail du Canada

### **Time to Celebrate our OWN!**

Do you have a member (past or present) who deserves to be recognized for their contributions to community?

Has your local demonstrated community engagement by improving the quality of life for others and/or community?

We have many members and local unions who work tirelessly in our community making Chatham-Kent a better place to live, work, play & raise our children. We don't do this with the expectations of being recognized nor do we do this expecting a thank you! We do this because of who we are and what we believe in!

## Aaron De Meester Memorial Award



On March 26, 2014 The former long-time president of the Chatham-Kent Labour Council and President of the CAW Local 127 Retirees' Chapter, was recognized for his devotion and dedication to workers' rights and charitable works.

On this day the Chatham-Kent Labour Council & United Way of Chatham-Kent unveiled the Aaron DeMeester Memorial Award that will grace the names of those who have contributed their time and talents; not only in the past but also in the future making our community a better place to live!

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## Past Recipients

Ken Simpson	UAW 127	Derwyn Armstrong	CAW 127
Bill Zilio	CAW 127	Alison Patrick	PSAC/CEIU 00647
Larry Dubuque	USW A 235-G	Rick Garant	CAW 1941
Jake Vellinga	CAW 127	Mike Byrne	CAW 1941
Dan Young	UAW 251	Paula Carson	UNIFOR 1941
Grace Fowler	SEIU	Sandra Tunstall	COPE 343
Etienne Tack	USWA 235-G		
Gerald "Doc" Deline	CAW 127		
Bill Pollock	UAW 251		
Rick Kitchen	CAW 127		
Karen Bernard	USW 9143		
Doug Wright	CAW 127		
Jan Liberty	PSAC		
Gary Watson	USW 235-G		
Aaron Neaves	CAW 127		
Bill Steep	USW		
Joa McCabe	CAW 1941		
John Todd	UAW 251		
Romeo LeBlanc	CAW 127		
Stan Giera	USW 1943		
Brian Armitage	CAW 580		

# Bill Zilio Community Labour "Spirit" Award

**UAW Region 1  
2007**

**USW 8222  
2006**

**CAW 580  
2008**

**CAW 35  
2009**

**CAW 127  
2010**

**PSAC/CEIU  
2011**

**CAW 127  
Woodbridge Unit  
2012**

**CAW 1941  
2013**



# Nominating Categories

## BUILDER

### **BUILDER AWARD**

Nominations will be accepted from all Local Unions in the Chatham-Kent area.

Any person affiliated (past or present) or a member in good standing of a bonafide trade union will be eligible for consideration.

## CURRENT

### **CURRENT AWARD**

Nominations will be accepted from all Local Unions in the Chatham-Kent area.

Any member of a good standing bonafide trade union will be eligible for consideration.

## BILL ZILIO LABOUR “SPIRIT” AWARD

### **Labour Spirit Award**

Nominations will be accepted from all Local Unions in the Chatham-Kent area presented by the Chatham-Kent Labour Council.

This award is to be presented to a local chartered union. This union will be recognized for its efforts in going above and beyond the normal call of duty. A local union who has in some way helped/assisted in making a significant contribution to the quality of life and/or the community at large.

**NOMINATION PACKAGES & TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE BY CONTACTING:**

**Brian Armitage 519-628-5456 or e-mail at [brian@uwock.ca](mailto:brian@uwock.ca)**

**DEADLINE FOR NOMINATION ARE:**

**NOVEMBER 07, 2014 @ 12:00 P. M.**

# Judges Criteria

## BUILDER

## CURRENT

Special consideration will be given to those nominees who:

- Have provided leadership in volunteer services within United Way as well as serving within their rank & file.
- Have contributed to the voluntary system of human services.
- Displayed creativity in devising new and better ways of performing volunteer assignments or in meeting community needs.
- Have had tangible and demonstrative impact in some form of service to their fellow citizen.
- Have been inspirational in their activities and qualities of performance have stimulated others to achieve greater service.
- Have sustained their service over a period of years, not necessarily in one post or organization.

## BILL ZILIO LABOUR “SPIRIT” AWARD

Special consideration will be given Local Unions who have:

From time to time Local Unions are presented with opportunities to adventure above and beyond the normal call of duty. Whether your local union has collectively assisted a family in their time of need or have assisted a local community organization. We want to hear from you! We all have special talents and skills and when we get that opportunity to help others, you help your community.

The BILL ZILIO LABOUR “SPIRIT” AWARD will be presented to a local union who has demonstrated this form of compassion for a better community for one and for all.

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## Special Note

*The committee wishes to stress the following points to Local Unions when making your nomination*

- The Labour Community Award Service is highly competitive. It is vitally important when making your nomination that there is a complete and detailed account of your nominee's involvement in community affairs. To do this, you may have to approach the nominee (recommended) for further information. The committee does not accept verbal additions to the information provided in the selection process. In choosing a candidate, the committee will base their decision on the written information provided.
- The basic criteria for the award is involvement in local community affairs. Holding a position (past or present) within a local union or United Way is a consideration only. However, a member involved within both organizations will be given preference along with other community related activities.
- Your local should put forward its best candidate for the final selection process. However you are not limited to one nominee in either category (Builder or Current) if your local feels that it has a number of nominees of equal merit.
- While Union officials, full or part time, are not excluded from the award, and may be given equal consideration, the committee is hopeful that local unions do not ignore their rank and file membership when searching for nominees.

For further information contact Brian Armitage at 519-628-5456

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# Application

**Nominations may be accepted and submitted by one of the following:**

Chatham-Kent Labour Council, United Way of Chatham-Kent, CLC affiliated local unions, elected union officers and representatives. NOTE: Union members and family of a union member wishing to submit a nomination may do so by submitting this form through the said persons union affiliation or the Chatham-Kent Labour Council or United Way.

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*Please print*

I, \_\_\_\_\_ would like to present the following nomination of:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Last Name)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(First Name)

In one of the following categories (please check only one):

Builder

Current

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date (yyyy-mm-dd)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature



# Application

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## SECTION 1

Nominator's Information- *Tell us a little information about you!*

\_\_\_\_\_

First Name

\_\_\_\_\_

Last Name

\_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address

\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone

\_\_\_\_\_

Email

## SECTION 2

Nominator's Affiliation- *Where's the nomination coming from?*

Chatham-Kent Labour Council

United Way of Chatham-Kent

Local Union

Elected Officer/Representative

Individual

\_\_\_\_\_

Name of Organization

\_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address

\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone

\_\_\_\_\_

Date (yyyy-mm-dd)

\_\_\_\_\_

Presiding Officer's Name

\_\_\_\_\_

Presiding Officer's Signature

# Application

## SECTION 3

Nominee's Information- *Tell us about the person being nominated!*

\_\_\_\_\_

First Name

\_\_\_\_\_

Last Name

\_\_\_\_\_

Address

\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone

\_\_\_\_\_

Email

\_\_\_\_\_

Union Affiliation

\_\_\_\_\_

Years Affiliated

## SECTION 4

Please tell us why this person is being nominated! Remember, the more detailed information provided will be an asset .

NOTE: Only the information provided in typed form with this application upon return will be accepted. Please attach a typed summary of the candidates information as to "WHY" you feel that your candidate has earned this award!

No further nominations or candidate information will be excepted beyond this date and time.

All applications must be mailed (e-mail) or dropped off to:

Brian Armitage  
152 Duncan Street  
Wallaceburg, ON N8A 4E2  
519-628-5456  
brian@uwock.ca

United Way of Chatham-Kent  
Att: Brian Armitage  
425 McNaughton Ave. West  
P.O. Box 606  
Chatham, ON N7M 5K8

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# Bill Zilio "Spirit" Award Application

*Please print*

I, \_\_\_\_\_ would like to nominate the following Local Union to be the 2013 recipient of the Bill Zilio Community Labour "Spirit" Award.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Union Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Charter Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Charter (yyyy-mm-dd)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Local Union President

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date (yyyy-mm-dd)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signed

**NOTE:** The Bill Zilio Community "Labour Spirit" Award can be nominated by an individual or by a Local Union.

Please attach in a typed format why you believe this Local Union has achieved this honor.

Remember, it is of vital importance that your summation is detailed.

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