

This recognition award, sponsored by Blount BEneFITs, was established in 2009 to recognize the efforts of Blount County schools and businesses that are taking steps within their organizations to promote and embrace healthy living through creative programs that encourage good nutrition and increased physical activity. Previous winners include weight loss challenges, running clubs and other exercise programs, some of which were long-standing programs and others that were start-ups.

Organization nominated:		
Contact person:		
Address:		
Email:	Phone:	Fax:
AWARD CATEGORY:	2019 BUSINESS	2019-2020 SCHOOL
	LEVEL I (1-25 full-time employees) LEVEL II (25-50 full-time employees) LEVEL III (51+ full-time employees)	ELEMENTARY (K-5) eligibility INTERMEDIATE/MIDDLE (3-8) eligibility HIGH (9-12) eligibility
PLEASE ANSWER THE F	OLLOWING QUESTIONS REGARDIN	G YOUR PROGRAM.
1) Is the program ongoing? If yes, how many years?		YES NO — number of years
2) Are you a first-time applicant?		YES NO
3) What is the total number of students/staff/employees who are eligible?		—— number eligible
4) What was the total number of participants in your 2018 program?		—— number of participants
5) For businesses, are employees and their families involved in the program?		YES NO
6) For schools, are students and staff involved in the program?		

Please compile and attach:

- Program description (250 words maximum) including the following information:
 - Brief history of the program
 - Number of people who have participated since inception
 - General overview of the program
- □ List of program goals and/or objectives (100 words maximum)
- Description of how your organization promotes health and wellness (example, does your organization support and encourage program participation and provide incentives? 100 words maximum)
- Please explain why your program should be recognized with the Ready, Set, Move Award (100 words maximum)
- Please provide any support materials, such as pictures, articles, news releases, support letters or brochures that highlight health promotion within your organization. Please note that these materials will not be returned.

Nominations and Awards information:

- 1 Applications are due by Friday, April 17, 2020.
- 2 Nominations will be received and judged by the Blount BEneFITs committee.
- 3 Overall winner and runner-up will be notified by Friday, April 24, 2020.
- 4 Overall winner and runner-up will be selected from each category.
- 5 Overall winners will receive an award sign to post outside of their facility along with certificate and media coverage.
- 6 Overall winners are not eligible to win the following year. Runner-up winners are eligible for the following year.
- 7 TheAwards Ceremony (for overall winners and runner-up winners) will be held on Thursday, May 7, 2020 at the Blount Memorial Hospital auditorium at 4:30 p.m.

Questions about registration? Contact Kelly Forster at: 865-983-9244.

Return materials by Friday, April 17, 2020 to:

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