Commissioner's Awards



Kugluktuk, Nunavut August 2012

Bravery Award

Donald Havioyak – In January 2007, Donald Havioyak noticed a house fire with someone inside. He tried to enter, but found it too hot and full of smoke. He quickly went through the other entrance. Once inside, he noticed Bessie Kuneluk sitting immobile on the kitchen floor. Donald dragged her from the burning house, saving her life.

Special Skills Award

June Okalik Klengenberg – June is recognized for a lifetime of passing on skills in sewing, drum dancing, and child-rearing. As the eldest person in Kugluktuk, she demonstrates a healthy lifestyle and inspires others.

Congratulatory Message

Joe and Ada Ogina 50th wedding anniversary - April 23, 1962 – This couple was recognized for their 50th wedding anniversary.