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Shopping Park's first Sporting Star revealed

Greenwich Shopping Park, off Bugsby's Way in Charlton, has today (05 October) revealed its first Sporting Star, Sheree Hall from Plumstead.

The Community Sporting Stars campaign was launched in partnership with The Mercury Series in July, to celebrate five local people who make a difference in their communities through sport.

Mum of two and keen runner Sheree, aged 45, was nominated by her nine year old daughter Savannah for the award. Sheree took part in the Greenwich Half Marathon in 2010 and has raised over £2,000 for Greenwich Sickle Cell Society. The charity is close to Sheree's heart as it's an illness that affects her four year old son, Jacob.

Sheree, who has also been selected to volunteer for the London 2012 Olympics, said: "I was so shocked to hear that I was chosen as a Sporting Star, as my daughter had nominated me without me knowing! The past few months have been hard as I was made redundant from my job, so now I feel like things are really looking up."

Greenwich Shopping Park is still searching for four more Sporting Stars, so if you're passionate about making a difference in the community through sport then we want to hear from you.

The winning Sporting Stars each receive £300 worth of shopping vouchers to spend in stores at Greenwich Shopping Park, including JD Sports, Sports Direct.com and Next.

Claire Johnston, Spokesperson for Greenwich Shopping Park, said: "We're delighted to announce Sheree as our first Sporting Star, as she has used her passion for running to make a real difference for such a deserving cause. We look forward to receiving even more entries and to find out about the inspiring people that live in the Borough."

To nominate yourself or someone else as a Community Sporting Star, explain in no more than 100 words how you've helped make a difference in your community

through sport or why the person you're nominating has. Send along with a profile picture of the Sporting Star (and, if available, the Star in action!) to sportingstars@greenwichshoppingpark.co.uk If you're nominating someone else, you must have permission to submit their picture.

Visit the 'Sporting Stars' page at www.greenwichshoppingpark.co.uk to view a gallery of the winning Sporting Stars and full terms and conditions.

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- Sports Direct.Com
- JD Sports
- Clarks
- Poundland
- Maplin
- New Look
- Next
- Boots
- WHSmith
- Outfit
- River Island
- H&M
- Costa Coffee

Greenwich Shopping Park is located on the Greenwich 'Peninsula' off Bugsby's Way in Charlton.