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## Families for the future

THE search is on for fantastic families around Sussex.

The Candis Outstanding Family of the Year Award 2010 has been launched with entries welcome from across the county.

Anyone who knows a remarkable family that has worked together to achieve something amazing is being asked to send in their nomination.

It could be families who have worked tirelessly to clean up their neighbourhood, campaigned to change legislation, taken a stand against injustice or sacrificed their free time for others.

The county will be hoping to repeat last year's success when the Hoadley family from Eastbourne were named overall winners.

Following a strict assessment, Ray, 51, and Jackie Hoadley, 47, were approved by social services, and began fostering Liam, a little boy with a life-threatening condition, when he was just four years old.

He was joined in 2005 by Mathew, who also suffers from a life-limiting condition.

Mr and Mrs Hoadley are helped and supported by their extended family.

Liam died in August 2008 after spending more than eight years with the couple.

Despite their devastation, the couple are determined to continue caring for youngsters with life-limiting conditions and provide them with a loving home.

To nominate a family and for details of categories, log onto [www.candis.co.uk/familyaward](http://www.candis.co.uk/familyaward).