

ROB REES - NEW YEAR HONOURS

Rob Rees is proud to have been announced in HM Queen Elizabeth's New Year's honours as being appointed a Member of the Order of the British Empire (MBE) for his work in the food industry.

Rob says, "I'm delighted with the honour. It's a real catalyst for further work in partnership with many dedicated people in areas of food safety, nutrition, health inequalities, skills, tourism promotion, regional sourcing, food policy and cooking. I look forward to 2006 as a year in which we continue the positive cultural shift in how we value the food we buy, cook and eat."

Rob particularly respects the support given to him in recent years by Stroud and Mid Gloucestershire Education Business Partnership, Gloucestershire First, Gloucestershire Tourism, Government Office for the South West, Health 4 Schools, the HEAT group, British Nutrition Foundation and Gloucestershire Media.



Rob receives his MBE