

# NZCCA Sportsmanship Award 2024

Introduced from 2020/21 season

To be awarded annually for outstanding sportsmanship during the season

*Candidates are to be nominated, as below.*



**Sportsmanship:** proper consideration for fairness, ethics, respect and a sense of fellowship with other competitors

- Positive attitude
- Gives best effort
- Accepts and respects competition rules, decisions and results
- Follows officials' directions without argument
- Encourages other competitors
- Shows good knowledge of expectations and rules of the sport
- Happy to share knowledge with fellow competitors
- Treats all others with respect
- Treats horses with kindness and consideration

## **Nomination Process:**

- 1 Nominations are accepted for any **adult** NZCCA member who has competed regularly over the 2023/24 season.
- 2 The person making the nomination must also be an NZCCA member. Only one nomination allowed per member.
- 3 Provide 2-3 paragraphs outlining how your nominee has exhibited outstanding sportsmanship during the 2023/24 season, based on the grounds above.
- 4 Nominations must be received by NZCCA at [nzccasn@gmail.com](mailto:nzccasn@gmail.com) no later than 5 pm Fri 26 April.
- 5 The recipient will be chosen by the NZCCA Council or subgroup of and announced at the AGM. The decision is final and no discussion will be entered into.
- 6 NZCCA reserves the right to withhold the award if no suitable nominations are received.