



2010 CADS END OF THE YEAR AWARD INFORMATION

TEST FRONTS FOR HORSE OF THE YEAR, VINTAGE RIDER, RECOGNIZED SHOW AWARD, AND THE SCHOLORSHIP AWARD MUST BE SUBMITTED TO KATIE KEIM NO LATER THAN NOVEMBER 1, 2010. IT MUST BE CLEARLY MARKED WHICH AWARD YOU ARE SUBMITTING FOR. NO EXCEPTIONS.

MAIL TO:

**Katie Keim
6222 Sterling Road
Sterling, OH 44276**

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Rider must be a CADS member in good standing.
- Rider/Member must complete one of the following: attend one (1) bi-monthly general membership meeting, hold an office, chair a committee, or obtain at least one door prize donation for the awards banquet.
- CADS member must volunteer a minimum of 8-hours during the award year. Time slots should be worked in a minimum of 1-hour increments. In order to qualify hours must be worked by the member, a parent or family member and donated to the member. No hours will be transferred between members.
- CADS members may show more than one horse – each horse having its own set of scores.
- Championship show scores/tests may not be submitted for year end awards.

***SCORES ARE FIGURED BY CALCULATING AN AVERAGE OF THE SCORES SUBMITTED.**

HORSE OF THE YEAR – YOUNG RIDER AND ADULT

Awards for both divisions are based on the highest **AVERAGE** score at a single level – Training Level or above.

Requirements: Minimum of five (5) tests (**3 tests required from CADS Schooling Shows**) and three (3) different judges are required. NODA, Grand Haven, or MODA Schooling shows or any USDF recognized shows also apply. The same horse/rider combination may only win this honor twice. After the second title, the combination will be “retired to the Hall of Fame”.

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION, THIRD, FOURTH AND FIFTH PLACE – YOUNG RIDER, ADULT AND OPEN DIVISIONS

Awards based on the highest **AVERAGE** score from CADS Schooling Shows at Intro Level, Training Level, First Level, Second Level and above.

NO TEST FRONTS NEED TO BE SUBMITTED.

HIGHEST PERCENTAGE OF THE DAY

Awarded to the horse/rider combination at any level with the highest percentage for the day at each CADS Schooling Show. **NO TEST FRONTS NEED TO BE SUBMITTED.**

VINTAGE RIDER AWARD

Award based on the highest **AVERAGE** score at any level on any horse.

Requirements: Rider must be a minimum of 50 years of age. Minimum of five (5) tests - **three (3) must be from CADS Schooling Shows** and two (2) different judges at any level. NODA, Grand Haven or MODA Schooling Shows or any USDF/USEF recognized shows also apply.

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SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Training Level Division, First Level Division, and Second Level and Above Division.

A \$100.00 scholarship will be awarded for the highest **AVERAGE** score in each of the above divisions. This scholarship is to be used to advance the recipient's Dressage education (i.e. in the form of clinics, seminar fees, or for the purchase of tack, etc.).

Requirements:

An essay containing approximately 500 words is required to be submitted (along with the test scores mentioned below) covering the following points: why you feel you deserve the award, how the money will benefit you/your riding, and how you will "give back" to the club. Essays will be judged by an impartial 3rd party and will be used along with the test scores submitted to determine the winner of the Scholarship Award.

Minimum of five (5) tests from three (3) different USDF/USEF recognized judges earned at CADS schooling shows. Test fronts with a note stating that you are applying for the scholarship award must be submitted to the Show Manager. Applications are to be received no later than November 1st.

Recipient will be eligible for **ONLY** Horse of the Year OR Scholarship of Excellence **NOT BOTH** IN A SINGLE YEAR. A rider can win a Scholarship of Excellence Award for only two (2) consecutive years for any single division. These scholarships are awarded for the rider in each division – not the horse/rider combination. Each rider is eligible for only one scholarship for the same horse/rider combination each year.

RECOGNIZED SHOW AWARD:

Award is based on the highest **AVERAGE** score at a single level – Intro Level, Training Level, First Level, Second Level and above.

Requirements: Minimum of five (5) test fronts from three (3) different judges are required. Test fronts must be submitted for recognized shows only.

VOLUNTEER AWARD

\$100.00 will be awarded to the volunteer with the most cumulative volunteer hours. Two (2) \$50.00 random drawings with the following criteria will also be awarded:

For each 4 hour segments of volunteer time, the member's name will be put in a drawing once (the winner of the \$100.00 volunteer award will be excluded from this drawing). You must sign in and out with the Volunteer Coordinator in order to receive credit for the hours worked.

VIP VOLUNTEER AWARD – CADS JACKET

This award is donated by Halle Clause and is given to the support person who has the most accumulative hours worked for a member at the end of the show season. This award is meant to recognize the family member who donates time and effort on behalf of a CADS member. The jacket will have the CADS logo with 'CADS VIP VOLUNTEER 2010' embroidered on it – value to be approximately \$100.00.

ADULT AMATEUR OWNER-TRAINER YEAR END AWARD – SPONSORED BY JEANNE FASHEMPOUR AND LEDGE HOLLOW STABLES

This trophy is to be presented to the adult amateur who is primarily responsible for the training and is the primary rider of their horse for any level at which they are competing. This trophy will be presented to the rider who has attained the highest average score of at least two scores under two different judges. They may be from any two shows, schooling or recognized. The rider must have competed in at least one CADS show for the year (though that score does not have to be one of the scores submitted). The trophy will be inscribed with the date and their name. Test fronts should be submitted to Jeanne no later than November 1st.

Jeanne Fashempour

1000 Ledge Road, Medina OH 44256

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