

Youth Sportsman's Charter Award

The deadline for submission of your USHJA nominees for the USEF Youth Sportsman's Award is Monday, September 28, 2009. This award program is designed for junior exhibitors who are current members of both the USEF and their recognized national affiliate (i.e. USHJA). Each application will then be reviewed by the respective Zone Committee to decide on one nominee to represent the Zone. Once each Zone has chosen their nominee, the names will be submitted to the USHJA Youth Council. The four Regional Junior Affiliate Sportsmanship winners will also be added to the list of nominees. The Council will then decide the final USHJA nominee. USHJA will submit the name and a runner-up to USEF before October 31. Please click [here](#) for application and more information. Questions regarding the Youth Sportsman's Charter Award may be directed to Erin True at etrue@ushja.org.

Member's Choice Awards

The deadline for competitions competing in the Member's Choice Awards for 2009 has been changed from November 30, 2009 to August 31, 2009. Competitions taking place September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2010, will be eligible for the 2010 Member's Choice Awards.

Competition participants will have until Wednesday, September 30, 2009 to submit a survey for their favorite competitions, held December 1, 2008 through August 31, 2009. Surveys may be completed at https://www.usef.org/_AUAIFrames/USHJA/CompEval/USHJACompEval.aspx.

Questions regarding the Member's Choice Awards Program may be directed to Christine Kennedy at ckennedy@ushja.org.

Amateur Sportsmanship Award

Do you know an amateur who exhibits excellence and integrity by supporting fellow competitors and volunteering their resources to the industry? If so, submit a nomination for the Amateur Sportsmanship Award to the USHJA's Amateurs Committee. In its fourth year, the award was created by the Amateurs Committee to honor an amateur for their contributions to the sport.

A completed application with all contact information and a list of the nominee's notable accomplishments and services, along with a letter of recommendation, must be submitted to the USHJA office by Monday, October 19.

For more information on the award and to download nomination forms, please visit the USHJA Amateur Sportsmanship Award website or contact Programs and Education Coordinator, Sterling Berry at sberry@ushja.org