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NEW MEXICO ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION

SPIRIT OF SPORT AWARD

Official Nomination Form -2022-2023

INSTRUCTIONS

The NMAA has developed its "New Mexico Activities Association Spirit of Sport Award." The recipient must be an individual from a high school that is a member of the NMAA.

The recipient could be a student-athlete, coach, athletic administrator, administrator, contest official, trainer, or any others associated with the school or the school's athletic program.

This award seeks to recognize those individuals who exemplify the ideals of the positive spirit of sport that represent the core mission of education-based athletics. The award is given in recognition of a specific act or for an activity of longer duration.

For example, it could be awarded to an individual (or group) that:

*has overcome adversity or a challenging circumstance.

*has demonstrated exemplary sportsmanship and/or citizenship in playing the game as it should be played;

*has exceeded normal expectations in assisting others within the school or community; or

In the instance of a student, that student must be in good academic standing within his or her respective high school. Among the qualifying criteria that will be used are the student's grade-point average, the activities in which he or she is involved, and community involvement.

The nomination must be for something that occurred in the previous school year. Nominated individuals do not necessarily need to still be enrolled in high school at the time of the nomination.

A committee comprised of NMAA staff will review all nominations and select the one nomination it deems worthy for the award.

If you have a candidate you wish to nominate, please complete and return this nomination form to the NMMA by August 22nd to Chris Kedge at <u>chris@nmact.org</u>: or by mailing it to: Chris Kedge, NMAA, 6600 Palomas Ave. NE, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87109.

This nomination form is the primary criterion in the nomination process. Support materials are welcome, but not required.

The winner will be recognized at the NMAA/NMADA Fall Leadership Conference Luncheon.

In addition, the state winner will be nominated and eligible for the NFHS Sectional/National Award.

Name of Nominee:

(first, middle, last)

Individual Submitting Nomination:

Name:
Phone:
E-mail:
Street Address:
City, State, Zip Code:
Date:
NOMINEE INFORMATION SHEET
Student Coach Administrator Official Trainer
Athletic Administrator Other (Specify - Student Broadcaster, PA Announcer)
Name of Nominee:

(first, middle, last)

Current Address:		
	(street address)	
	(city, state, zip)	
Phone:		
E-mail:		
School:		
NOMINATION FORM		

- 1. Please describe nominee's current involvement in high school. If applicable, please list any accomplishments or honors attained. (Attachment)
- 2. Please list nominee's actions or accomplishments that deem him or her worthy of the "New Mexico Activities Association Spirit of Sport Award." (Attachment)