

7 SSCA AWARDS PROGRAM

Athlete/Sailor of the Year (Lauri Olenius Trophy)

- 1) Must have a record of outstanding achievement in Provincial, National or International competition in the previous twelve months which has provided recognition to Saskatchewan Sailing.
- 2) Through his/her behaviour and manner has set an example for other competitors.
- 3) Has demonstrated leadership and sportsmanship and has gained the respect of fellow sailors.
- 4) Must be a resident of Saskatchewan.

Volunteer of the Year

- 1) Has contributed to the betterment of sailing in Saskatchewan generally and specifically to the SSCA and its member clubs.
- 2) The contribution can be for specific activities by the candidate for a period of years or a major contribution to a specific event during one particular year.
- 3) Nominations will be made by member Clubs or members of the SSCA.
- 4) Nominations should be accompanied by an outline of why the candidate is deserving of the award.

John Merz Series Cup

Awarded to the top sailors in each year in the following categories: Windsurfer; Keel; Paralympic; Youth, Dinghy; Female, Dinghy; Male, Dinghy; Master, Dinghy; Crew, Dinghy.

The SSCA Series Cup is to promote SSCA member club regattas and its member racing sailors. The SSCA Series Cup will recognize excellence on the provincial circuit and recognize sailors of different classes, ages, sex and skipper or crew. John Merz, past president of the SSCA, the SSC and LDYC and Founder of the CYA Sail West Regatta always promoted the provincial and Prairie sailing circuit. The SSCA was given permission by the Merz family to honour John Merz on the John Merz Memorial SSCA Series Cup.

Lammens Coach of the Year

- 1) Has contributed extensively to sailing youth program in the Sask Sailing Squad or the Mobile Sailing School programs
- 2) Has demonstrated leadership and sportsmanship and has gained the respect of youth sailors
- 3) Nominations should be accompanied by an outline of why the candidate is deserving of the award
- 4) Nominations can be made by members of clubs or participants of SSCA sailing programs. The Board of Directors will vote on the winner