

Criteria and Procedures for determining “Torsten Carlius Fair Play Award” (‘TCFPA’)

EVAA - Council has decided that every year reward a person, active in Veteran Athletics, with the "Torsten Carlius Fair Play Award" (‘TCFPA’). The decision is taken with the support and the permission of Erik and Olof Carlius, sons of the passed away WMA-President Torsten Carlius from Sweden. T.C. was up to his death in November 2005 a large extent advocated for sportsmanship and fair play, an anxious opponent against drug use and contributed much to the spreading of the values and principles of Fair Play and Tolerance.

It is desirable that the winner of 'TCFPA' fulfil the criteria stated below:

Criteria

1. The winner of 'TCFPA' should be active in Veteran Athletics either as a competing athlete, leader, trainer, coach or organiser.
2. The winner of 'TCFPA' should never have been guilty for drug use and is an opponent against drug use.
3. The winner of 'TCFPA' should practice sportsmanship and fair play in one or more of these ways:
 - for outstanding gesture or action of sportsmanship during a sporting event
 - for outstanding contribution to the spreading of the values and principles of fair play and tolerance
 - for outstanding supporting appropriate initiatives aimed at the preservation of ethical values in sport
 - for initiating education of athletes and leaders in the spirit of fair play, tolerance and ethics in sport.
4. The winner of 'TCFPA' should only be selected “Torsten Carlius Fair Play Award” at one occasion/year, i.e. she/he cannot be selected two or more years.

Procedures

The 'TCFPA' is selected by EVAA - Council in January or February every year and has to be confirmed by the EVAA - Council.

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