

2026 ANNUAL

KEITH LOWE

AWARD NOMINATION

Recognising associates for
practical assistance and
outstanding service to Pony
Club

Opening Date: 8th July 2026
Closing Date: 30th September 2026


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Recognising outstanding service from associates members at Pony Club

ABOUT THE AWARD

The Keith Lowe Associate Award may be made to an associate member of a pony club affiliated with the association who has given practical assistance and outstanding service to his/her club during their associate years. Riding and competition ability are not major considerations.

Named after a former president, the Keith Lowe Associate Award was inaugurated in recognition of the contribution of Associates to the Pony Club movement.

AWARD RECEIVED

One associate from each zone receives:

- Personalised Keith Lowe certificate
- Keith Lowe badge
- Acknowledgement on the website Honour Roll
- 1 x Goodie Bag Sponsored by horseland & Zilco
- 1 x HorseWyse Magazine

ELIGIBLE NOMINEES

To be eligible for considerations the associate must meet the following criteria:

- Must be at least 19 years and under 25 years of age
- Given practical assistance and outstanding service to his/her club during their associate years
- Be an active member of their club at the time of nomination
- Have been a regular member of his/her club for at least three years
- Be recommended by the club committee to the zone chief instructor and the zone committee for approval
- Nomination must be submitted on the official form
- Nomination Form must be signed by the nominee's Club Secretary and supported and signed by the Zone Chief Instructor
- Support from the previous club is required if the nominee's membership changed within the last 3 years

ASSESSMENT PROCESS

An initial eligibility assessment will be undertaken to determine that the nominee has met the criteria and that the Nomination Form has been completed correctly and in full. Next, an assessment panel with representatives from the State Office and Executive Committee will assess all eligible nominations. Maximum number of awards presented per year is 28.

HOW TO NOMINATE

The club committee should recommend a junior to the zone chief instructor and the zone committee for approval. A completed Nomination Form must then be sent to the state office by 30th September 2026 website upload link

NOTIFICATION

Successful nominees will be announced at the November State Council meeting. Nominees will then be notified in writing and the award sent via post. Successful nominees will also be published; on the Pony Club NSW website Honour Roll, in the December State newsletter.

FURTHER INFORMATION

Enquiries should be directed to the state office on 02 4229 8977 or emailed to marketing@ponyclubnsw.org.au. You can also visit the state website, www.ponyclubnsw.org.au.

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To nominate for the awards please complete all questions.

Full Name :

E-Mail :

Address :

Club :

Zone :

Years in the Club

Have you been a
member for less
then 3 years?

Previous Club

Zone :

Reason for leaving

How has the nominee given practical assistance and outstanding service to his/her club during their associate years within the following areas? Please include examples where relevant.

Rally Day / Club
Events:

Club Management:

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Fundraising:

New member
recruitment:

Encourage and assist
young riders:

Promote proper
animal care:

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Display and encourage sportsmanship:

DECLARATION: Nominations must be signed by the nominee’s Club Secretary and supported and signed by the Zone Chief Instructor. Signed declaration indicates that the nominated associate has been recommended by the club committee to the zone chief instructor and the zone committee for approval. In the event that the nominee is a relative of any of the signatories another member of the club/zone committee must sign.

Club Secretary

I HEREBY CONFIRM that the above applicant is a financial and active member of Pony Club and has attended at least three instructional days in the preceding twelve months.

Signature :

Date :

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Zone Chief Instructor (ZCI)

I HEREBY CONFIRM that the above applicant is known to me and I agree to endorse this application.

Signature:

Date :