



2026 OADG Horse Owner of the Year Submission Form
(Must be submitted by the deadline on the OADG website)

Do you want to recognize the owner of the horse that you are competing on? The purpose of this award is to nominate a unique and supportive horse owner - who through their ownership of a horse, have demonstrated a commitment to the sport of Dressage and furthering someone else's equestrian skills, without any benefit to themselves. In 2009, Zachary Ball presented the inaugural trophy to Sarah McIlwham, the owner of the horse he rode. Riders may nominate an OADG member who is a horse owner and provides a horse for competition.

Criteria:

- Rider, owner and nominator (if different) must all be OADG members.
- The owner must have assisted the rider with obtaining their personal goals for this year.
- The nominator must submit a short essay describing why the owner deserves the award.
- Please submit your essay by adding another page to this document, or by attaching another file to the email.

Name of Owner being Nominated: _____

Name of Rider: _____

Name of Horse: _____

Name of Nominator: _____

Nominator's Email: _____

Nominator's Phone Number: _____

Essay: Please submit your essay by adding another page to this document, or attaching it as another file to the email.

Email to: awards@ottawadressage.ca

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