

BACK COUNTRY HORSEMEN OF BC

The BCHBC Award of Excellence for an Outstanding Project

Criteria and Nomination Form



The BCHBC Award of Excellence for an outstanding project is awarded to a team of BCHBC members or a BCHBC chapter who have developed, executed and completed an outstanding project, which exemplifies the mission and vision of the BCHBC.

Qualifying projects must be completed by the year of application.

Depending on submissions, the award may not be given out on an annual basis.

BCHBC Mission Statement:

BCHBC is an organization that provides equestrians who are interested in trail riding and the backcountry, with a social and safe learning atmosphere where people of all ages and experience can enjoy trail riding and the wilderness experience. Through collaboration with individuals, government, business and other recreational users of public lands, we strive to preserve and enhance the use of public lands for all equestrians.

The Purpose of the Society shall be:

- ***To work together with recreational groups, government agencies and the general public to promote awareness and understanding for a cooperative wilderness experience.***
- ***To build new trails, trailheads and other facilities for horsemen.***
- ***To maintain and preserve existing equine trails - wilderness and urban.***
- ***To promote educational programs in safety, courtesy and environmental awareness.***
- ***To preserve access for Canadians to use horses and mules (equines) on public lands.***

Efforts eligible for recognition:

- Trail Maintenance Projects
- Trail Development Projects
- Trailhead Development Projects
- Educational Programs/Projects
- Advocacy Projects

SUBMISSION MUST INCLUDE (in 1000 words or less):

1. A complete description of the project including its applicability to the BCHBC mission and vision.
2. Photos of the project if applicable.
3. Letters of support/partnership with anyone who worked on the project with the group of individuals or chapter.
4. Time commitment.
5. Impact of the project on the BCHBC and/or area where the project was completed.
6. How the project serves the BCHBC as a future model for other projects.
7. A statement of what makes this project outstanding and this project is deserving of the award.

Any BCHBC member can nominate a project whether they participated in the project or not.

Name of Nominees or BCHBC Chapter _____

Nominees Contact Information:

Email: _____ phone: _____

NAME OF PROJECT: _____

Contact Information of Nominators:

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____