Colour Awards for Sports and Arts

Elite Sports Award

A recipient can come from both team or individual sports. They will need to show a record of high performance at either South Island or National competitions. For Provincial Representative events that would require selection into tournament teams.

Being a member of a successful team in itself is not enough to be considered. There must be evidence of significant contribution to the team result by the individual. The team competition must be a premier level of the competition.

Sports Colour Award

A recipient may be any student who has reached a standard suited to the school's top sporting award. This may be recognised by significant representative achievement or outstanding performance at a South Island or National level.

At least one of the three criteria must be met.

Criteria for Sports Colour

- regional selection at senior high school level and/or
- selection in tournament teams at age group level representative tournaments or High School South Island events and/or
- outstanding individual performance at South Island or National age group events.

Junior Sports Colour Award

While attending Waimate high School at least one of the three criteria listed must be met or a performance or an equal standard, plus:

• a sustained record of performance at a regional level for two or more years..

Service to Sport Colour

This school based award is for any student who has a superior record of service to the sport over a long period of time (at least 3 years). This service includes such activities as captaincy, coaching and officiating. They should have participated in most of the competition games that are available to them.

Guidelines:

- Students are expected to play for school teams where suitable
- Students should display commitment to ongoing performance, training etc.
- Students should have reached South Canterbury representative level or equivalent if possible.
- Colour Awards and Junior Colours are awarded one or the other.
- The Colour Award is the most prestigious

Selection panel:

• Principal's Nominee

- Board Nominee
- Sporting person from the community
- Sports Co-ordinator or their nominee

Elite Arts Award

A recipient can come from both group and individual artistic pursuits. They need to show a record of high performance or exhibition at either South Island or National level.

Being part of a group performance or exhibition is not enough to be considered. There must be evidence of significant contribution to the group from the individual. The group performance or exhibition must be at the premier level of the performance.

Arts Colour Award

A recipient may be any student who has reached a standard suited to the school's top Arts award. This may be recognised by significant level of achievement or outstanding performance at a South Island or National level.

At least one of the three criteria must be met.

Criteria for Arts and Junior Arts Award:

- Regional representation at senior high school level and/or
- Participation in competitions or exhibitions at age group level representative events or High School South Island events and/or
- A record of outstanding artistic (visual arts/music/drama) performance at a regional or national (or equivalent) level age group events

Junior Arts Award

While attending Waimate high School at least one of the three criteria listed must be met or a performance or an equal standard not covered by these plus:

a sustained record of performance at a regional level for two or more years...

Service to the Arts

This school based award is for any student who has a superior record of service to the Arts over a long period of time (at least 3 years). This service includes such activities as composing, leading, choreographing, directing, tutoring. They should have participated in most of the specific activities that are available to them.

Guidelines:

- Students are expected to participate in school activities and performances where suitable eg assembly, library exhibitions, talent quest, stage challenge, school production.
- Students should display commitment to ongoing performance, rehearsals, practise, masterclasses etc.
- Students should have reached South Canterbury representative level or equivalent if

possible.

- Being part of a group performance or exhibition is not enough to be considered. There must be evidence of significant contribution to the group from the individual. The group performance or exhibition must be at the premier level of the performance.
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Selection panel:

- Principal's Nominee
- Board Nominee
- Arts person from the community
- Arts Co-ordinator or their nominee