

# SAFETY NZ WEEK

## The New Zealand Community Safety and Injury Prevention Awards 2008

**These awards recognise, reward and promote best-practice community-based injury prevention and safety promotion in New Zealand.**

### **Entry is open to:**

- any group or organisation with an excellent and/or promising safety or injury prevention initiative;
- any individual who has made a significant contribution to creating a safer community.

**Winners receive \$2000 towards professional development, and/ or the development of their safety initiative**  
**Closing date for entries is the 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2008.**

### **Category 1 – Emerging community safety and/or injury prevention initiative or programme**

#### *Judging Criteria*

- Demonstrates how all relevant community safety stakeholders have been engaged as part of the initiative's implementation;
- Demonstrates that it is addressing an important injury issues for your community;
- Shows effective use of available resources; and
- Has the potential to be applied and developed elsewhere.

### **Category 2 – Outstanding community safety and/or injury prevention initiative or programme**

#### *Judging Criteria*

- Uses data to inform development and sustainability;
- Uses proven and promising community-based safety promotion and injury prevention strategies;
- Incorporates evaluation to assess the programme, processes, reach and effects of change; and
- Has the potential to be applied and developed elsewhere.

### **Category 3 – Outstanding example of the New Zealand Injury Prevention Strategy framework guiding the development of a community safety and/or injury prevention initiative or programme**

#### *Judging Criteria*

- Demonstrates alignment with the vision and objectives of NZIPS;
- Demonstrates alignment with one or more aspects of the NZIPS implementation plan;
- Addresses one or more priority areas for NZIPS;
- Incorporates evaluation to assess processes, reach and effects of change; and
- Fosters leadership within the community.

**N.B. Applications under this category can focus on one or more objective of NZIPS or demonstrate how their initiative has used the NZIPS framework**

### **Category 4 – Outstanding business or organisation that is contributing to the greater well-being of its own workforce and the community in general**

#### *Judging Criteria*

- Shows collaboration and partnerships with community groups and organisations working towards common goals of injury reduction and well-being in the community;
- Demonstrates initiatives to improve the health and well-being of the workforce and the community, beyond the prevention of injuries in the workplace;
- Incorporates evaluation to assess processes, reach and effects of change; and
- Shows that the employer has an awareness and appreciation of the community, and is working towards the greater well-being of the community.

**For an entry form or more information visit [www safecommunities.org.nz/safeawds](http://www safecommunities.org.nz/safeawds)  
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