


# JUDY MACKAY AWARD



Judy became our legend, a petite woman with unbelievable riding skills. Her determination and will to succeed were second to none.

Judy trained dressage horses hundreds of kilometres inland from the coast, on the Queensland - New South Wales border. Mostly alone, she travelled many thousands of kilometres to compete in competitions throughout the country.

More or less everyone at the competition would stop to watch Judy compete. She was often the only competitor at Grand Prix level. One of the first Australian Dressage Riders to train horses to Grand Prix level, one of the first to venture overseas on a home bred and trained horse, Judy began training dressage horses at a time when few Australian horse people knew what the sport was about. She inspired so many.

Many have followed after her but none have had more courage or tenacity.

Judy's Grand Prix horses included *Prudence*, *Delaware*, *Debonair* and *Duel Diablo*. She trained as a visiting rider at the Spanish Riding School in Vienna. Rather than ride at the Moscow Olympics, which was boycotted by the Australian Equestrian Team, Judy rode at an alternative event in Rotterdam in 1980. She trained many riders including myself and was one of a group who, for many years, brought a visiting trainer from the Spanish Riding School to Australia. She inspired so many.

Judy inspired so many, she is sorely missed.

# Judy Mackay Award Nomination Form

Applicant Information			
Name:		EA Number:	
Date of Birth:	Phone:		Mobile:
Email:			
Address:			
Suburb:	State:		Post Code:
Horse Information			
Horse 1:		EA Number:	
Level/s competed:			
Horse 2:		EA Number:	
Level/s competed:			
Horse 3:		EA Number:	
Level/s competed:			
Summary of horse and rider's details demonstrating eligibility for this award			

## Summary of volunteer work

Signed:

Dated: