



2022

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RECOGNITION AWARDS

Frequently asked questions for the Southland Export Trust Grant

When are nominations due?

Nominations open for 2022 on Monday 16 May 2022. Nominations close at 4:00pm on Wednesday 29 June 2022.

When are applications due?

Applications for 2022 open on Monday 16 May 2022. Applications close at 4:00pm on Wednesday 29 June 2022.

How do I submit an application?

Please ensure your application is submitted via one of our official application forms. Applications in other formats and website links will not be accepted. Please adhere to the word limits provided.

What happens after we submit an application?

The Southland Business Chamber will pass on your application to the Southland Export Trust Committee. The recipient of the grant/s will not be notified until the announcement is made on the night of the recognition dinner.

How much does it cost to apply?

There is no cost to apply for the Southland Export Trust Grant 2022. However, we do encourage those applying to purchase tickets to the awards dinner.

How does the judging process work?

There are four judges on the Southland Export Trust along with an Independent judge who will make the decision on who will be the 2022 Grant recipient/s. The judges will make their decision on the form submitted, but this does not preclude them making their own enquiries of the businesses. The judges' decision will be final and no correspondence shall be entered into.

When will we know if we have been awarded a Southland Export Trust Grant?

The recipient of the 2022 Southland Export Trust Grant will be announced on 23 September 2022 at the DHL Export Southland Award ceremony.

What does the recipient of the Grant win?

The recipient receives a grant towards their stated project. In some circumstances, the judges may decide to divide the grant into a major and minor grant, the decision of which is entirely at the Trust Committee's discretion and their decision is final.

The recipient will also receive the benefits of media coverage and profile and a certificate will be presented.

When is the Awards Dinner?

The dinner will be held on Friday 23 September 2022 at Ascot Park Hotel, Invercargill.

How do I purchase tickets to the Awards Ceremony?

Tickets will be on sale from 4 July 2022.

Tickets will be available on our website.

When will I get my Awards Ceremony tickets?

Tickets information will be e-mailed to you two weeks prior to the Awards Ceremony.

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