**Nomination Form for 7th Indian Newslink Sports, Community, Arts & Culture Awards, August 2, 2021**

Completed form must be sent only by email to **inscacawards@gmail.com**on or before 6 pm on Thursday, July 15, 2021

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| **Nominations Open: June 8, 2021** |
| **Nominations Close: July 15, 2021** |
| **Achievement Period: July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2021 (Extended date range due to cancellation of 2020 Awards (Covid-19))** |
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| **ENTRANT/NOMINEE DETAILS  NOMINATED BY** |
| Entrant/ Nominee |  |   |  | Name |   |
| Address |  |   |  | Address |  |   |
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| Mobile |  |   |  | Mobile |  |   |
| Email |  |   |  | Email |  |   |
|  |  |   |  | Organisation |  |   |
|  |  |   |  | Role |  |   |

**AWARD NOMINATED FOR [Select ONE Category per Entry/Nomination]**

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|  | **SPORTS CATEGORY** |  |  | **OTHER CATEGORIES** |
|  | Excellence in Cricket |  |  | Excellence in Community Activities |
|  | Excellence in Soccer  |  |  | Excellence in Arts |
|  | Excellence in Hockey  |  |  | Excellence in Culture |
|  | Excellence in Netball |  |  |  |
|  | Excellence in Other Sports |  |  |  |

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| **SECTION 1: About the Entrant/Nominee** |
| This section is worth 50% of the final mark. * Background of the Entrant/Nominee (e.g. Education, Family, Career) (30 words).
* For Sport: Entrant/Nominee’s chosen field of sports, date of commencement and brief career details, For all other categories: Brief description, activities, and projects (30 words)
* How the nominee has excelled himself or herself (40 words).
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**Please type in approximately 100 words**

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| **SECTION 2: Entrant/Nominee's Achievements** |
| This Section is worth 50% of the final mark.* Achievements of the Entrant/Nominee during the period July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2021.
* Mention the reasons for nominating the person.
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**Please type in approximately 100 words**

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*In signing their entry, those entering/nominating confirm that there are no issues with the entrant/nominee that may harm the integrity of the Awards. These issues may include past, pending or anticipated actions involving entrant/nominees, sports officials, directors and/or shareholders or the company, organisation and such other bodies, which have resulted, or would result in any manner the insolvency, serious offence or such actions that may be considered harmful to Indian Newslink, organisers, sponsors, Judges and others involved with the Indian Newslink Sports, Community, Arts & Culture Awards.*

**Entry Process**

1. Complete the entry form for each category in full. You may enter more than one category if you or the person you are nominated are involved in several Sports, Community, Arts & Cultural activities but a separate entry form must be completed for each category. Incomplete forms or those combining more than one category will be rejected.
2. Any person, organisation or company can nominate anyone to any one or more of the categories.
3. All completed forms must be sent by email to inscacawards@gmail.com on or before 6 pm on Thursday, July 15, 2021.

Should you require further assistance with the Awards process, please write to the Editor, Indian Newslink at venkat@indiannewslink.co.nz

**Conditions of Entry**

1. The Awards are open to persons of Indian, Fijian, Pakistani, Bangladeshi, Sri Lankan and Nepali ethnicities who are permanently resident in New Zealand or New Zealand citizens.
2. The Best Sportsman of the Year and the Best Sportswoman of the Year will be chosen from the finalists and/or winners of the Sports Awards categories.
3. In addition, the Judges may, at their discretion, recognise and honour individuals for their special achievement and/or contribution to one or more areas that may or may not have been specified.
4. The Judges will consider the achievements of persons nominated or those who have sent their direct entries for the period covering July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2021.
5. All entries must be on this Form, completed and sent to inscacawards@gmail.com on or before 6 pm on Thursday, July 15, 2021. These forms may be either filed electronically or manually completed and scanned.
6. Strict confidentiality of the contents of entries will be maintained by the independent Judges, but no liability is accepted for any loss or damage suffered through entry or nomination to the Indian Newslink Sports, Community, Arts & Culture Awards.
7. Please use Arial font size of no less than 10 point. The word limits in the entry are to be observed. Supplementary information including Certificates, Photographs, paper clippings or any such material are not required and will not be taken into account.
8. The Judges will contact the entrants, nominators or nominees in case of need. The decision of the Judges will be final and no correspondence will be entertained in this regard

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| Signature |  | Date |  |