New Forest Awards 2023 – regulations

* Self-nomination and joint nominations are permitted, but being nominated by more than one person does not increase your chances of winning
* CLA and New Forest National Park Authority staff and their immediate family are not eligible to enter these awards
* Nominees for all the awards must live or work within the awards boundary ([see map here](https://www.newforestnpa.gov.uk/app/uploads/2018/07/00945-CLA-awards-area2.pdf)).
* All nominees consent to taking part in any publicity associated with the awards
* If you are shortlisted you must be available to attend the awards ceremony on Wednesday 26 July at the New Forest Show
* You must be 16 years or older to enter
* Nominations will be accepted until midnight on 31 May 2023
* A shortlist will be drawn up by New Forest National Park Authority and CLA staff as well as selected judges. Shortlisted nominees will then be judged by panels of representatives from local organisations
* The decision of the shortlisting panel and the judges is final
* Shortlisted nominees will be notified by email, or by phone where no email address has been supplied, by the end of June.