

Talisman Award Requirement

Purpose: This award is in memory of John Hays. His widow is an Honorary Lifetime Member of the Committee and after the selection is complete, the Committee Chair will notify her.

Procedure:

A. The Committee will consist of a BOD Chairperson; Belle Hays, honorary; the immediate past recipient as a Co-chair; and a group of four to six ADCA members. All nominations will come from the ADCA membership.

B. NOMINATIONS CRITERIA – A family or individual owner who has promoted the Dexter breed and the ADCA with honesty and integrity may be nominated. Nominees must be a paid member and in good standing with the ADCA. A nomination is valid for the current year only. If the nominee is not the award recipient, they are eligible to be nominated in future years, but such nomination is not automatic or perpetual.

C. Award announcement with nomination form to be published in the Winter Bulletin and again in the Spring Bulletin (if time permits). Nomination deadline will be May 1. Submission will be made to the Committee Chairperson. All nominees will be contacted by the Chairperson to see if they will accept the nomination.

D. Nomination biographies must be received by the Chairperson by May 15. The Chairperson will forward all nominations and biographies on to the rest of the Committee for review.

E. After the committee reviews all nominations and biographies, a vote will take place for the selection of the current years Talisman Award Recipient. The Committee will send copies of all nominations to the ADCA Board of Directors for review purposes only.

F. A plaque will be ordered once the selection is complete. This should be done by June 1.

G. Award presentation to take place at the AGM.

The Talisman Award Nominations Deadline: May 1st, 2017. The Talisman Farm Award is made possible by the American Dexter Cattle Association in memory of John Hays, honoring his dedicated work with the Dexter Breed.

Nominations for this award can be either a family, or individual Dexter owner, who has promoted the Dexter breed with tireless passion and integrity, and were submitted by the membership.

It will be presented in person during the ADCA National Annual General Meeting (AGM) on June 17, 2017. AGM Nominees MUST be a current paid member, in good standing with the ADCA.

Get the nominations in now!

I would like to nominate _____ for the 2017 Talisman Award.

Comments: _____

Submitted by: _____ **Date:** _____

Mail or email Nominations to:

Greg Dickens PO Box 536, Bois D Arc, MO, 65612 or email: gd1452@yahoo.com

Past Winners

(2016) Rick Seydel	(2012) Sandi Thomas	(2008) Marcia Read
(2015) Jim Smith	(2011) Marvin Johnson	(2007) Carol Davidson
(2014) Pam Malcuit	(2010) Sally Coad	(2006) Diane Mills-Frank
(2013) Charles Townson	(2009) Peerless Herd	