



MARY O'BRIEN SILVER WINGS AWARD

Entry Conditions:

1. To apply for the award you must complete the Application Form and tell us (in up to 200 words) why you deserve the award.
2. This award is open to all women aged 45 years or over at the time of application.
3. Membership of AWPA is not required at the time of application. It will be required if awarded.
4. The applicant must be a permanent resident of Australia.
5. The recipient of the award will be announced at the 2012 AWPA Annual conference.
6. A cost estimate from the proposed flying school or organisation will be required.
7. The money awarded will be paid to the flying school/organisation of the winner's choice '**on a dollar for dollar basis' up to \$1500**. This means the applicant will be required to pay 50% of her training costs until the \$1,500 award is expended. Receipts must be supplied.
8. The intended use of the award may include one of the following: training up to 1st solo, GFPT, PPL, CPL, night rating, aerobatic endorsement, retractable endorsement, tail wheel endorsement or Flight Review.
9. The award is open to fixed wing, rotary, ballooning and gliding enthusiasts.
10. Applicants must, in the first instance, **submit their application by email, including all attachments, up to a maximum file size of 5 MB**. The original documents must then be posted, to be received no later than 31st January, 2012. The email and postal addresses appear on the Application Form.
11. The successful applicant must:
 - Confirm in writing, within one month of receiving the award, an intention to accept;
 - Lodge written progress reports every three months thereafter with the award Coordinator;
 - Complete the training covered by this award **within one year**. (An extension of time may be granted at the Selection Panel's discretion, provided a written application reaches the Coordinator before the expiry date).
12. The selection panel's decision in awarding the scholarship will be final.

