

2015 Trek All-Star Student-Athlete Award

The All-Star Student Athlete Award recognizes student-athletes for their outstanding competitive achievements and potential for future success in competitive cycling.

Zoë Mae Dunn, Chino Valley High School, Arizona High School Cycling League



Zoë has been involved with the Arizona League since its inception in 2013. She started the first season as a sophomore and won the State Championship that year. Most importantly, she discovered her tribe and grew into not just a team leader but someone who brought together members of all teams on race day. This was no more apparent than when her tradition of podium hugs caught on not only with her group of competitors but even as the Varsity Boys gave hugs at the last race! Zoë has proudly represented NICA at her school and in the community, wearing her NICA gear and spreading the word through newspaper stories and social media. Academically, Zoë is one of the top students at her school, is the National Honors Society president and takes college courses while participating in numerous extracurricular activities and community service projects. She was elected captain of her mountain bike team all three seasons and has participated in several team 24-hour races, capping her accomplishments with a victory in the Under-23

division of the 24-Hour Solo Mountain Bike World Championship in 2015.



“The incredible girls that I raced with not only motivated me to do my best at NICA races, but they also fully supported me and persuaded me to pursue races outside of NICA. Pursuing these other races helped me to become more self-confident and disciplined. Things that once seemed daunting and impossible to me, suddenly seemed achievable.”