



2017 Awards Night - Nomination Information

Motorcycling Queensland is calling for nominations from its affiliated Clubs and/or subcommittee members for individuals / events / clubs to be considered for recognition as a finalist / winner at the 2017 MQ Awards Night.

The 2017 MQ Awards Night will be held at the Riverside Receptions, 50 Oxlade Drive, New Farm.

An Awards Night Panel will be responsible for selecting winners / finalists in some of our key award categories.

For the following categories, (up to) three finalists will be chosen by the MQ Awards Night Panel, with the winner to be announced on the night:

- *Senior International Rider of the Year
- *Junior International Rider of the Year
- *Event of the Year
- *Official of the Year
- *Volunteer of the Year
- *Club of the Year
- *Senior Rider of the Year

For the following categories, winners will be decided by the MQ Awards Night Panel:

- *Lifetime Achievement
- *Coach of the Year
- *Services to Coaching

The Motorcycling Queensland office will determine the award winner in the category of:

- *Most Improved Club of the Year

The MQ Sport Development subcommittee will determine the winner in the category of:

- *Junior Achiever of the Year

The Motorcycling Queensland President will be responsible for selecting award recipients for:

- *Presidents Volunteer of the Year
- *President's Appreciation Award

Only nominations received on the official 'Nomination Form' (see page 3) by **cob** **Monday 6th November 2017** will be considered. Send completed nominations to operations@mqlld.org.au

Awards categories explained

Senior International Rider of the Year

A Queensland senior rider who has spent a considerable portion of the year (2017) plying his / her trade overseas. Results achieved are just as important as is this rider's ability to represent his / herself and the sport to the highest standards.

Junior International Rider of the Year

A Queensland junior rider who has spent a considerable portion of the year (2017) plying his / her trade overseas. Results achieved are just as important as is this rider's ability to represent his / herself and the sport to the highest standards

Lifetime Achievement

A rider, official, volunteer, coach or administrator who has spent a 'lifetime' of service dedicated to the sport of motorcycling. Nominees who have 'achieved' at the highest level in more than one of these areas will be viewed favourably.

Event of the Year

An event or Series that has captured the imagination of the motorcycling (and broader) public – not restricted to competition events only. An ability for this event to 'think outside of the square' and deliver a great product for competitors, officials, spectators, sponsors, etc.

Official of the Year

An individual who demonstrates an ability to uphold the highest standards of officiating, no matter what the circumstances. An ability to also mentor other upcoming officials will be viewed favourably.

Volunteer of the Year

The life blood of any not-for-profit club or organisation, volunteers contribute across a variety of roles from local committee members to canteen coordinators, track maintenance, and event helpers. An individual who regularly goes over and beyond, often at their own personal (time, financial) detriment.

Club of the Year

Motorcycling Queensland clubs are our 'shop-front'. An ability for clubs to deliver high quality service to their members ultimately translates to whole of sport success. Successful clubs deliver well run, profitable events, obtain sponsorship and grants, offer coaching and training opportunities to their members, and maintain good relationships across a variety of levels from local government through the MQ office.

Coach of the Year

A coach who has delivered high quality coaching to participants during the nominated period (2017).

Services to Coaching

An individual or organisation who has contributed in a positive manner to the coaching landscape in Queensland over a period of time.

Senior Rider of the Year

Each discipline will nominate three senior riders who have achieved outstanding success in 2017. The 1st placed rider from each discipline will automatically be nominated as a finalist in the Senior Rider of the Year category.

2017 Awards Night - Nomination Form

Category Nominated: *Please tick category. One form only to be used for each nomination*

<input type="radio"/>	Senior International Rider of the Year	<input type="radio"/>	Junior International Rider of the Year
<input type="radio"/>	Coach of the Year	<input type="radio"/>	Services to Coaching
<input type="radio"/>	Event of the Year	<input type="radio"/>	Volunteer of the Year
<input type="radio"/>	Official of the Year	<input type="radio"/>	Club of the Year
<input type="radio"/>	Lifetime Achievement		

Name of Nominee: (being nominated)	
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Name of Nominator: (completing the nomination form)	
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Email:		Mobile:	
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Name of Club / Subcommittee: (making the nomination)	
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Please provide details of Nominee / Event Achievements (including reasons the Nominee has achieved a level of excellence greater than that of their peers which warrants them being the recipient of an award):