



HERVEY BAY NETBALL ASSOCIATION

Hervey Bay Netball Association Annual Player and Official Awards Procedure

PROCEDURE TITLE: Annual Player and Official Awards
DEVELOPED BY: Hervey Bay Netball Association
ADOPTED: 13th June 2018

Date Amended	Summary of Amendments
10 th May 2019	Added sections related to Outstanding Umpire of the Year Removed sections related to Sportsmanship awards

POLICY STATEMENT

Hervey Bay Netball Association is committed to ensuring consistency and transparency in practices related to the nomination and selection processes around the annual Player and Official awards.

The purpose of this document is to provide guidelines for managing nomination and selection processes related to these awards.

PROCEDURE

Determining Award Categories

Hervey Bay Netball Association (HBNA) Management Committee are responsible for determining the amount and type of annual awards available to members. As much as possible, these awards should be consistent from year to year, however the Management Committee has the responsibility to review the relevance of these awards in line with current membership expectations.

It is recommended that at a minimum the below awards should be on offer:

- Senior Player of the Year (1 award recipient)
- Junior Player of the Year (1 award recipient)
- Players player (1 award recipient in each competition division)
- Best on Court (1 award recipient in each competition division)
- Premiers awards (1 for each player in the winning team for each division)
- Runners Up awards (1 for each player in the runners up team for each division)
- Participation awards (for all NetSetGO participants)



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Nominations for Awards

Senior Player of the Year

HBNA Management Committee Members and Affiliated Clubs are entitled to submit 1 nomination each for this award. Nominations should be called at least 28 days prior to the presentation event. The nomination instructions and relevant forms should be included with this notice.

Nominations should close with enough time to arrange engraving on awards.

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Players Player

Throughout the season, teams are required to submit players player votes at the conclusion of each competition round. These votes are collated at the conclusion of the competition rounds, and the award recipient for each division is determined.

The HBNA Management Committee are responsible for determining the most appropriate method of scoring the votes, but typically a 'points' system will be utilised whereby each team are required to identify a player on the opposition team to award 2 points, and a player on the opposition team to award 1 point. This activity occurs after each game during the competition rounds.

Best on Court

At the conclusion of each Grandfinal match, the umpires allocated to that match are required to collaborate and identify a player that participated in the match to be the recipient for this award.



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Assessing Award Nominations

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- HBNA Management Committee
- HBNA Life Members

Assessment should be based on information provided in the nomination, and attributes of the nominee (in the year nominated) should be weighted in a systematic point system as follows:

Attribute	Points	Further Info
Represents NA	100	Playing at an international level within a Netball Australia recognised competition
Represents NQ	50	Playing at a national level within a Netball Australia recognised competition
Represents Region	30	Playing at a state level within a Netball Queensland recognised competition
Represents HBNA	30	Playing at a regional/Zone level within a Netball Queensland recognised competition
HBNA Div 1 Player	30	Playing club netball in Division 1
HBNA Div 2 Player	20	Playing club netball in Division 2
HBNA Div 3 Player	10	Playing club netball in Division 3
Region/State/National umpire	15	Umpiring at a regional; state or national level
HBNA Rep umpire	10	Umpiring at a rep level within the region/zone
Region/State/National Coach	15	Coaching at a regional; state or national level
HBNA Rep coach	15	Coaching at a rep level within the region/zone
HBNA Rep assistant coach	10	Coaching at a rep level within the region/zone
HBNA Rep manager	5	Managing at a rep level within the region/zone
HBNA Management member	10	Serving on HBNA Management
Club umpire	10	Umpiring at a club level
Club coach	15	Coaching at a club level
Club assistant coach	10	Coaching at a club level
Club manager	5	Managing at a club level
Club Management member	10	Serving in club management



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HBNA Div 5/6 Player	20	Playing club netball in top Junior division
HBNA Div 6/7 Player	10	Playing club netball in 2 nd highest Junior division
Region/State/National umpire	15	Umpiring at a regional; state or national level
HBNA Rep umpire	10	Umpiring at a rep level within the region/zone
HBNA Rep assistant coach	10	Coaching at a rep level within the region/zone
Club umpire	10	Umpiring at a club level
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Club manager	5	Managing at a club level

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HBNA Umpire	20	Umpiring HBNA Finals rounds netball in Senior division
	15	Umpiring HBNA Finals rounds netball in Junior division
Club Umpire	10	Umpiring club netball in Senior division
	5	Umpiring club netball in Junior division
Accreditation	20	Gained accreditation level
Development	15	Participated in development program
Mentor	15	Officially recognised as Umpire Mentor within club or HBNA

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In the event of a tie

In instances where multiple nominees accumulate the same number of points, further consideration should occur to determine the final recipient.

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