

HALL OF CHAMPIONS SELECTION CRITERIA



Overview

The purpose of the Hall of Champions is to recognise players, coaches, umpires, officials and teams who have achieved outstanding success and/or made a significant contribution in the WAAFL.

In accordance with selection criteria, the Hall of Champions Selection Committee shall make recommendations to the WAAFL Board of eligible candidates to be inducted into the Hall of Champions and/or recognised as a High Achiever by 1 October each year.

The composition, authority and responsibilities of the Hall of Champions Selection Committee shall be in accordance with the WAAFL By-laws.

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1) Induction into the Hall of Champions

- To be inducted into the Hall of Champions a candidate shall have achieved outstanding success and/or made a significant contribution in the WAAFL. This includes, but not limited to, games played, coached and/or umpired, years of service, achievements, integrity and character.
- A candidate may be an individual, club or a WAAFL representative team.
- A member of the committee may be a candidate but shall declare a conflict of interest and not vote when the nomination is under consideration.
- The Hall of Champions Selection Committee shall make recommendations to the WAAFL Board of eligible candidates to the Hall of Champions by 1 October each year.
- The WAAFL Board shall determine by resolution the committee's recommendations.

2) Recognition as a High Achiever

- To be recognised as a High Achiever a candidate shall have participated in the WAAFL as player, coach, umpire and/or official, and have achieved outstanding success and/or made a significant contribution to the game of Australian football. This includes, but not limited to, games played, coached and/or umpired, years of service, achievements, integrity and character in other leagues such as the AFL, WAFL, and country and junior football.
- A candidate may only be an individual.
- A member of the committee may be a candidate but shall declare a conflict of interest and not vote when the nomination is under consideration.
- The Hall of Champions Selection Committee shall make recommendations to the WAAFL Board of eligible candidates as a High Achiever by 1 October each year.
- The WAAFL Board shall determine by resolution the committee's recommendations.

3) Inductees

- The committee will in its best endeavours ensure eligible candidates recommended to the WAAFL Board are drawn from different eras.
- The committee shall recommend no more than ten eligible candidates per year.
- Nominations shall be received from committee members, individuals, WAAFL clubs and umpire associations.
- As a minimum, each nomination received by the committee should include games played, coached and/or umpired, years of service and achievements in the WAAFL and other leagues.

4) Meetings

- The committee shall operate in accordance with the WAAFL By-laws.
- The committee shall minute its determinations and recommendations.
- A nomination recommended to the WAAFL Board must be supported by 75% of the committee members present at the meeting and being entitled to vote.
- All meetings and decisions of the committee shall remain confidential and no member of the committee shall disclose the name of any person so admitted to the Hall of Champions until such person has been inducted.

5) Amendments

- The committee may from time to time make recommendations to the WAAFL Board for amendments to selection criteria.
- Amendment to selection criteria shall only be made by the WAAFL Board.

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