

Members Recognition Manual



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Introduction

Life Saving Victoria has identified the need to recognise and reward those individuals who have made a contribution to lifesaving by honouring them with a recognition program. 'Recognition' stems from genuinely valuing the efforts of contributors within and to lifesaving.

One of the most important things we can do for our members and supporters is to understand the kinds of recognition that they value, and to work toward making that level of recognition possible.

It is with great pleasure that I present to you the LSV Members Recognition Manual. This manual identifies the awards available through LSV. Each of the Honours and Awards are designed to reward and recognise the efforts of those who devote countless hours week in week out, year after year to provide a safe and enjoyable environment at all levels of lifesaving.

Recognition is available for all LSV personnel, club members, service members, club and LSV associates and supporters, and is an integral part of maintaining commitment and support to lifesaving as a whole.

The manual has been prepared by the Honours and Awards Committee and endorsed by the Board of Directors on behalf of LSV. I take the opportunity to acknowledge the significant contributions made by individual members who have developed, contributed and/or advanced the aims and objectives of this manual to create awareness of recognition, encourage participation in the award scheme and lift the profile of LSV volunteers.

I encourage all members to support the recognition of the great contribution made by members and supporters of the organisation by using this manual.

Michael Martin
LSV President



1 **Overview**

In any form of positive human endeavor, recognition of excellence by one's peers is regarded as the ultimate accolade. For volunteer organisations, such recognition, manifested by the conferring of Honours and Awards, may well be the only accolade or tangible reward received for many years of dedicated service, a single act of bravery, quality of performances at competition or actions or ideas which make the aquatic environment a safer one for all.

This Manual is designed to be a reference for LSV members to identify all available honours and awards.

2. **Background**

Royal Life Saving Society Australia, Victoria Branch and Surf Life Saving Victoria both have long and proud traditions of serving the public of Victoria. The coming together of these organisations, as Life Saving Victoria (LSV) in 2005, provided a perfect opportunity to reassess the honours and awards of both bodies - to identify gaps and overlaps in the recognition structure and to put in place a robust, responsive system for the future. In establishing such a system, we are mindful of the past and aim to perpetuate the best traditions, as well as the memories of people who have awards named after them, from both organisations.

The new structure set out in this manual is neither fixed nor final. New awards will be added; existing ones may be discontinued or altered as circumstances dictate. Awards may be named or renamed; sponsorships may be invited for some awards or change from one award to another. The structure should be dynamic, flexible and easily able to cater to minor, medium or major changes in the future.

The Board of Life Saving Victoria appointed Ms Dianne Montalto, representing the Honours Committee of RLSSAV and Mr Neil Morarty, representing the Meritorious Awards Committee of SLSV, to make recommendation for the establishment of a single body to oversee all honours and awards available to LSV members.

Recommendations were duly made and agreed upon by the Board. An Honours and Awards Committee was established with a brief that included these important principles:

- i) would report directly to the Board
- ii) at least one member should be a representative from the LSV Board of Directors
- iii) should have, in its infancy at least, an equal number of representatives with Royal & Surf backgrounds
- iv) would work with the four LSV Councils to create and administer a range of honours and awards for services to LSV
- v) would ensure that suitable ceremonies were available at which the honours & awards could be conferred.
- vi) could invite others to assist in its decision making as required.

The members of Honours and Awards Committee are:

Mr Michael Martin (Chair)
Mr Chris Baker
Mr Neil Morarty OAM
Mr Andrew Barnes
Dr Graham Cato
Ms Genevieve Lehmann
Ms Dianne Montalto ESM
Ms Belinda Porter

The Honours and Awards Committee Brief can be located in Section 3.

3. **Honours and Awards System**

A primary function of HAC is to ensure that honours and awards are conferred on all those who deserve them, at whatever level. A primary function of this Manual is to be a reference for all life saving clubs to see what honours and awards are available to them and their members.

An overview of the entire Honours and Awards system is:

INTERNAL AWARDS ie lifesaving organisations

<u>Level</u>	<u>Body Responsible</u>
59 Clubs around Victoria	Individual Club Committees
State	LSV/HAC
National	SLSA/RLSSA
International	ILS/RLS/SLSA

EXTERNAL AWARDS

<u>Level</u>	<u>Body Responsible</u>
Local	Municipal Councils
State	Various Government Departments
Commonwealth	Various Government Departments
Corporate	Company Board of Directors
Industry	Industry Peak Bodies

Note: There is no reference in the Manual to club or local council awards.

Most life saving clubs have a very robust system of recognition of their members. HAC encourages each club to consider a review of their award system to ensure that those who deserve recognition receive it.

Most councils have awards available to community organizations and their members. Clubs are encouraged to approach their Council for information and, if applicable, apply on behalf of the Club itself, and/or, one or more of its members, who have made a special contribution to the club and community.

4. **Overview of LSV Member Recognition System**

The LSV Member Recognition System has three (3) levels of information:

Level 1 The Honours and Awards Matrix.

A single line entry for each and every award available.

Each award has a unique code made up of the initials of the body within LSV, or external to it, to who responsibility for the award is ascribed, plus a sequential number.

It is designed to be a simple, quick reference of all awards. Whilst considerable effort has been made to ensure it is complete, there may be awards missing, new ones promulgated and awards discontinued. Please inform HAC of any omissions or errors.

The Matrix is divided into the following sections:

- Honours and Awards Committee
- Aquatic Sports Council
 - Overall Awards
 - Beach Competition
 - IRB Competition
 - Pool Competition
- Community Aquatic Education Council
- Life Saving Operations Council
- Youth and Leadership Development Council
- External
 - Vicsport (State)
 - State Government Industry Awards (State)
 - Australian Sports Commission (Commonwealth)
 - Emergency Management Australia (Commonwealth)
 - Australian Honours (Commonwealth)

Note 1. Some major State based awards e.g. Club, Lifesaver, Lifeguard, Volunteer of the Year may be prerequisites for national awards. The State and National awards are listed and treated separately.

Note 2. Where clubs wish to lodge nominations for State, Australian, or Commonwealth awards, clubs can approach the Honours and Awards Committee to assist with citations or to seek support citations from LSV.

Level 2 The Awards Summary

This summary providing more award details including description, criteria, critical dates, judging panel, presentation and links to relevant websites.

Note: In the interests of informing stakeholders about the Membership Recognition system at an early date, HAC and LSV Councils have concentrated on completing Summary forms for those awards which are awarded or recognised at the annual "Awards of Excellence Gala Evening". Summaries for other internal awards will be completed and distributed in due course. At this stage, it is not the intention to produce summary forms for external awards as the information contained on their websites is extensive and self-explanatory.

Level 3 Websites

The various websites will contain the most detailed information about each honour or award – nomination forms, more detailed criteria including examples if necessary, listing of past winners, photos of current recipient, awards ceremony, action shots etc. Over time, this should result in a rich and powerful history of information and images of lifesavers and lifesaving in action!

5. **Presentation of Honours & Awards**

The Board of LSV have agreed with a recommendation from HAC that an annual event be organized that gives the organisation, its members and other stakeholders, an opportunity to celebrate their involvement in lifesaving and acknowledge the recipients of the most prestigious Honours and Awards in a manner and surroundings that befit them. The Awards of Excellence Gala Evening is that event. Whilst the Gala Evening is where the majority of awards are announced, a number of awards have a long tradition of being presented at other events

An "Awards of Excellence – Event Organising Committee" has been established, which reports to the HAC, to plan, promote and produce an event that acknowledges the service rendered by all lifesavers, to provide an opportunity to thank sponsors, Governments and other organisations who make significant contributions to lifesaving. To give members from across the State an opportunity to meet socially wearing something other than red & yellow clothing.

The Awards of Excellence Gala Evening is an opportunity to bring together all members/supporters of LSV statewide. To that end, representatives from all Councils have been invited on to the Awards of Excellence Event Organising Committee, supported by LSV staff members with planning and promotional responsibilities.

All club members are encouraged to attend the Awards of Excellence Dinner and to use the event to gather together those who have made major contributions to the club over the previous year.

6. Other Information

Nominations for all honours and awards considered must:

- be on the correct nomination form,
- be fully completed and signed
- be received by the closing time advised.

Nomination forms and supporting documentation will not be returned.

The Honours and Awards Committee will vet all nominations. In the process of examination it will be the Committee's prerogative to seek further information on the nomination/s if required for completeness or clarification.



Honours and Awards Committee Brief

Role: To consider and recommend to the Board of Directors all honours and awards to be given to members and supporters in recognition of service to Life Saving Victoria.

Specific Deliverables:

1. Develop and coordinate the honours and awards program to recognise member service and support to the lifesaving movement in Victoria.
2. Develop and circulate an awards matrix listing all honours and awards available for recognition of service or support to lifesaving.
3. Develop and circulate the application criteria for all honours and awards under the aegis of the Honours and Awards Committee.
4. Develop the time lines for circulation of honours and awards applications to members, including the closing date for lodgement.
5. Consider and evaluate all applications lodged for all honours and awards under the aegis of the Honours and Awards Committee.
6. Make recommendations for honours and awards to the Board of Directors for:
 - LSV Awards
 - SLSA Awards
 - ILS Awards
 - Victorian Community Awards
 - National Community Awards
 - International Community Awards
6. To regularly review and revise the honours and awards matrix, application criteria, and evaluation processes.
8. To facilitate the Life Saving Victoria awards ceremonies in relation to the awarding of honours and awards
9. Develop and maintain the content and accuracy of trophies, honours and awards listed in the Members Recognition section of the LSV website
10. To identify and recommend to the Board of Directors the naming of LSV perpetual honours and awards

Membership:

1. The Honours and Awards Committee will be appointed by the Board of Directors. The committee will consist of nine (9) members, of which one at least will be a member of the Board.
2. The Chair of the Committee will be a Board member and serve until the earlier to occur of the date on which the Board shall replace him or her, resigns from the position, resigns from the Committee, or resigns from the Board.
3. Honours and Awards Committee members will be appointed annually by the Board of Directors
4. In the absence of the appointed Committee Chair from any meeting, the members present shall elect a Chair.

Consult with: The Chief Executive Officer as required

Sub Groups: Awards of Excellence Event Organising Committee on the approval of the Board of Directors, the Honours and Awards Committee may co-opt personnel as required for the purpose of achieving desired outcomes.

Meetings:

1. The Committee shall meet as frequently as required, but no fewer than two times annually.
2. A majority of the members of the Committee shall constitute a quorum and the act of a majority of the members present at a meeting where a quorum is present shall be the act of the Committee.
3. The Committee shall maintain minutes of meetings and activities of the Committee.
4. The Committee shall report regularly to the Board by the Chair.
5. Notice of meeting may be given orally or by letter, electronic mail, facsimile transmission or telephone not less than 48 hours before the time fixed for the meeting.
6. The Committee may invite from time to time such persons as it may see fit to attend its meetings and to take part in discussion and consideration of the affairs of the Committee.
7. Minutes of all meetings to be submitted to the Board of Directors

Attend Meetings of: Board of Directors as requested.

Award Matrix

Controlling Body	Award ID	Award Name	Acknowledgement	Link
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC1	Life Saving Victoria Club of the Year	Beaurepaire Shield	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC2	Surf Life Saving Australia Club of the Year	SLSA Scholarship	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC3	Life Saving Victoria Lifesaver of the Year	John Wishart Memorial Medal	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC4	Surf Life Saving Australia Lifesaver of the Year	SLSA Scholarship	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC5	Life Saving Victoria Volunteer of the Year	Graeme Long Memorial Medal	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC5A	Life Saving Victoria Lifeguard of the Year	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC6	Surf Life Saving Australia Volunteer of the Year	SLSA Scholarship	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC7	Life Saving Victoria Outstanding Achievement of the Year	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC8	Surf Life Saving Australia Sir Adrian Curlewis Scholarship	Certificate/Scholarship	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC9	Surf Life Saving Australia Meritorious Award (Individual, Group, Club)	Certificate	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC10	Life Saving Victoria Life Membership	Life Members Medallion	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC11	Surf Life Saving Australia Life Membership	Life Members Medallion	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC12	Surf Life Saving Australia Hall of Fame	Certificate	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC13	Surf Life Saving Australia Fellowship of the Order of Surf Life Saving	Certificate	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC14	Life Saving Victoria/Surf Life Saving Australia Long Service Awards	Certificate	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC15	Life Saving Victoria/Surf Life Saving Australia National Patrol Service Awards	Certificate	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC16	Life Saving Victoria/Surf Life Saving Australia Officiating Service Certificates	Certificate	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC17	Life Saving Victoria/Surf Life Saving Australia Assessing Service Certificates	Certificate	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC18	Life Saving Victoria/Surf Life Saving Australia Coaching Service Certificates	Certificate	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC19	Life Saving Victoria/Surf Life Saving Australia Commendation Service Certificates	Certificate	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC20	Life Saving Victoria Media Service to Life Saving	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC21	Life Saving Victoria Lifeguard of the Year	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC22	Surf Life Saving Australia Lifeguard of the Year	Winners Plaque	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC23	Surf Life Saving Australia Australian Council Certificate	Certificate	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC24	Surf Life Saving Australia National Innovation Award	Certificate	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC25	Surf Life Saving Australia National Medal	Medal	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC26	Surf Life Saving Australia Certificate of Appreciation	Certificate	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC27	Royal Life Saving Prince Michael of Kent Medal	Medal and Certificate	http://www.lifesavers.org.uk/commonwealth4.htm
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC28	Royal Life Saving Mountbatten Medal	Medal and Certificate	http://www.lifesavers.org.uk/commonwealth4.htm
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC29	Royal Life Saving Russell Medal	Medal and Certificate	http://www.lifesavers.org.uk/commonwealth4.htm
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC30	Royal Life Saving Ireland Medal	Medal and Certificate	http://www.lifesavers.org.uk/commonwealth4.htm
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC31	International Life Saving Order of Lifesaving Grand Knight or Grand Dame	Medal and Certificate	http://www.ilsf.org/about/honourees.htm
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC32	International Life Saving Order of Lifesaving Knight or Dame	Medal and Certificate	http://www.ilsf.org/about/honourees.htm
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC33	International Life Saving Citation of Merit	Certificate	http://www.ilsf.org/about/honourees.htm
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC34	International Life Saving Medal of Rescue - Rescue Medal of Valour	Certificate and Medal	http://www.ilsf.org/about/honourees.htm
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC35	International Life Saving Medal of Rescue - Rescue Medal	Certificate and Medal	http://www.ilsf.org/about/honourees.htm
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC36	International Life Saving President Award	Certificate and Medal	http://www.ilsf.org/about/honourees.htm
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC37	International Life Saving Generous Contribution Awards	Certificate	http://www.ilsf.org/about/honourees.htm
Honour and Awards Committee	HAC38	Life Saving Victoria Service/Contribution Award	Certificate	

Aquatic Sports Council	AS1	Life Saving Victoria State Club Champion of the Year	Pennant	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Aquatic Sports Council	AS2	Life Saving Victoria Female Athlete of the Year	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Aquatic Sports Council	AS3	Life Saving Victoria Male Athlete of the Year	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Aquatic Sports Council	AS4	Life Saving Victoria Team of the Year	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Aquatic Sports Council	AS5	Life Saving Victoria Coach of the Year	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Aquatic Sports Council	AS6	Life Saving Victoria Competition Official of the Year	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Aquatic Sports Council	AS7	Life Saving Victoria Junior Female Athlete of the Year	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Aquatic Sports Council	AS8	Life Saving Victoria Junior Male Athlete of the Year	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars

Aquatic Sports Council	ASB1	Geoff Waters Perpetual Trophy for R&R	Trophy	
Aquatic Sports Council - Beach	ASB2	Overall Carnival Points Score		
Aquatic Sports Council - Beach	ASB3	Overall Aggregate Championship Points		
Aquatic Sports Council - Beach	ASB4	Overall Clubs Aggregate Season Point		
Aquatic Sports Council - Beach	ASB5	Open Ironwoman		
Aquatic Sports Council - Beach	ASB6	Open Ironman		
Aquatic Sports Council - Beach	ASB7	Open Female Board Relay		
Aquatic Sports Council - Beach	ASB8	Open Male Board Relay		
Aquatic Sports Council - Beach	ASB9	Open Male Belt Race		
Aquatic Sports Council - Beach	ASB10	Open Male Single Ski		

Aquatic Sports Council - IRB	ASIRB1	Female Rescue Race		
Aquatic Sports Council - IRB	ASIRB2	Male Rescue Race		
Aquatic Sports Council - IRB	ASIRB3	Female Tube Rescue Race		
Aquatic Sports Council - IRB	ASIRB4	Male Tube Rescue Race		
Aquatic Sports Council - IRB	ASIRB5	Female Mass Rescue Race		
Aquatic Sports Council - IRB	ASIRB6	Male Mass Rescue Race		

Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP1	Team Club Championship		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP2	Female Overall Champion Team		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP3	Male Overall Champion Team		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP4	Over 30 Mixed		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP5	Open Female		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP6	Open Male		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP7	Under 19 Female		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP8	Under 19 Male		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP9	Under 16 Female		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP10	Under 16 Male		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP11	Under 14 Female		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP12	Under 14 Male		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP13	Under 12 Female		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP14	Under 12 Male		

Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP15	Under 10 Female		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP16	Under 10 Male		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP17	Under 8 Female		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP18	Under 8 Male		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP19	Swimming Aggregate		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP20	Senior Swimming Aggregate		
Aquatic Sports Council - Pool	ASP21	Junior Swimming Aggregate		
Community Aquatic Education Council	CAEC3	Life Saving Victoria Pool Lifeguard of the Year	Trophy	http://www.aquarecvc.org.au/arv_awards.htm
Life Saving Operations Council	LS1	Life Saving Victoria Patrol Efficiency Club of the Year	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Life Saving Operations Council	LS2	Life Saving Victoria Administration Club of the Year	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Life Saving Operations Council	LS3	Life Saving Victoria Assessor/Examiner of the Year	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Life Saving Operations Council	LS4	Life Saving Victoria Training Officer of the Year	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Life Saving Operations Council	LS5	Life Saving Victoria Patrol Hours Award	Certificates	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Youth & Leadership Development Council	Y&LD1	Life Saving Victoria Champion Junior Lifesaver	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Youth & Leadership Development Council	Y&LD2	Life Saving Victoria Junior Athlete of the Year	Fred Westfield Medal	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Youth & Leadership Development Council	Y&LD3	Life Saving Victoria Youth Parent of the Year	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Youth & Leadership Development Council	Y&LD4	Youth & Leadership Development Service Awards (3)	Trophy	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Youth & Leadership Development Council	Y&LD5	The R&R Junior Team of the Year	Medal	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Youth & Leadership Development Council	Y&LD6	U/14 Male and Female Beach and Water Champion	Medal	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
Youth & Leadership Development Council	Y&LD7	U/13 Male and Female Beach and Water Champion	Medal	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars
External - VicSport	VS1	Governor's Award for the Victorian Sports person of the Year		www.vicsport.asn.au
External - VicSport	VS2	Kitty McEwan Sportswoman of the Year		www.vicsport.asn.au
External - VicSport	VS3	Frank Wilkes Male Athlete of the Year		www.vicsport.asn.au
External - VicSport	VS4	The Lord Mayor's Award for Outstanding Contribution to Sport		www.vicsport.asn.au
External - VicSport	VS5	Mens Team Award		www.vicsport.asn.au
External - VicSport	VS6	Womens Team Award		www.vicsport.asn.au
External - VicSport	VS7	Junior Team Award		www.vicsport.asn.au
External - VicSport	VS8	Dame Mary Herring Junior Athlete Award		www.vicsport.asn.au
External - VicSport	VS9	VicHealth Masters Sport Individual Award		www.vicsport.asn.au
External - VicSport	VS10	Eunice Gill Award for Sports Leadership		www.vicsport.asn.au
External - VicSport	VS11	Sport Education Victorian Coach of the Year		www.vicsport.asn.au
External - VicSport	VS12	Volunteer Administrator of the Year		www.vicsport.asn.au
External - VicSport	VS13	Sport Education Victorian Official of the Year		www.vicsport.asn.au
External - VicSport	VS14	Sport Education Victorian Volunteer of the Year		www.vicsport.asn.au
External - State Government Industry Awards	SGIA1	Minister for Sport & Recreation Lifetime Achievement Award		www.sport.vic.gov.au
External - State Government Industry Awards	SGIA2	Go For Your Life Community Participation Award		www.sport.vic.gov.au

External - State Government Industry Awards	SGIA3	Volunteer Involvement Award	www.sport.vic.gov.au
External - State Government Industry Awards	SGIA4	Club and Organisational Management Award	www.sport.vic.gov.au
External - State Government Industry Awards	SGIA5	Young People in Sport Award	www.sport.vic.gov.au
External - State Government Industry Awards	SGIA6	Community Event Award	www.sport.vic.gov.au
External - State Government Industry Awards	SGIA7	User-Friendly club Award	www.sport.vic.gov.au
External - State Government Industry Awards	SGIA8	Applied Research in Sport & Recreation Science Award	www.sport.vic.gov.au
External - State Government Industry Awards	SGIA9	Sport & Recreation Education Award	www.sport.vic.gov.au
External - State Government Industry Awards	SGIA10	Community Facility Design Award	www.sport.vic.gov.au
External - Australian Sports Commission	ASC10	Club Development Award	www.ausport.gov.au/events/ausportawards
External - Australian Sports Commission	ASC2	National sporting Organisation Awards	www.ausport.gov.au/events/ausportawards
External - Australian Sports Commission	ASC3	National Sporting Organisation Performance Award	www.ausport.gov.au/events/ausportawards
External - Australian Sports Commission	ASC4	Junior Sport Award	www.ausport.gov.au/events/ausportawards
External - Australian Sports Commission	ASC5	School-Club Linkage Award	www.ausport.gov.au/events/ausportawards
External - Australian Sports Commission	ASC6	Rural and Regional Award	www.ausport.gov.au/events/ausportawards
External - Australian Sports Commission	ASC7	Margaret Pewtress Memorial Award	www.ausport.gov.au/events/ausportawards
External - Australian Sports Commission	ASC8	Eunice Gill Memorial Award	www.ausport.gov.au/events/ausportawards
External - Australian Sports Commission	ASC9	Officials Development Award	www.ausport.gov.au/events/ausportawards
External - Australian Sports Commission	ASC10	Ausport Prize	www.ausport.gov.au/events/ausportawards
External - Emergency Management Australia	EMA1	Australian Safer Communities Awards	www.ema.gov.au
External - Australian Honours	AH1	Companion in the Order of Australia	www.itsanhonour.gov.au
External - Australian Honours	AH2	Officer in the Order of Australia	www.itsanhonour.gov.au
External - Australian Honours	AH3	Member in the Order of Australia	www.itsanhonour.gov.au
External - Australian Honours	AH4	Medal in the Order of Australia	www.itsanhonour.gov.au
External - Australian Honours	AH5	Cross of Valour	www.itsanhonour.gov.au
External - Australian Honours	AH6	Star of Courage	www.itsanhonour.gov.au
External - Australian Honours	AH7	The Bravery Medal	www.itsanhonour.gov.au
External - Australian Honours	AH8	Commendation for Brave Conduct	www.itsanhonour.gov.au
External - Australian Honours	AH9	Group Citations	www.itsanhonour.gov.au
External - Australian Honours	AH10	Public Service Medal	www.itsanhonour.gov.au
External - Australian Honours	AH11	Emergency Services Medal	www.itsanhonour.gov.au
External - Australian Altruism Foundation	AF1	The Australian Humanitarian Awards	http://www.altruism.org.au/humanitarian.htm
External - Australian Altruism Foundation	AF2	The Australian Turtle Awards	http://www.altruism.org.au/turtle.htm
External - News Limited	NL1	Pride of Australia	http://www.prideofaustralia.com.au/
External - Commonwealth Bank	CB1	My Local Hero	http://www.mylocalhero.com.au/



Honours and Awards Committee Honours Summary

Award ID	Award Name
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LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC1

Award No:	HAC1
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Club of the Year (Beaurepaire Shield)
Award Description:	The Club of the Year award recognises a club's innovative and effective patrolling and management practices, strategic planning and inclusive participant involvement
Award Criteria:	<p>1 Describe how the club has demonstrated engagement of members in club operations resulting in improved morale and retention. Please consider:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - significant achievements; - how new/revised management practices have improved the club operations and the impact of these changes on club members; - what barriers have club committee/members overcome to achieve the club goals. <p>2 Describe how the club has been innovative in its volunteer management style. Please consider.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - what creative strategies have been developed to attract new members (including targeted members of the local or specific communities); - how the club has ensured existing club members and associates remain satisfied with membership and services they receive; - what leadership programs have been implemented and proved successful; - the actions and programs that have been put in place to achieve future success in maintaining and developing members. <p>3 Describe how the club has identified plans for future development and continuous improvement in relation to Point 1 or Point 2 above.</p> <p>4 Describe how the club has improved</p>

	<p>lifesaving services over the past 2 years.</p> <p>5 Describe how the club encourages the local community and people of all backgrounds and abilities to be involved in lifesaving.</p> <p>Please consider:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - how the club caters for people from different levels of ability and backgrounds; - ways the club ensures a fun, safe and inviting environment is provided; - how the club has improved training and program delivery to cater for people from different abilities/backgrounds. <p>6 Has the club introduced/reviewed management processes. Describe how it is envisaged that these changes will be effective into the future in terms of financial viability, club operations and the development of members: Please consider the club's current:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - strategic plan; - governance; - financial management; - use of technology; - management of members. <p>7 Describe how the club has contributed to the delivery of lifesaving services and programs in Victoria.</p>
Award Prize:	Beaurepaire Shield
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	LSV Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	February (LSV Club Circular)
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Honours and Awards Committee
Other Information:	The candidate selected as the winner of the LSV Club of the Year will be the HAC recommendation to the LSV Board as the Victorian representative in the SLSA Club of the Year.
Link:	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC2

Award No:	HAC2
Award Name:	Surf Life Saving Australia Club of the Year
Award Description:	The purpose of the SLSA Club of the Year is to encourage and recognise outstanding achievements in club development that results in SLSA clubs providing safer beach and aquatic environments for the community.
Award Criteria:	This criteria is set annually by SLSA
Award Prize:	TBA
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	SLSA Awards of Excellence Evening
Date of Circulation:	TBA
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	SLSA
Other Information:	The winner of the LSV Club of the Year will be the Victorian representative in the SLSA Club of the Year.
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#club



LSV Awards Summary
Honours and Awards Committee HAC3

Award No:	HAC2
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Lifesaver of the Year (John Wishart Memorial Medal)
Award Description:	The Lifesaver of the Year award is presented each year in recognition of excellence and commitment to patrolling.
Award Criteria:	<p>1 Describe your contribution to LSV patrol duties during the current season.</p> <p>2 Describe how you demonstrated commitment to public safety during the current season.</p> <p>3 Describe and detail your major achievements and/or contributions relevant to lifesaving at club level during the current season.</p> <p>4 Identify current and possible future challenges in active lifesaving duties and discuss how you would address these challenges.</p> <p>5 List rescues or preventative actions in which you have been personally involved.</p> <p>6 List club positions you held during the current season.</p> <p>7 List any LSV State positions you held during the current season.</p> <p>8 Describe your future lifesaving ambitions at:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Club level - State level - National level - Community level <p>9 List your competition performances</p>

	during the current season 10 Include any additional information that will support your application
Award Prize:	John Wishart Memorial Medal
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	LSV Awards of Excellence Gala Evening.
Date of Circulation:	February (LSV Club Circular)
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Honours and Awards Committee
Other Information:	The candidate selected as the winner of the John Wishart Medal will be the HAC recommendation to the LSV Board as the Victorian representative in the SLSA Lifesaver of the Year.
Link:	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC4

Award No:	HAC4
Award Name:	Surf Life Saving Australia Lifesaver of the Year
Award Description:	The Lifesaver of the Year award is presented each year in recognition of excellence and commitment to patrolling. This is one of SLSA's most prestigious awards.
Award Criteria:	This criteria is set annually by SLSA
Award Prize:	TBA
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	SLSA Awards of Excellence Evening
Date of Circulation:	TBA
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	
Other Information:	The John Wishart Medal medallist will be the Victorian representative in the SLSA Lifesaver of the Year.
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#club



LSV Awards Summary
Honours and Awards Committee HAC5

Award No:	HAC5
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Volunteer of the Year (Graeme Long Memorial Medal).
Award Description:	This award recognises and rewards a member whose contribution demonstrably enhances the development of lifesaving in Victoria and who can be presented as an identifiable 'Ambassador' for Life Saving Victoria.
Award Criteria:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Describe your lifesaving volunteer contributions at any level in one or more areas of your club during the current season. 2 Describe how you demonstrated commitment to lifesaving in Victoria 3 Describe and detail major achievements and positions held at club, Life Saving Victoria and & Australian level during the current season. 4 Identify current and possible future challenges in lifesaving and detail how you would address these challenges. 5 List your community volunteer activities during the current season. 6 List any LSV State positions you held during the current season. 7 Describe your future lifesaving ambitions at: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Club level - State level - Community level - National level.

	<p>8 Describe major achievements to lifesaving in the 2 years prior to the current season.</p> <p>9 Include any additional information that will support your application.</p>
Award Prize:	Graeme Long Memorial Medal
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	LSV Awards of Excellence Gala Evening.
Date of Circulation:	February (LSV Club Circular)
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Current policy dictates that the Honours and Awards Committee determine the recommendation for the Graeme Long Medal
Other Information:	The candidate selected as the winner of the Graeme Long Medal will be the HAC recommendation to the LSV Board as the Victorian representative in the SLSA Volunteer of the Year
Link:	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee

Award No:	HAC
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Lifeguard of the Year
Award Description:	The Beach Lifeguard of the Year Award recognises the professional lifeguard who has demonstrated an outstanding contribution to the delivery and development of lifeguarding services
Award Criteria:	<p>1 Describe how the nominee has provided a valuable contribution to their lifeguard service (eg assisted with training programs, mentored other lifeguards and trainees, gained additional awards, assisted with public relations events etc).</p> <p>2 Describe how the nominee has shown commitment to public safety (eg. Community announcement, education programs, proactive patrolling, media and public relations, appropriate set-up of beach area etc).</p> <p>3 Describe any achievements the nominee has been involved in (eg. rescues, major incidents, commendations, community recognition, large number of preventative actions etc).</p> <p>4 Describe the nominee's work ethic (eg. well presented, clean uniform, adherence to SOPs, training, no breaches to policy and procedures.</p> <p>5 Describe any rescue related activities pertinent to the current period of the nominee's employment.</p>
Award Prize:	Trophy
Award Sponsor:	None
Date of Presentation:	LSV Awards of Excellence Gala Evening

Date of Circulation:	February (LSV Circular)
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Honours and Awards Committee
Other Information:	
Link:	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC6

Award No:	HAC6
Award Name:	Surf Life Saving Australia Volunteer of the Year
Award Description:	The Volunteer of the Year award is presented each year in recognition of excellence and commitment to administration. It is one of SLSA's most prestigious awards.
Award Criteria:	This criteria is set annually by SLSA
Award Prize:	SLSA Scholarship
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	SLSA Awards of Excellence Evening
Date of Circulation:	
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	SLSA
Other Information:	The Graeme Long medallist will be the Victorian representative in the SLSA Volunteer of the Year..
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/site/_content/resource/00001065-docsource.pdf

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC7

Award No:	HAC7
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Outstanding Achievement of the Year
Award Description:	The Outstanding Achievement award recognises outstanding achievements or contributions by a person, team or club in any sector of lifesaving at State, National and/or International level
Award Criteria:	<p>1 Describe the achievement or contribution made by the nominee.</p> <p>2 Describe the effect of the achievement or contribution on lifesaving, the broader community, life saving club/s or club members.</p> <p>Please consider:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - what are the outcomes as a result of the achievement or contribution; - what new opportunities have been created for lifesaving; - how has the achievement enhanced the profile of the member's club; - how has the achievement enhanced the profile of lifesaving in Victoria; - how has the achievement enhanced the level of participation in lifesaving. <p>3 Describe how the nominee has contributed to lifesaving in Victoria.</p> <p>Please consider:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - how long the nominee has been involved in lifesaving; - what is their level of involvement; - how the nominee has demonstrated their level of involvement - what awards/recognitions are held by the

	<p>nominee.</p> <p>4 Describe how the nominee has overcome obstacles, barriers and/or dealt with difficult issues to achieve the stated outcomes/achievements.</p> <p>Please consider:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - how the nominee has addressed difficult issues and barriers; - what challenges the nominee faced and how the outcome/s were achieved
Award Prize:	Trophy
Award Sponsor:	None
Date of Presentation:	LSV Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	February (LSV Circular)
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Honours and Awards Committee
Other Information:	
Link:	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC8

Award No:	HAC8
Award Name:	Surf Life Saving Australia Sir Adrian Curlewis Scholarship
Award Description:	The Sir Adrian Curlewis Scholarship is presented to young surf lifesavers over the age of 21 who have demonstrated leadership ability, and who have the potential to increase their leadership skills in surf lifesaving. The scholars complete a face to face workshop and other activities throughout the duration of the scholarship.
Award Criteria:	Can vary and is dependent on SLSA policy.
Award Prize:	SLSA Scholarship
Award Sponsor:	SLSA
Date of Presentation:	Varies based on the SLSA policy
Date of Circulation:	Can vary and is dependent on SLSA policy
Closing Date:	Can vary and is dependent on SLSA policy
Judging Panel:	Current policy dictates that the Honours and Awards Committee determine the recommendation to the LSV Board as the Victorian representative.
Other Information:	
Link:	www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#scholarship

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC9

Award No:	HAC9
Award Name:	Surf Life Saving Australia Meritorious Award (Individual, Group, Club)
Award Description:	
Award Criteria:	Meritorious Awards may be awarded to Affiliated Clubs and/or their members and/or the public generally for outstanding deeds of bravery performed in the sphere of operations of SLSA.
Award Prize:	Certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	Ongoing
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	Ongoing
Judging Panel:	The Honours and Awards Committee may be required to assist in the investigation and application process
Other Information:	The following documents are required with each nomination: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The "Application for Commendation or Meritorious Award" form (Form 26) • The SLSA Incident Report Form (if relevant) • Other supporting statements
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#meritorious



LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC10

Award No:	HAC10
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Life Membership
Award Description:	For State based service to Life Saving Victoria
Award Criteria:	To be considered for Life Membership of Life Saving Victoria, the nominee must be a member of Life Saving Victoria. A member who has rendered distinguished voluntary service to LSV that is both sustained and a conspicuous contribution. The distinguished nature of this service is a key feature and needs to evidence both sustained service and <u>conspicuous contribution</u> to LSV by identifying the nominee's contribution towards the development of lifesaving in Victoria.
Award Prize:	Life Membership Certificate + Medallion
Award Sponsor:	Nil
Date of Presentation:	LSV Awards of Excellence Evening
Date of Circulation:	January
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Nominations will be considered by the HAC and recommendations made to the LSV Board of Directors.
Other Information:	Life Membership Criteria and Nomination Forms must be requested from Life Saving Victoria
Link:	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars

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Honours and Awards Committee HAC11

Award No:	HAC11
Award Name:	Surf Life Saving Australia Life Membership
Award Description:	For recognition of service to lifesaving at State/National level.
Award Criteria:	Members of SLSA may be recommended for election to Life Membership. To be considered for Life Membership of SLSA members must have rendered distinguished service to SLSA over a period of at least twenty (20) years
Award Prize:	Life Membership Medallion
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	SLSA Awards of Excellence Evening
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	Advised by SLSA Circular
Judging Panel:	SLSA Australian Council
Other Information:	Nominations are to be forwarded to Honours and Awards Committee which will confirm the details provided. It shall then be the responsibility of the State Director to submit the nomination to the President of SLSA. The President upon receipt of the evidence of the distinguished service shall submit the nomination to the next SLSA Australian Council meeting for decision
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#lifemember

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC12

Award No:	HAC12
Award Name:	Surf Life Saving Australia Hall of Fame
Award Description:	<p>Given in recognition of contribution in three (3) primary areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Surf Lifesaving • Surf Lifesaving - Administration • Surf Lifesaving - Sport
Award Criteria:	<p>Members of SLSA may submit nominations which should clearly set out the name, address and all relevant information of the person(s) being nominated including details of their membership on Form 38. The nominations should address the history of the nominee and compliance with the criteria listed from time to time. Full use of multimedia and other supporting evidence or samples are permitted</p>
Award Prize:	Certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	SLSA Awards of Excellence Evening
Date of Circulation:	July
Closing Date:	January
Judging Panel:	SLSA Australian Council

Other Information:	Nominations are to be forwarded to Honours and Awards Committee which will confirm the details provided. It shall then be the responsibility of the State Director to submit the nomination to the President of SLSA. The President upon receipt of the evidence of the distinguished service shall submit the nomination to the next SLSA Australian Council meeting for decision
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#halloffame

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC13

Award No:	HAC13
Award Name:	Surf Life Saving Australia Fellowship of the Order of Surf Life Saving
Award Description:	
Award Criteria:	
Award Prize:	Certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	January and July
Judging Panel:	SLSA Australian Council
Other Information:	Nominations are to be forwarded to Honours and Awards Committee to confirm the details provided. It shall then be the responsibility of the State Director to submit the nomination to SLSA. The President upon receipt of the evidence of the distinguished service shall submit the nomination to the next SLSA Australian Council meeting for decision
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#fellowship

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC14

Award No:	HAC14
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria/Surf Life Saving Australia Long Service Award
Award Description:	SLSA has Long Service Awards to recognise members for their sustained membership of surf lifesaving.
Award Criteria:	<p>These Long Service Awards are awarded for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SLSA 25 years Long Service • SLSA 30 years Long Service • SLSA 40 years Long Service • SLSA 50 years Long Service • SLSA 60 years Long Service • SLSA 70 years Long Service • SLSA 75 years Long Service
Award Prize:	Certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	Ongoing
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	Ongoing
Judging Panel:	Form 42 is to be completed, and forwarded to Life Saving Victoria for processing .
Other Information:	
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#servicecerts

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC15

Award No:	HAC15
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria/Surf Life Saving Australia National Patrol Service Award
Award Description:	SLSA has established National Patrol Service certificates, which are available to members of Affiliated Clubs in recognition of their long service to lifesaving patrols.
Award Criteria:	<p>These Patrol Service Awards are classified as per below.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SLSA 10 yr National Patrol Service • SLSA 15 yr National Patrol Service • SLSA 20 yr National Patrol Service • SLSA 25 yr National Patrol Service • SLSA 30 yr National Patrol Service • SLSA 40 yr National Patrol Service • SLSA 50 yr National Patrol Service
Award Prize:	Certificate
Award Sponsor:	Funded by nominating club
Date of Presentation:	Ongoing
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	Ongoing
Judging Panel:	Form 15 is to be completed, and forwarded to Life Saving Victoria for processing.
Other Information:	
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#servicecerts

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC16

Award No:	HAC16
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria/Surf Life Saving Australia Officiating Service Certificate
Award Description:	SLSA has established Service Certificates, which are available to members of affiliated clubs in recognition of their long service as officials.
Award Criteria:	Members must have achieved the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SLSA 10 years of service • SLSA 15 years of service • SLSA 20 years of service • SLSA 25 years of service • SLSA 30 years of service • SLSA 40 years of service • SLSA 50 years of service
Award Prize:	Certificate
Award Sponsor:	Surf Life Saving Australia
Date of Presentation:	Ongoing
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	Ongoing
Judging Panel:	
Other Information:	SLSA Form 16 must be completed and endorsed by the club and then sent to SLSA
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#servicecerts

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC17

Award No:	HAC17
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria/Surf Life Saving Australia Assessing Service Certificate
Award Description:	SLSA has established Service Certificates, which are available to members of Affiliated Clubs in recognition of their long service as examiners/assessors.
Award Criteria:	Members must have achieved the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SLSA 10 years of service • SLSA 15 years of service • SLSA 20 years of service • SLSA 25 years of service • SLSA 30 years of service • SLSA 40 years of service • SLSA 50 years of service
Award Prize:	Certificate
Award Sponsor:	Surf Life Saving Australia
Date of Presentation:	Ongoing
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	Ongoing
Judging Panel:	
Other Information:	SLSA Form 16 must be completed and endorsed by the club and then sent to SLSA
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#servicecerts

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC18

Award No:	HAC18
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria/Surf Life Saving Australia Coaching Service Certificate
Award Description:	SLSA has established Service Certificates, which are available to members of Affiliated Clubs in recognition of their long service as coaches.
Award Criteria:	Members must have achieved the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SLSA 10 years of service • SLSA 15 years of service • SLSA 20 years of service • SLSA 25 years of service • SLSA 30 years of service • SLSA 40 years of service • SLSA 50 years of service
Award Prize:	Certificate
Award Sponsor:	Surf Life Saving Australia
Date of Presentation:	Ongoing
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	Ongoing
Judging Panel:	
Other Information:	SLSA Form 16 must be completed and endorsed by the club and then sent to SLSA
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#servicecerts

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC19

Award No:	HAC19
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria/Surf Life Saving Australia Commendation Service Certificate
Award Description:	This award will be presented on an ongoing basis to lifesavers involved in exceptional rescues. After consideration, a Commendation may be awarded to an individual or group, club or service.
Award Criteria:	Commendations recognise outstanding team work, rescue skills, rescue management, individual displays of initiative and resourcefulness and well conducted rescue activity by members of Surf Life Saving Australia (e.g. first aid, resuscitation, IRB rescues, board and tube rescues etc).
Award Prize:	Certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	Ongoing
Judging Panel:	SLSA

Other Information:	The following documents are required with each nomination: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The "Application for Commendation or Meritorious Award" form (Form 26);• The SLSA Incident Report Form (if relevant);• Other supporting statements.
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#commendation



LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC20

Award No:	HAC20
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Media Service to lifesaving.
Award Description:	Outstanding contribution to the wider coverage of lifesaving in Victoria. This can be achieved by any media medium such as, but not limited to the below.
Award Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Journalist b) Publication c) Program d) Station – TV, radio etc.
Award Prize:	Trophy
Award Sponsor:	None
Date of Presentation:	LSV Awards of Excellence Evening
Date of Circulation:	
Closing Date:	
Judging Panel:	Honours and Awards Committee
Other Information:	
Link:	www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC21

Award No:	HAC21
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Lifeguard of the Year
Award Description:	The purpose of the Lifeguard of the Year award is to recognise and reward employees who have made an outstanding contribution to the delivery and development of LSV Beach Lifeguard Services.
Award Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Demonstrated leadership, prowess and commitment in providing professional lifeguarding services on Victorian beaches b) Rescue related activities c) Community involvement
Award Prize:	Trophy
Award Sponsor:	None
Date of Presentation:	LSV Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	February
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Honours and Awards Committee
Other Information:	The LSV Lifeguard of the Year will be the Victorian nomination for the SLSA Lifeguard of the Year.
Link:	www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC22

Award No:	HAC22
Award Name:	Surf Life Saving Australia Lifeguard of the Year
Award Description:	The Lifeguard of the Year award is to recognise and reward professional lifeguards who have made an outstanding contribution to the delivery and development of Surf Life Saving Lifeguard Services
Award Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Demonstrated leadership, prowess and commitment in providing professional lifeguarding services on Victorian beaches b) Rescue related activities c) Community involvement
Award Prize:	Plaque
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	SLSA Awards of Excellence Evening
Date of Circulation:	Nominations for this award is called in December for each year and selected in their respective state/territory
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	SLSA
Other Information:	The LSV Lifeguard of the Year will be the represent LSV in the SLSA Lifeguard of the Year. The candidates will be required to provide a short presentation to the judging panel during the Australian Surf Life Saving Championships
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#lifeguard

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC23

Award No:	HAC23
Award Name:	Surf Life Saving Australia Australian Council Certificate
Award Description:	This certificate is awarded for outstanding service or support at a national level 'By Resolution of the Australian Council'. The resolution should identify distinguished service or support by the individual or organisation receiving the certificate
Award Criteria:	
Award Prize:	The certificate shall be presented in such a manner as to attract maximum media and SLSA recognition
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	SLSA Awards of Excellence Evening
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	SLSA
Other Information:	Nomination for the award shall be submitted by LSV to the SLSA Board of Management and such nomination shall require the BOM endorsement before being placed on the agenda of a SLSA Australian Council meeting.
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#accertificate

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC24

Award No:	HAC24
Award Name:	Surf Life Saving Australia National Innovation Award
Award Description:	The SLSA National Innovation Award is given to a person(s) or group(s) in recognition of any development of initiatives (eg policy, procedure, equipment) that in the opinion of the Council will improve any facet of surf lifesaving in Australia.
Award Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A maximum of six (6) awards can be awarded in any one calendar year. • Members of SLSA may submit nominations which should clearly set out the name, address and all relevant information of the person(s) or group(s) being nominated including details of their membership. The nominations should state the nature of the subject, its considered benefit to SLSA and other pertinent details. Full use of multimedia and other supporting evidence or samples are permitted.
Award Prize:	Medallion
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	SLSA Awards of Excellence Evening
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	

Other Information:	Nomination for the award shall be submitted by LSV to the SLSA Board of Management and such nomination shall require the BOM endorsement before being placed on the agenda of a SLSA Australian Council meeting.
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#accertificate

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC25

Award No:	HAC25
Award Name:	Surf Life Saving Australia National Medal
Award Description:	The National Medal was established by the Commonwealth Government of Australia in 1975 as one of the original elements of the distinctive Australian system of honours and awards. The medal recognises long service in organisations that protect life and property at some risk to their members.
Award Criteria:	This award recognises the long service (minimum 15 years) of members /employees of SLSA
Award Prize:	Medallion
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	Recognition at SLSA Awards of Excellence Evening
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	
Other Information:	Applications for the National Medal are to be submitted to SLSA on Form 12
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#nationalmedal

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC26

Award No:	HAC26
Award Name:	Surf Life Saving Australia Certificate of Appreciation
Award Description:	This certificate recognises outstanding service or support that is beyond that which is to be expected of a member, non-member, company or group
Award Criteria:	Members of SLSA may submit nominations which should clearly set out the name, address and all relevant information of the person(s) or group(s) being nominated including details of their membership. The nominations should state the nature of the subject, its considered benefit to SLSA and other pertinent details. Full use of multimedia and other supporting evidence or samples are permitted
Award Prize:	A maximum of six (6) certificates can be awarded in any one calendar year
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	SLSA Awards of Excellence Evening
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	
Other Information:	Nomination for the certificate shall be submitted by LSV to the SLSA Board of Management and such nomination shall require the BOM endorsement before being placed on the agenda of a SLSA Australian Council meeting.
Link:	http://www.slsa.com.au/default.aspx?s=memberrecognition#appreciation

LSV Awards Summary
Honours and Awards Committee HAC27

Award No:	HAC27
Award Name:	Royal Life Saving Prince Michael of Kent Medal
Award Description:	Recognition of the candidate's continued support of progressing the Society's humanitarian work and in support of their valuable service to water safety
Award Criteria:	
Award Prize:	Medal and Certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	
Date of Circulation:	TBA
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	RLSSA National Office
Other Information:	
Link:	http://www.lifesavers.org.uk/commonwealth4.htm

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC28

Award No:	HAC28
Award Name:	Royal Life Saving Mountbatten Medal
Award Description:	The Mountbatten Medal was instituted in 1951 by the Society's then Grand President, The Earl of Mountbatten of Burma and its annual award is made for the most gallant rescue or rescue attempt undertaken throughout the Commonwealth by the holder of a Royal Life Saving Society Award
Award Criteria:	
Award Prize:	Medal and Certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	
Date of Circulation:	TBA
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	RLSSA National Office
Other Information:	
Link:	http://www.lifesavers.org.uk/commonwealth4.htm

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC29

Award No:	HAC29
Award Name:	Royal Life Saving Russell Medal
Award Description:	The Russell Medal was established in 2000 as a tribute to Pat Russell a long time member of the Royal Life Saving Society. Her sudden and unexpected death was a great sadness to the RLSS, but something positive came about in the form of an award to be given annually for the most commendable resuscitation case by a young person under 18 years brought to the notice of the RLSS each year
Award Criteria:	
Award Prize:	Medal and Certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	
Date of Circulation:	TBA
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	RLSSA National Office
Other Information:	
Link:	http://www.lifesavers.org.uk/commonwealth4.htm

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC30

Award No:	HAC30
Award Name:	Royal Life Saving Ireland Medal
Award Description:	<p>The Ireland Medal was introduced in 2004 to mark the centenary of Royal Life Saving Society activity in The Republic of Ireland. A specially commissioned gold medallion will be awarded annually to an Irish citizen or person of Irish descent for the most outstanding aquatic rescue or rescue attempt anywhere in the world within the preceding two calendar years</p>
Award Criteria:	<p>Nominations should be made to RLSS Ireland or The Irish Lifesaving Foundation by national or regional branches of internally recognized lifesaving or rescue organizations.</p>
Award Prize:	Medal and Certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	
Date of Circulation:	TBA
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	RLSSA National Office
Other Information:	<p>For the purposes of this award Irish descent means that one of the candidate's parents or grandparents was born in the Republic or Ireland or Northern Ireland.</p>
Link:	http://www.lifesavers.org.uk/commonwealth4.htm

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC31

Award No:	HAC31
Award Name:	ILS Order of Lifesaving Grand Knight or Dame
Award Description:	Awarded to such a person who, at a minimum, have served ILS, WLS or FIS in such a capacity for a period of no less than fifteen (15) years and must have served as a Member of an ILS member organisation/federation for no less than twenty-five (25) years.
Award Criteria:	Minimum qualification: Any person who has given extraordinary service to ILS over a period of years in a voluntary capacity as an officer, a Member of the Board of Directors, or a Member of a Commission/Committee.
Award Prize:	Medal/certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	Nominations considered by the HAC and forwarded to SLSA
Other Information:	
Link:	http://www.ilsf.org/about/honourees.htm

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC32

Award No:	HAC32
Award Name:	ILS Order of Lifesaving Knight or Dame
Award Description:	Awarded to a person who, at a minimum, has served as a member of an ILS member federation/organisation for no less than twenty (20) years
Award Criteria:	Minimum qualification: Any person who, in a voluntary capacity, has given extraordinary service to ILS over a period of at least ten (10) years as an officer, a member of the Board of Directors, or a member of a Commission/Committee
Award Prize:	Medal/certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	Nominations considered by the HAC and forwarded to SLSA
Other Information:	
Link:	http://www.ilsf.org/about/honourees.htm

LSV Awards Summary
Honours and Awards Committee HAC33

Award No:	HAC33
Award Name:	ILS Citation of Merit
Award Description:	Minimum Qualification: Any person who has contributed to the furtherance of lifesaving and the goals of ILS in a manner of enduring, global importance.
Award Criteria:	
Award Prize:	Medal/certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	Nominations considered by the HAC and forwarded to SLSA
Other Information:	
Link:	http://www.ilsf.org/about/honourees.htm

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC34

Award No:	HAC34
Award Name:	ILS Rescue Medal of Valour
Award Description:	Any lifesaver who is a member of any ILS member federation in good standing who has knowingly and selflessly intervened in an instance of the most extreme peril in the aquatic environment in an effort to save the life of another person.
Award Criteria:	To be eligible, the lifesaver must first receive the highest award for valour, if any, by the lifesaver's national federation and the action must be documented and verified
Award Prize:	Medal/certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	Nominations considered by the HAC and forwarded to SLSA
Other Information:	No more than one ILS Rescue Medal shall be issued each year unless by unanimous decision of the ILS Board of Directors 2006 Winner – Stewart Harvey, Australia
Link:	http://www.ilsf.org/about/honourees.htm

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC35

Award No:	HAC35
Award Name:	ILS Rescue Medal
Award Description:	Any person without formal lifesaving training, who has knowingly and selflessly intervened in an instance of extreme peril in the aquatic environment in an effort to save the life of another person. The action must be documented and verified
Award Criteria:	
Award Prize:	Medal/certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	Nominations considered by the HAC and forwarded to SLSA
Other Information:	No more than one ILS Rescue Medal shall be issued each year unless by unanimous decision of the ILS Board of Directors.
Link:	http://www.ilsf.org/about/honourees.htm

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC36

Award No:	HAC36
Award Name:	ILS President's Award
Award Description:	Any person whose actions have significantly contributed to the International Life Saving Federation or globally to its Aims and Objectives as defined in the ILS Constitution.
Award Criteria:	
Award Prize:	Medal/certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	Nominations considered by the HAC and forwarded to SLSA
Other Information:	No more than three President's Commendations shall be issued each year
Link:	http://www.ilsf.org/about/honourees.htm

LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC37

Award No:	HAC37
Award Name:	ILS Generous Contribution Awards
Award Description:	A generous offer to provide advice and assistance to ILS, including assisting with future fundraising efforts, and a onetime monetary contribution to ILS. (This may include earlier contributions).
Award Criteria:	
Award Prize:	Certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	TBA
Judging Panel:	
Other Information:	
Link:	http://www.ilsf.org/about/honourees.htm



LSV Awards Summary

Honours and Awards Committee HAC38

Award No:	HAC38
Award Name:	LSV Service/Contribution Certificate
Award Description:	Any person or organisation whose actions have significantly contributed to the Life Saving Victoria to its aims and objectives as defined in the Constitution
Award Criteria:	
Award Prize:	Certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	Awards of Excellence Gala Evening, LSV Annual General meeting or designated event
Date of Circulation:	Ongoing
Closing Date:	Ongoing
Judging Panel:	Nominations to be forwarded to HAC and recommendations forwarded to the Board of Directors
Other Information:	
Link:	www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au



Aquatic Sport Council Honours Summary

Award ID	Award Name
AS1	<u>Life Saving Victoria State Championship Club</u>
AS2	<u>Life Saving Victoria Female Athlete of the Year</u>
AS3	<u>Life Saving Victoria Male Athlete of the Year</u>
AS4	<u>Life Saving Victoria Team of the Year</u>
AS5	<u>Life Saving Victoria Coach of the Year</u>
AS6	<u>Life Saving Victoria Competition Official of the Year</u>
AS7	<u>Life Saving Victoria Junior Female Athlete of the Year</u>
AS8	<u>Life Saving Victoria Junior Male Athlete of the Year</u>

Honours and Awards Summary Aquatic Sports Council AS1

Award No:	AS1
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria State Championship Club
Award Description:	
Award Criteria:	Overall Point score from all the premierships carnivals and State Championships
Award Prize:	Pennant
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	Victorian State Titles + Recognition at the LSV Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	
Closing Date:	
Judging Panel:	Aquatic Sports Council Executive
Other Information:	
Circular Link:	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars

Honours and Awards Summary Aquatic Sports Council AS2

Award No:	AS2
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Female Athlete of the Year
Award Description:	Recognises and rewards the athlete who demonstrated sporting excellence as well as contributed to the areas of surf sports within lifesaving
Award Criteria:	<p>1 List top ten performances from Life Saving Victoria sanctioned events only.</p> <p>2 Representative Teams Detail specific occasions where the nominee has been a member of a major (state or national) representative team – outlining the team and event name. Also include any details of the success of the team. Detail any placing either in team or individual events the nominee achieved.</p> <p>3 Major Competitions Detail specific achievements of the nominee outlining any medal places (including team events) at major competitions or eg. state, national and international club championships – please include event names, carnival and placings.</p> <p>4 Describe what you consider to be the nominee’s most outstanding achievement during the nomination period criteria and why.</p> <p>5 Any additional information to support the nomination.</p>
Award Prize:	Trophy
Award Sponsor:	None

Date of Presentation:	LSV Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	February
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Aquatic Sports Council Executive
Other Information:	
Circular Link:	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars

Honours and Awards Summary Aquatic Sports Council AS3

Award No:	AS3
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Male Athlete of the Year
Award Description:	Recognises and rewards the male athlete who demonstrated sporting excellence as well as contributed to the areas of surf sports within lifesaving.
Award Criteria:	<p>1 List top ten performances from Life Saving Victoria sanctioned events only.</p> <p>2 Representative Teams Detail specific occasions where the nominee has been a member of a major (state or national) representative team – outlining the team and event name. Also include any details of the success of the team. Detail any placing either in team or individual events the nominee achieved.</p> <p>3 Major Competitions Detail specific achievements of the nominee outlining any medal places (including team events) at major competitions or eg. state, national and international club championships – please include event names, carnival and placings.</p> <p>4 Describe what you consider to be the nominee’s most outstanding achievement during the nomination period criteria season and why.</p> <p>5 Any additional information to support the nomination.</p>
Award Prize:	Trophy
Award Sponsor:	None
Date of Presentation:	LSV Awards of Excellence Gala Evening

Date of Circulation:	February
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Aquatic Sports Council Executive
Other Information:	
Circular Link:	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars

Honours and Awards Summary Aquatic Sports Council AS4

Award No:	AS4
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Team of the Year
Award Description:	Outstanding achievement(s) by a team in respect to lifesaving competition performances during the current season.
Award Criteria:	Top ten performances. Can come from LSV sanctioned events only.
Award Prize:	Trophy
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	LSV Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	February
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Aquatic Sports Council Executive
Other Information:	
Circular Link:	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars

Honours and Awards Summary Aquatic Sports Council AS5

Award No:	AS5
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Coach of the Year
Award Description:	The Coach of the Year Award recognises and rewards the coach who has made a significant contribution towards the area of coaching within Life Saving Victoria with regards to both athlete/s performance and the area of coach educational development.
Award Criteria:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 List the coaching positions that the nominee has held, please positions and high performance programs. 2 Detail any publications/resources or sports papers that the nominee has had published or had acknowledged by LSV or another recognised sport. 3 Outline and give examples of ways in which the nominee encourages the development of their athletes outside of lifesaving. 4 Outline what you consider to be the nominee's most outstanding achievement during the current season. 5 Detail specific coaching achievements outlining any athlete/s and/or teams medal places at major events or series – please include athletes' names, age category, major carnivals and placings. 6 List the Coaching Clinics/Conferences/Courses that the nominee has presented at or facilitated. List the dates, locations, number of participants and type of involvement. 7 List the Sports Conferences, coaching workshops or accredited courses that the

	nominee has attended – listing the date, location and name. 8 Outline any area within your club or LSV where the nominee has had an important contribution to coaching/surf sports.
Award Prize:	Trophy
Award Sponsor:	None
Date of Presentation:	LSV Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	February
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Aquatic Sports Council Executive
Other Information:	
Circular Link:	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars

Honours and Awards Summary Aquatic Sports Council AS6

Award No:	AS6
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Competition Official of the Year
Award Description:	This award recognises and rewards the official who has made a significant contribution to the area of officiating within lifesaving with regards to both the commitment shown to officiating.
Award Criteria:	<p>1 List the major officiating roles/positions(eg: Referee) that the nominee has held, please include LSV, National and International positions including high performance programs.</p> <p>2 List the officiating clinics/conferences/courses that the nominee presented at of facilitated, at club, state, International level – listing the date, location, number of participants and type of involvement.</p> <p>3 List any sports conferences/high performance camps/officials clinics or accreditation courses that the nominee has attended – listing the dates, locations and names.</p> <p>4 Detail any publications/resources or sports papers that the nominee has had published or had acknowledged by LSV or another recognised sport.</p> <p>5 Outline what you consider to be the nominee’s most outstanding achievement during the current season and why.</p> <p>6 List any significant innovations or achievements during the current season (eg: relevant tertiary studies) either within or outside LSV.</p>

	7 Outline any areas within your club or LSV where the nominee has made an important contribution to lifesaving.
Award Prize:	Trophy
Award Sponsor:	None
Date of Presentation:	LSV Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	February
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Aquatic Sports Council Executive
Other Information:	
Circular Link:	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars

Honours and Awards Summary Aquatic Sports Council AS7

Award No:	AS7
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Junior Female Athlete of the Year.
Award Description:	This award recognises outstanding achievements by a junior female athlete (U15/U17/19).
Award Criteria:	<p>1 List top ten performances from Life Saving Victoria sanctioned events only.</p> <p>2 Representative Teams Detail specific occasions where the nominee has been a member of a major (state or national) representative team – outlining the team and event name. Also include any details of the success of the team. Detail any placing either in team or individual events the nominee achieved.</p> <p>3 Major Competitions Detail specific achievements of the nominee outlining any medal places (including team events) at major competitions or eg. state, national and international club championships – please include event names, carnival and placings.</p> <p>4 Describe what you consider to be the nominee’s most outstanding achievement during the current season and why.</p> <p>5 Any additional information to support the nomination.</p>
Award Prize:	Trophy
Award Sponsor:	None
Date of Presentation:	LSV Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	February
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Aquatic Sports Council Executive
Other Information:	

Circular Link:

<http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars>



Honours and Awards Summary

Aquatic Sports Council AS8

Award No:	AS8
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Junior Male Athlete of the Year
Award Description:	This award recognises outstanding achievements by a junior male athlete (U15/U17/19).
Award Criteria:	<p>1 List top ten performances from Life Saving Victoria sanctioned events only.</p> <p>2 Representative Teams Detail specific occasions where the nominee has been a member of a major (state or national) representative team – outlining the team and event name. Also include any details of the success of the team. Detail any placing either in team or individual events the nominee achieved.</p> <p>3 Major Competitions Detail specific achievements of the nominee outlining any medal places (including team events) at major competitions or eg. state, national and international club championships – please include event names, carnival and placings.</p> <p>4 Describe what you consider to be the nominee’s most outstanding achievement during the current season and why.</p> <p>5 Any additional information to support the nomination.</p>
Award Prize:	Trophy
Award Sponsor:	None
Date of Presentation:	LSV Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	February
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Aquatic Sports Council Executive
Other Information:	

Circular Link:

<http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars>



Community Aquatic Education Council Honours Summary

Award ID	Award Name
CAEC1	Life Saving Victoria Award for Excellence in the provision of Water Safety Education
CAEC2	Life Saving Victoria Award for Excellence in the provision of Water Safety
CAEC3	Life Saving Victoria Pool Lifeguard of the Year

LSV Awards Summary
Community Aquatic Education Council
CAEC1

Award No:	CAEC1
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Award for Excellence in the provision of water safety education
Award Description:	This award recognises an organisation or facility that has excelled in the provision of water safety education.
Award Criteria:	The water safety education program or project must have a focus on core water safety issues and ideally combine both practical and theory components.
Award Prize:	
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	Victorian Aquatic Industry Awards Evening and recognition at the Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	January
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Aquatics and Recreation Victoria
Other Information:	
Link:	http://www.aquarecvic.org.au/arv_awards.htm

LSV Awards Summary
Community Aquatic Education Council
CAEC2

Award No:	CAEC2
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Award for Excellence in the promotion of water safety
Award Description:	This award is no longer provided to the Victorian Aquatic Industry
Award Criteria:	
Award Prize:	
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	
Date of Circulation:	
Closing Date:	
Judging Panel:	
Other Information:	
Link:	

LSV Awards Summary
Community Aquatic Education Council
CAEC3

Award No:	CAEC1
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Pool Lifeguard of the Year
Award Description:	This award is no longer provided to the Victorian Aquatic Industry
Award Criteria:	
Award Prize:	
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	
Date of Circulation:	
Closing Date:	
Judging Panel:	
Other Information:	
Link:	http://www.aquaticsandrecreation.org.au/



Lifesaving Operations Council Honours Summary

Award ID	Award Name
LS1	Life Saving Victoria Patrol Efficiency Club of the Year
LS2	Life Saving Victoria Administration Club of the Year
LS3	Life Saving Victoria Assessor/Examiner of the Year
LS4	Life Saving Victoria Training Officer of the Year
LS5	Life Saving Victoria Patrol Hours Award

LSV Awards Summary
Lifesaving Operations Council LS1

Award No:	LS1
Award Name:	Patrol Efficiency Award
Award Description:	This award is awarded on the results of the LSOC Patrol Competition audits
Award Criteria:	
Award Prize:	Trophy
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	February
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Lifesaving Operations Council Executive
Other Information:	
Circular Link:	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars

LSV Awards Summary

Lifesaving Operations Council LS2

Award No:	LS2
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Administration Club of the Year
Award Description:	Note: this award is judged on Club Administration Grant requirements as detailed in current Circular
Award Criteria:	<p>1 Club has fulfilled all requirements of Group A,B and C of the current Club Administration Grant and met the specified closing dates</p> <p>2 The club has been represented at a state endorsed conference, forum and date.</p>
Award Prize:	Trophy
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	TBA
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Council of Lifesaving Operations Executive Panel
Other Information:	
Link:	www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au

LSV Awards Summary

Lifesaving Operations Council LS3

Award No:	LS3
Award Name:	Assessor of the Year
Award Description:	This award recognises and rewards the Assessor who assesses LSV awards at affiliated lifesaving clubs and/or services, including community groups.
Award Criteria:	<p>1 Has delivered and maintained quality assessment for all assessments undertaken</p> <p>2 Has attended state-endorsed assessor forums and conferences, listing the date/s, location and type of involvement.</p> <p>3 Contribution to development of new assessment processes and tools.</p> <p>4 Assisted in the training and mentoring of probationary and other assessors.</p> <p>5 Major achievements and positions, relevant to assessing held at local and state level.</p> <p>6 Assisted and demonstrated willingness to assist District Officers in district examinations</p> <p>7 Assisted with State and/or club training.</p> <p>8 Future assessing ambitions.</p> <p>9 Any additional information to support the nomination.</p>
Award Prize:	Trophy
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	February
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Lifesaving Operations Council Executive
Other Information:	
Circular Link:	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars

LSV Awards Summary

Lifesaving Operations Council LS4

Award No:	LS4
Award Name:	Training Officer of the Year
Award Description:	This award recognises and rewards trainers who have made a significant contribution toward the area of education and awards within LSV.
Award Criteria:	<p>1 Has coordinated and delivered Life Saving Victoria award training program/s. List location/s and award/s instructed</p> <p>2 Has trained at least 20 candidates for a 95% success at assessments in two different lifesaving awards.</p> <p>3 Conferences attended and professional development participated in relating to training.</p> <p>4 Contribution to development of new training resources (eg: participation on panels).</p> <p>5 Major achievements and positions, relevant to training held at local or state level.</p> <p>6 Future training ambitions in the areas of club, local district and state level.</p> <p>7 Any additional information to support the nomination.</p>
Award Prize:	Trophy
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	February
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Lifesaving Operations Council Executive
Other Information:	
Circular Link:	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars

LSV Awards Summary

Lifesaving Operations Council LS5

Award No:	LS5
Award Name:	100+ Volunteer Patrol Hours
Award Description:	This award recognises and acknowledges the commitment of the volunteer patrol member who provides 100+ patrol hours during the current season.
Award Criteria:	<p>1 Must complete 100+ hours for club patrols during the current season.</p> <p>2 All patrol activities must be signed off to LSV Command Centre and does NOT include hours provided for the conduct of water safety for which the member and /or the club has received payment.</p>
Award Prize:	Gold, Silver, or Bronze Certificate
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	February
Closing Date:	April
Judging Panel:	Lifesaving Operations Staff for verification of hours
Other Information:	
Circular Link:	http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/circulars



Youth and Leadership Development Council Honours Summary

Award ID	Award Name
Y&LD1	Life Saving Victoria Champion Junior Lifesaver
Y&LD2	Life Saving Victoria Junior Athlete of the Year
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LSV Awards Summary

Youth and Leadership Development Council YLD1

Award No:	YLD1
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Champion Junior Lifesaver
Award Description:	The Youth & Leadership Development Council recognises a <u>Champion Junior Lifesaver</u> annually at the State Junior Championships. The award will be presented to the junior who displays excellence over a range of lifesaving and community areas
Award Criteria:	<p>The award is open to all registered members of Life Saving Victoria aged between 14 and 15 during the current season. The club nominee must be available to attend the State Junior Championships in the current year. The evaluation criteria for the final selection will be based on the applicant's achievements in the following areas: -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Contribution to Club 2. Contribution to community and other community services 3. Lifesaving Awards Achieved 4. Attendance Record 5. Past Achievement 6. Attitude to Sportsmanship 7. Competition achievement 8. First Aid Skills assessment ** <p>** The First Aid skills assessment will be conducted at the current year State Junior Championships for the six (6) nominees short listed as finalists. Short listed nominees will be advised of the assessment criteria for the First Aid Skills Assessment by <u>date to be advised</u></p> <p>In framing the award, it is seen that</p>

	competition, although forming part of the criteria, has been given a low priority. This award is intended for junior members who have made a significant contribution to the lifesaving association and wider community.
Award Prize:	Medal, certificate and a 12-month personal development scholarship with Life Saving Victoria, which includes flights to participate in a SLSA Development Camp during the current year.
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	Junior State Championships and recognition at the Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	February
Closing Date:	March
Judging Panel:	Y&LD Executive panel & previous Champion Junior Lifesaver
Other Information:	
Link:	www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au

LSV Awards Summary

Youth and Leadership Development Council YLD2

Award No:	YLD2
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Junior Athlete of the Year
Award Description:	Awarded to the most outstanding U/14 competitor for that season
Award Criteria:	Must be part of the Victoria State Team, selected by the Y&LD competition panel as being the best all round competitor, based on the overall competition results for the season
Award Prize:	Medallion and ForceField Racing Board
Award Sponsor:	ForceField
Date of Presentation:	Junior State Championships and recognition at the Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	February
Closing Date:	March
Judging Panel:	Y&LD Executive Panel
Other Information:	
Link:	www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au

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Youth and Leadership Development Council YLD3

Award No:	YLD3
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Youth Parent of the Year
Award Description:	The award will be presented to a parent who has provided extraordinary volunteer service to lifesaving youth throughout the current season
Award Criteria:	<p>The award is open to all Life Saving Victoria parents with registered junior members between the ages of 6 and 14 during the current patrol season. The evaluation criteria for the final selection will be based on <u>Extraordinary Volunteer Service to Lifesaving Youth Applications</u> are based on the nominee's commitment over the past twelve months and may include information relating to any of the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Respect gained by other parents and Junior members; - Provides a role model for other parents; - Dedication shown in getting their own family plus others to participate in Life Saving Victoria programs and events; - New initiatives created to improve the youth lifesaving experience; - Continuous improvement strategies implemented; - Areas of general assistance around the club; - Age group leader/manager roles held; - Coaching or official accreditations gained;

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Lifesaving awards gained during the period with club, (i.e. Bronze, IRB Driver, etc.); - Water safety duties completed for club programs or carnivals; - Team Manager details - organising other parents and junior members for and at carnivals;
Award Prize:	Life Saving Victoria plaque and weekend away including accommodation meals and entertainment.
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	Junior State Championships and recognition at the Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	February
Closing Date:	March
Judging Panel:	Y&LD Executive Panel
Other Information:	
Link:	www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au

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Youth and Leadership Development Council YLD4

Award No:	YLD4
Award Name:	Life Saving Victoria Y&LD Service Awards
Award Description:	For outstanding volunteer service to junior activities
Award Criteria:	Continued long service to Y&LD council. May be awarded for any area within the Council.
Award Prize:	LSV Service Plaque
Award Sponsor:	
Date of Presentation:	Junior State Championships and recognition at the Awards of Excellence Gala Evening
Date of Circulation:	February
Closing Date:	March
Judging Panel:	Y&LD Executive Panel
Other Information:	
Link:	www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au

Club Awards and External Organisations Awards

Please use this section to maintain a file on your club's awards and any external organisation's awards that may be useful to recognise and reward your members.