



**The Met North School Sport Hall of Fame** Membership is divided into two categories; Athlete Members and General Members.

Athlete Members are those who have competed at the highest level of competition available in their chosen sport.

General Members are selected for excellence and outstanding achievements in roles supportive to sports participants (administration, coaching/training, sports media/history, sports science / technology and sports umpiring, refereeing, judging).

#### **Honouring our Greatest Athletes**

# Our Vision -

We exist to preserve and celebrate the history of Met North School Sport and to excite the next generation of young students to achieve their potential both in sport and in life.

The Met North School Sport Hall of Fame is determined to portray to Students and Sports people everywhere the symbol of excellence as is represented by its Members across all sports and genders.

Sport is a defining and dominant part of Australian social culture and in honouring the Member achievements, The Met North School Sport Hall of Fame preserves, presents and shares this priceless sporting heritage as an inspiration to all Students.

The message to all is a valuable one that emphasises the rich rewards in life that are offered by striving to attain our Hall of Fame values; Courage • Sportsmanship • Integrity • Mateship • Persistence • Excellence; underpinned by Generosity, Modesty, Pride and Ambition.

## **Hierarchy of Representation**

- Australian representation Olympic Games, Commonwealth Games or World Championship medallist.
- Australian representation, world class competitions: NBA, MBA, Premier League etc
- Pioneer in new sports, state representative, National champion
- AFL, A League, Super Rugby, NRL

Special Note: There will be two categories of nomination for the Met North "Hall of Fame".

Athlete members and General members.

#### CRITERIA FOR NOMINATION OF ATHLETE MEMBERS

- 1. Nominees must:
  - be Australian Resident;
  - o be superior achievers at the highest level of competition in their chosen sport; and
  - o have the support of their peers:
    - 1. sport specific committee
    - 2. School
    - 3. Community group
- 2. Nominees shall be considered after completing Secondary Education.
- 3. Team players will be considered on the same basis as individuals.
- 4. The Selection Committee will consider the degree of difficulty for a Nominee to attain the highest level of achievement.
- 5. The Selection Committee will consider in addition to a Nominee's individual achievements, that person's integrity, honesty, sportsmanship and moral character.
- 6. Any person or organisation may make nominations for consideration by the Selection Committee.
- 7. Nominations are to be submitted annually. Any nomination which has been previously submitted, but not selected may be reconsidered by the Selection Committee for a maximum period of three (3) years after the initial nomination. After three years have expired the nominee will be ineligible for further nominations.
- 8. The Selection Committee is the arbiter in respect to the selection or otherwise of any Nominee, subject always to the final approval by the MNHOF committee.
- 9. Nominees must receive a minimum of 75% of the votes to be inducted/selected into the Hall of Fame.

### **CRITERIA FOR NOMINATION OF GENERAL MEMBERS**

- 1. The primary requirement for selection as a General Member is high level achievement from personal effort or initiative, in a field of endeavour that contributes to the performances of athletes or to the development and status of Australian sport.
- 2. Nominees should have made a major contribution at **the International or State level** to their sport or to sport generally.
- 3. General nominees will generally be drawn from the following areas of involvement in sport:
  - Sports administration
  - Sports coaching / training
  - Sports science / medicine
  - Sports media / history
  - Sport umpiring/ refereeing / judging

- 4. Nominees may be involved in other areas, but their achievements must satisfy the criterion detailed in point number 1.
- 5. Whichever their area of involvement, Nominees will be:
  - Initiators/pioneers
  - Sports developers
  - Achievers at the highest levels of office or appointment available
  - Contributors to their sport or to Met North Sport generally at the highest level.
- 6. Mere long term service or involvement with sport or sporting bodies by a Nominee without having satisfied the primary requirement in point 1 or demonstrated outstanding achievement arising from personal initiative or innovation, is not sufficient justification for selection.
- 7. Only in exceptional circumstances will there be more than two people annually inducted as General Members.
- 8. Nominations are to be submitted annually. Any nomination which has been previously submitted, but not selected may be reconsidered by the Selection Committee for a maximum period of three (3) years after the initial nomination. After three years have expired the nominee will be ineligible for further nominations.
- 9. Nominations for consideration by the Selection Committee may be made by any person within an organisation.
- 10. The Selection Committee reserves the right to seek endorsement of any nomination by the appropriate peak organisation(s) in Australia, responsible for the sport(s) or field(s) of endeavour in which achievements have been attributed to the Nominee.
- 11. The endorsement of any nomination by the appropriate peak organisation is highly desirable, but its absence will not necessarily debar the Nominee from selection.
- 12. The Selection Committee will be the arbiter in respect to the selection or otherwise of any Nominee, subject always to final approval by the SAHOF Board.
- 13. Nominees must receive a minimum of 75% of the votes to be inducted into the Hall of Fame.