

Date: _____ Nominee Name: _____

Nominations for Queenscliff SLSC Honour Awards



- Distinguished Service
 Life membership

Proposer: _____
Name

Signature

Seconder: _____
Name

Signature

Distinguished Service Criteria

A Distinguished Service Award may be awarded to a member by virtue of a meritorious rescue performed by the member or who otherwise has given extraordinary service to surf lifesaving for a minimum period of fifteen years, the majority of which has been with the Club.

Such service may include:

- Bravery under exceptional circumstances
- Meritorious rescues
- Competition Achievement
- Coaching or training achievement
- Significant lifesaving patrol and associated service as a long serving Active Member
- Significant administrative contribution (including as a long serving officer of the Club)
- Other significant contributions to surf life saving, the club and its members.

Life Membership Criteria

Life Membership is the highest Club honour and as such is a significant and important award of respect and represents recognition by members of extraordinary and exceptional service to the Club.

A member may be eligible to be awarded Life Membership if they have received a Distinguished Service Award and continued to provide exceptional service for an additional five years minimum.

The Election Process for Club Honours

- a) Any two members having at least 10 years satisfactory service to the club may nominate a member for Life Membership and/or Distinguished Service;
- b) The nomination should be in writing to the Board setting out the reasons for the nomination;
 - a. The nomination is to be considered by a Club Honours Committee of which at least 50 per cent must be Club Life Members;
 - b. The Club Honours Committee provides a recommendation to the Board;
 - c. The recommendation must be approved by at least eighty per cent (80%) of the votes cast by those present at the relevant Board meeting and if approved;
 - d. The nomination shall proceed to the Annual General Meeting and it must be carried by an eighty per cent (80%) majority of the votes cast by those present and entitled to vote;
 - e. The proposers may speak for the nomination at the Board meeting and the Annual General Meeting;
 - f. At all meetings where the proposal is considered the vote shall be conducted by secret ballot.

