

# AWARDS CRITERIA 2017-18 CHAMPIONS OF QUEENSLAND

#### Professional Athlete of the Year

Male / Female / Paratriathlete

This Award recognises the athlete who attains the highest level of professional performance in International ITU Draft Legal and/or Professional Long Course Non-Drafting events. Nominations are not required for these awards.

# Junior Elite Athlete of the Year

Male / Female

This Award recognises the athlete who attains the highest level of performance in ITU Junior events. Nominations are not required for these awards.

# Age Group Athlete of the Year

Male / Female

This Award recognises the athlete who attains the highest level of performance in International Age Group/Non-Professional events. Nominations are not required for these awards.

#### Elite Coach of the Year

This Award recognises the Elite Coach whose athletes have the best performances at elite/professional level. Elite athletes include ITU Junior & U23 athletes. The winner of this Award must be a registered Triathlon Australia Coach. Only performances of Australian athletes will be considered. Coaches may self-nominate for this Award.

# Junior Coach of the Year

This Award recognises a Coach who makes a significant contribution to the development of juniors in a healthy, fun and safe competitive environment, where athletes are given the opportunity to develop skills and strive to achieve personal bests. The winner of this Award must be a registered Triathlon Australia Coach.

# Club Coach of the Year

This Award recognises a Coach who creates a positive club culture and an affirmative training environment, where athletes are given the opportunity to develop skills and strive to achieve personal bests. The winner of this Award must be a registered Triathlon Australia Coach who actively coaches across the three triathlon disciplines – swim, cycle and run.





#### **Technical Official of the Year**

South East Queensland

Regional /

This Award recognises a Technical Official, who in the field of play, is seen by athletes, race directors and their peers as someone who has made a significant contribution to enhance the equality, fairness and safety of triathlon. This person demonstrates, through patience and communication, the skills of officiating appropriately to the level of event and participant. The winner of this Award must have officiated at a minimum of five events in Queensland.

#### Volunteer of the Year

Regional / South East Queensland

This Award recognises a Triathlon Queensland member who through their voluntary actions has made a significant and positive contribution to the sport of triathlon at any level in Queensland. This person must not receive any tangible reward for their services.

#### Club Administrator of the Year

Regional / South East Queensland

This Award recognises a member of the club executive who has made a significant positive contribution to the running of the club. Without this person the club would be a poorer place.

# President's Award

The Triathlon Queensland President's Award recognises an individual or stakeholder who has made a significant contribution to the sport of triathlon in Queensland. The Triathlon Queensland President will select the winner of the Award by determining the individual's or organisation's contribution and affiliation to the sport.

### **Awards Conditions**

- Champions of Queensland Awards nominations open from 10:00AM Monday 12 February 2018 and close 11:59PM Friday 16 March 2018.
- To be eligible to receive a Champions of Queensland Award, the recipient must be an active Triathlon Australia and Triathlon Queensland member for the 2017-18 season.
- Nominations can only be submitted via the online form at <u>www.triathlonqld.com.au</u>
- Only complete nominations submitted prior to the closing date will be accepted
- Champions of Queensland Awards recipients will be determined by the Triathlon Queensland Awards Committee and Triathlon Queensland's decision is final.
- Winners will be announced on Sunday, 29 April 2018 at the Champions of Queensland Awards, following the Moreton Bay Triathlon.
- Triathlon Queensland respects your privacy and all the information provided by the applicant will remain confidential.

