



Policy Honour Boards

Purpose To ensure that those, whose names appear on the Honour Boards, meet the criteria for inclusion.

Procedure

Yachting & Centreboard (OTB) Champions Honour Boards

1. Inclusion is to be progressed via a recommendation to the Rear Commodores on the nomination form available upon request from Executive Assistant.
2. Criteria includes – members who achieve international excellence through;
 - Americas Cup/Admirals Cup win - crew only (does not include support/team staff)
 - Australian representative at Olympics, Paralympics and or Special Olympics
 - World champion (crew or skipper) at a recognised World Sailing World Championship event (Youth, Open, Women's, Masters, Grand Masters)
 - World Champion (crew or skipper) competing at a World Championship event (Youth, Open Women's, Masters, Grand Masters)
 - Those awarded the Australian Sailing, Australian Yachtsman of the Year (if applicable).
 - Internationally recognised achievement in seamanship or navigation.
 - An International & or Australian National Champion in a Centreboard Class.
3. Sub Committees may only recommend RPAYC members who satisfy the criteria for inclusion on the Champions Honour Board and who were Members at the time of their achievement.
4. The Rear Commodores will make the decision on names to be added to the Champions Boards.

Other Honour Boards

- a. Volunteer of the Year
- b. Yachtsman of the Year
- c. Officers of the Royal Prince Alfred Yacht Club
- d. Pittwater to Coffs Harbour Race
- e. Laurie Norton Encouragement Award – Centreboard Division
- f. The Hornblower Award for Most Improved – Centreboard Division
- g. Life Members
- h. Patrons
- i. Centreboard Champions Honour Board

Recommendations for Volunteer of the Year and Yachtsman of the Year are to be forwarded by the Rear Commodores committees in writing via their Minutes to the meeting of the Rear Commodores one month prior to the Annual Yachting Prize giving.

Names for inclusion on Honour Boards are to be approved by the Rear Commodores and submitted to the Executive Assistant by the last week in July each year.

Honour Boards will be updated annually, following the Annual General Meeting.

Centreboard nominations are valid from October 2015.



RPAYC Yachting & Centreboard Honour Board nomination form

Name of proposed:

RPA member number:

Event: <i>Tick one</i>	World Sailing Championship World Championship (WS recognised) Olympics Americas Cup Paralympics Admirals Cup Special Olympics Centreboard Champion Other: Specify	
Category: <i>Tick one</i>	Youth Masters Open Grand Masters Other: Specify	
Class:		
Position: <i>Tick one</i>	Helmsperson	Crew
Result:		
Proposed by:		
Signature:		Date:
<u>Office Use Only</u> Received by: Date:		