



## SWIMMING WAIKATO AWARDS NOMINATION FORM 2017

Swimming Waikato clubs are invited to submit nominations for the following Awards to Swimming Waikato, Private Bag 3091, Waikato Mail Centre, Hamilton by **5pm Friday 16 June 2017**

Life Membership  
Honours Award  
Service Award  
Merit Award

Nominees Name: .....

Nominating Club: .....

Award being applied for: .....

Please detail as much information as possible to enable the Awards Panel to make the right decision as to whether your nominee should be given the award for which you are applying. Please attach written information to this form. The Awards Panel needs to have as much detail as possible.

Things that you should bring to the Panel's attention in respect **of Life Membership, Honours, Service and Merit** are –

- (a) Length of service to your club or another club within the boundaries of Swimming Waikato Inc.
- (b) Volunteer work carried out for Waikato clubs.
- (c) Positions held within your or another club and Waikato levels.
- (d) Technical official qualifications and work carried out.
- (e) Current and future role within your club or Waikato.
- (f) Provide newspaper cutting if any available to support your nomination.
- (g) Anything else that you feel may be relevant.

Remember our Awards Panel may not know your nominee personally so you need to provide in depth detail.

Please read the attached Information Sheet and if you have any queries or questions then please contact Swimming Waikato Inc. Executive Officer, Cherie McCleery – call 07 834 4289 or email [cherie@swimmingwaikato.co.nz](mailto:cherie@swimmingwaikato.co.nz)

Nominations will close with the Swimming Waikato Executive Officer at **5pm on the 16<sup>th</sup> of June 2017** and presentations for all the Awards will be made at the 2017 Awards Dinner – details to be confirmed.

Club President: ..... Mover: .....

Club Secretary: ..... Seconder:.....

## **AWARDS – Information Sheet**

### **Swim Waikato Awards – Guide to applying**

#### **Life Membership:**

Swimming Waikato may elect to Life Membership of Swim Waikato any person who in the opinion of Swimming Waikato has rendered conspicuous service over a long period of time.

A candidate for Life Membership may be nominated by Swimming Waikato or may be nominated by a club in writing to Swimming Waikato setting out fully the grounds on which such nomination is made. Election to Life Membership of Swimming Waikato may be made by the Board of Swimming Waikato and ratification of this award to be incorporated into the Annual General Meeting Minutes.

In depth information covering service - positions held within Club/Region/New Zealand, work carried out for club etc. will be required.

#### **Honours Award:**

To be eligible for a Waikato Honours Award the holder must have served an additional five (5) years since receiving the Waikato Service Award.

#### **Service Award:**

This award is to recognise service to swimming in the region for a period of approximately eight (8) years under similar criteria to the rules of SNZ.

#### **Merit Award:**

For conspicuous service under the time frame required for a Service Award.