

NT Recreational Fishing Awards 2017

Nomination Form

Name of Individual/Organisation/Business being nominated: (include name of contact person if the nomination is for an organisation or business)		
Address:		
Suburb:	State	Postcode
Ph: (h)	(w)	(m)
Fax :	Email:	
I certify that the information included in this entry is correct to the best of my knowledge		
Signature of nominee (initials accepted if returned digitally):		

please check the box if details are the same as above

Nominated by (name):		
Organisation:		
Address:		
Suburb:	State	Postcode
Ph: (h)	(w)	(m)
Fax :	Email:	

Award Categories

1. Individual Award
2. Youth (under 21)
3. Fishing tourism operation (lodge, charter or guided fishing operation)
4. Fishing media /writer/media personality show
5. Fishing competition
6. Territory's top recreational fishing researcher

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Eligibility of nominees

- The nominee must be an Australian citizen/ project.
- Members of the Australian public may nominate themselves, individuals and organisations for awards.
- Entries nominating another person or organisation must be completed in consultation with the nominee.
- Individual nominees must be Territory residents over 16 years of age.
- Nominated organisations must be either registered in, or operate their business primarily in the Northern Territory.
- Nominations for organisations may include businesses, clubs and associations, indigenous groups and land councils, shires, community and city councils, tourism groups, land care groups and advisory committees. NT Government agencies will not be eligible for organisation awards. However, NT Government staff/volunteers will generally be eligible for individual awards.
- Nominated individuals will not generally be eligible for awards if they are a member of an organisation which is also nominated for the same achievement/s.
- Nominations may recognise past and/or current contributions to recreational fishing with a historic limit dating back to 2012.

Judging

The Recreational Fishing Advisory Committee will consider all nominations and provide award recommendations based on consensus for the Minister's consideration. The judge's decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.

Privacy

Entries remain the property of and will be viewed by the Northern Territory Government and the Recreational Fishing Advisory Committee (RFAC). Your nomination may be used in future promotional material.

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Awards

Perpetual and individual “keeper” trophies will be awarded (depending on the category). Any, perpetual trophies presented to individuals or organisations may be displayed at their place of choice for 23 months following presentation but must be returned to the Amateur Fishermen’s Association of the Northern Territory after this time period.

Deadlines and dates to remember

Finalists and winner/s will be announced at a gala awards presentation ceremony in Darwin on Friday November 24, 2017.

Nominations close 5pm, Wednesday November 15, 2016

How to Enter

E-mail: research@afant.com.au (Preferred)

Post entries to: AFANT PO Box 40694 Casuarina NT 0811 (Must be received by the due date)

Award Categories 1-5

Please attach information addressing the Selection Criteria relevant to the category the candidate is nominated for.

Information to support the nomination should explain, illustrate and highlight the candidate’s performance against each of the criteria.

Total information provided, inclusive of the support material should not exceed 5 (A4) pages.

All entries will be confirmed via email within 2 working days of being received.

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Selection Criteria

- Overall contribution to the development and promotion of the positive image and activity of recreational fishing in the NT
- How the individual or organisation includes sustainability, habitat protection or rehabilitation, environmental stewardship, or best practice fishing into their operations
- How the individual or organisation shows leadership, shares knowledge, experience and supports others to promote and develop recreational angling in the NT
- How the individual or organisation contributes to a positive, inclusive and active recreational fishing sector for all people
- How the individual or organisation supports the vision of the [NT Recreational Fishing Development Plan 2012–2022](#)

Award Category 6

The Territory's Top Recreational Fishing Researcher will be judged based on information provided about how their contribution(s) supports recreational fishing in the NT. In addition /alternatively, information provided by NT Fisheries on the individual's contribution to volunteer fish tagging or other methods of fisheries research may be taken into account (with a historical limit dating back to 2012).

Nominations should describe the type of research undertaken (eg. fish tagging, monitoring program, etc.) and how this relates to / supports recreational fishing (including the vision of the [NT Recreational Fishing Development Plan 2012–2022](#)).

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