

# TRAILBLAZER AWARD



Commenced 2018

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Essendon Netball Club would like to identify this award as acknowledging a player who has forged a path and succeeded at the netball club, by demonstrating a significant step-up in class, enabling a considerably higher level of sporting achievement. In doing so, this player has provided an example to those who follow. This award may be given to a newcomer who has shown the greatest potential for an outstanding career, or to an established player.

## Selection Criteria

A member of the junior club (eg U11 – 17)

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Never give up attitude

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Commitment to training

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Undertakes their own personal athletic development outside club scheduled training

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Coachability; able to take on constructive feedback and implement changes in game play in a positive way

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Skill acquisition exceeds expectations

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Good sportsmanship

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Demonstrates the ability to be flexible both in their position and division of play

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## Nomination

To be nominated by the Head Coach or team coach accompanied by a statement of support

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Members are prevented from nominating anyone within their family, inclusive of children, siblings or partners etc

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The nominating party may be invited to a committee meeting to advocate on behalf of their nominee

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To be voted by the committee with a single vote given to each member

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If single voting results in a tie, all committee members will re-vote using the 3,2,1 system

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*Nominations are to be forwarded to the Secretary.*

*Nominations are confidential.*

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