

### Defining & Primary Criteria for Hall of Fame Nomination

#### **Competitors: Players and coaches**

(a) Individuals must have completed a minimum of (15) years club or (8) years state as competitors (except wherein extenuating circumstances dictating a lesser number of years can be identified).

(b) "Unique and singular achievements" as the basis for selection should be interpreted as inclusive of any one or more of the following multifaceted criteria:

- Minimum number of "A" Grade games played / coached for their respective club/s
  - 500 for position players & coaches or 15 years.
  - 200 for pitchers.
- Minimum number of years played for their state or National league team –
  - 8 years for a player and 5 years for a coach.
- Membership on championship teams, club or state
- Membership on Australian team(s) of the past
- Acknowledged superiority of skill respective to physical classification
- Demonstration of Sportsmanship of the highest order
- Establishment of distinctive playing records that have stood the test of time.
- Longevity of participation that earns respect on the basis of the true fulfillment of the purposes of sport.

#### **Non-competitors:**

Individuals must have served a minimum of (20) years at club level or (15) at State/National level (except wherein extenuating circumstances dictating a lesser number of years can be identified) in the interest of Qld Baseball in the capacity of any one or more of an administrator, umpire, scorers or supporters of Qld Baseball. In this respect, the individual must have demonstrated a clearly unselfish dedication to the sport that has enhanced its development on a local, sectional or national basis. The contribution(s) made to the sport may be made in any of the realms of officiating, administrating, education and the like.

#### **Regional Members**

The BQ Heritage Advisory Panel is concerned Members of Regions outside the metropolitan area are disadvantaged because they would not be as well known to HoF members for a nomination to be made. Regions would be better equipped to determine when such nominations be put forward. HoF members are anxious to correct this anomaly.

Therefore, the regions will be provided with the criteria and conditions for a person to be nominated for the HoF and such nominations will then be considered by the HoF members in the same manner as nominations now being received from HoF members.

**To assist with clarification and identification of potential new members to the Hall of Fame the following can be applied to the Defining criteria.**

**Secondary Guiding Principles**

To assist in judging if a nominee achieves the minimum criteria, please refer to the following to identifying a truly great player, a truly great coach, a truly great official/umpire, a truly great contributor. For Competitors, Coaches, Umpires, Scorers & Non competitors.

- **Eminence:** Has achievements in performance, support or contribution to the longevity and growth of Qld Baseball that distinguishes the nominee from his or her contemporaries?
- **Permanence:** Is it probable that the nominee’s accomplishments will continue to be valued by Qld Baseball of the future?
- **Influence:** Has the nominee’s influence been of major significance to Qld Baseball even though contributions may have been confined largely to a single area of interest.
- **Contribution:** Has the nominee made an outstanding contribution to the advancement of Qld Baseball?

[Nominations Form Link>>>](#)

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