



August 2010

AWARDS AND PRIZEGIVING EVENING:

By Stephen Budai: Chairman Auckland Football Federation Referees Committee

Because there are only a few winners in our annual prize giving evening, does not mean, that those who have not received recognition in this way, for the past year of achievements - are losers.

Winners vs losers. This is not the view, nor is it the spirit of our referee federation.

This black or white, all or nothing view, would not represent how we embrace and hold in high esteem and respect each and every referee including those who represent the Laws of the Game as Club Based Referees!

We need to inspire standards and role models, for all referees, lifting and clarifying the vision to which we all strive to achieve in our purpose of being football referees.

Our prize giving evening gives us the opportunity to recognise and thank those referees who have reached for their personal vision and in doing so, have fulfilled high standards of conduct on and off the field of play.

The real satisfaction of gaining an award or receiving a prize comes when, what is said publicly from the platform, about a referee, agrees with the whispers among the refs in general.

The process by which such achievers receive their recognition is by the great body of member referees from within our federation by voting.

That is why such awards are highly prized, for when, a referee is praised and recognised, such praise is indebted to the virtues of others.

As the old saying goes, "many people know how to flatter; few know how to praise." Part of our personal sportsmanship is to praise the efforts of others. They receive an award, we receive the satisfaction that we have been self-less enough to see the efforts of others.

I would encourage all referees to fill in their voting forms and to get it into Paul Smith as soon as possible, early returns will help with the administration of the prize giving evening.

Remember to get your votes in by 6th September.



Stephen Budai



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Awards Evening 25 September 2010:

Rob Warner and Flemming Rasmussen; Award Evening Co-ordinators



**Flemming
Rasmussen**

Venue **Auckland Deaf Society
164 Balmoral Road
Balmoral
Auckland**

Starting at 7pm sharp

**Cost \$50.00 per ticket or
2 (two) tickets for \$90.00**

**The cost of the tickets can be deducted from
match expense reimbursements.**



Rob Warner

Tickets from Rob Warner email rwarnar@hotmail.co.nz

Voting Papers

Referee of the Year
Assistant Referee of the Year
Coach/Administrator of the Year

It is up to you to honour your fellow colleagues!!!! Every vote counts

Brian Precious Memorial Trophy:
Referee's Assistant Referee of Year
(Voted by members)

Graham West Trophy:
Referee's Referee of Year
(Voted by members)

Pop Menzies Trophy:
Coach/Administrator of Year
(Voted by members)

The above awards are selected by you the AFF Referee members. Voting papers will be sent separately. Voting closes 6th September.



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NOMINATIONS FOR AWARDS 2010

Alexandria Wendy MacLennan Memorial Cup:

Most Promising New Referee

Mohammed Hussein, Avnit Maharaj, Kieran Withers

Forrest Cup:

Best First Year Referee

Steven Black, Jeremy Ferguson, Ravi Prasad, John Schipper

Highway Electrical Trophy:

Most Professional Youth Referee

Katie Goulding, Chris Perry, John Schipper, David Sorrell

Junior Referee's Cup:

Outstanding Service to Youth Referee's

Grant Capper, Howard Chaffey, Neil Robinson, Karim Shabbot

Page Cup:

Most Improved Local Senior Referee

James Ashford, Morgan Breuer, Ben Norman, Tom Woo

Countrywide Bank Cup:

Most Improved Assistant Referee

Morgan Breuer, Len Gattsche, Martin Neale, Tom Woo

General Packaging Cup:

Best New Zealand Badge Holder

Anna-Marie Keighley, Cory Mills, Jonathan Price

Countrywide Bank Cup:

Best Assistant Referee

Anna-Marie Keighley, Cory Mills, Martin Neale, Nick van der Salm

Ian Hiscox Trophy:

Merit Award (Services to Referee's Association)

Paul Mason, Mark Perry, Hayden Sentch, Hengo Sioneloto

Ken Wallace Trophy:

Most Improved Senior Referee

Cory Mills, Flemming Rasmussen, Chris Wolken



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Rugg Rose Bowl:
Professionalism in Refereeing
 Martin Neale, Jonathan Price, Nick Waldron

The following award winners will be announced on the night:

RDO Cup:
Support to RDO
 Selected by RDO

Brian Precious Memorial Trophy:
Referee's Assistant Referee of Year
 (Voted by members)

Graham West Trophy:
Referee's Referee of Year
 (Voted by members)

Pop Menzies Trophy:
Coach/Administrator of Year
 (Voted by members)

Presidents Tray:
Outstanding Services
 Selected by AFF Referee Chairman

