



PHYSICAL EDUCATION NEW ZEALAND

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## LIFE MEMBER of PHYSICAL EDUCATION NEW ZEALAND

### Purpose

The award of Life Member may be conferred by PENZ on Members who have given ***long and distinguished*** service in the cause of physical education. The honour is to be given sparingly. In general, it is given only when the service rendered has been nationwide and outstanding in nature.

### Eligible

Pre-requisites for the award are:

To have been a Member for not fewer than twenty-five (25) years (with the exception that an overseas professional physical educator, now a New Zealand resident, who has been a Member of PENZ for not fewer than fifteen (15) years and who meets the prescribed criteria, may be considered for a Life Membership Award). Life Membership will carry one vote in the affairs of PENZ.

### Not Eligible

Current PENZ staff, Board Members, contractors and/or consultants are not eligible at the time of employment or time on the Board.

### Criteria

The nominee shall have met the following criteria:

**Criterion 1:** The nominee has demonstrated ***long and distinguished*** contributions on behalf of PENZ that supports the purposes and practice of physical education at a national level.

**Criterion 2:** The nominee has made ***long and distinguished*** contributions to the physical education profession in a way that expands and advances the knowledge, use, and applications reflected in the vision, values and purpose of PENZ.

**Criterion 3:** The nominee has contributed *long and distinguished* leadership of PENZ by fulfilling various roles as a role model, a professional, a leader and advocate for physical education. The nominee has also contributed to the leadership of PENZ by fulfilling various roles in the governance and/or management of PENZ at the national and regional level.

**Criterion 4:** The nominee has regularly disseminated information to the physical education fraternity as a way of advancing the knowledge and practice of physical education.

### **Nomination Procedures**

The nominee must be nominated by a member of PENZ and this must be endorsed by one other PENZ member. In addition, an endorsement by a non-member of PENZ can be included with the nomination.

In nominating someone for a Life Member, please complete the Awards Nomination Form and in addition provide;

A comprehensive statement of no more than 1500 words that reflects the four criteria in explaining why the nominee in your view is worthy of being awarded a Life Member of Physical Education New Zealand.

Ensure one other member of PENZ endorses the nomination.

Please do not include the CV of the nominee or any other supporting evidence.