

## SERVICE TO TENNIS AWARD

The Service to Tennis Award recognises a person who has personified the essence of leadership, passion, sportsmanship, goodwill and dedication to the sport while making a major contribution to the stature of tennis for over 10 years.

### *Selection Criteria:*

Nominees must show that:

- They have been involved in tennis for a period of **over 10 years**
- They have made a considerable contribution to the sport over a prolonged period of time
- They personify the essence of leadership, passion for tennis, sportsmanship and dedication
- They are highly regarded within the tennis community and have fostered relationships within and between the club/association and the community
- Have made a considerable contribution to the sport, specifically in the area of delivering more active players
- Have performed various roles within the club/association
- Have demonstrated significant achievement while in the roles held within the club/association
- Have provided documentary evidence to substantiate meeting the selection criteria, such as letters of thanks, supporting evidence from current administrators of the club/association, publications depicting the nominee's position within the club/association.

All entries must provide the following media to support their submission:

- Three (3) high-resolution photos (in RAW format or TIFF/JPEG in highest file size possible)

### *Selection Process*

Only information provided by the nominee with their nomination form will be considered by the selection panel. Nominees should attach any relevant additional information with their nomination form.

All decisions in relation to the Service to Tennis award including any questions in relation to eligibility) will be determined by the selection panel in its absolute discretion. All decisions are final and no correspondence will be entered into. Any matters which arise and which are not covered in this document will be determined by the selection panel in consultation with Tennis West Management

## **Timeline**

- Nominations open – Friday 26 August 2016
- Nominations close – Friday 30 September 2016
- Nominations are valid for the 2015/16 tennis season
- The WA Tennis Industry Awards Night will be held on Friday 28 October 2016
- Winners of their respective categories at the WA Tennis Industry Awards will be nominated for the Newcombe Medal Australian Tennis Awards – 28 October 2016
- Newcombe Medal – Monday 28 November 2016

## **Requirements of Award Recipients**

Successful recipients will be required to fulfil the following:

- Participate in marketing and promotional activities in the 12 months following the award
- Prepare an article for the Australian Tennis Magazine. Tennis Australia will provide editorial assistance

## **Return Nomination to:**

Tennis West

Attn: Elle Mazza

PO Box 116 Burswood WA 6100; or

Email: [emazza@tennis.com.au](mailto:emazza@tennis.com.au)

**Nominations due by 12pm, Friday 30 September 2016**

**\*Please include Tennis West Award Nomination Cover Sheet with Nominator & Seconder details**

(Please note: If email nominations are sent with large size attachments, please send a separate email advising that the nomination has been sent. Tennis West can then contact you if the email is not received)