CRITERIA FOR AWARD SELECTION:

The USCAC Perpetual Award selection –

*USCAC is a* ***Queensland Athletics club*** *and the Perpetual award winners are selected, based on the athlete with BEST seasons achievement in the areas of*

*Field; Track; Distance track; & Out of Stadia.*

* *Minor Perpetual Awards are:*
	+ *M/F Field Athlete of the Year*
	+ *M/F Track Athlete of the Year - up to 800m events including hurdles*
	+ *M/F Track Distance Athlete of the Year - 1500m/3000m/5000m/track walks; +other events QA/AA run events*
	+ *M/F Out of Stadia Athlete of the Year - Marathon & half Marathon Championships/ Queensland & Australian Cross Country Championships/ Queensland & Australian Road Race Walking Championships/ Queensland & Australian Road Races*
* *Minor Perpetual Awards restricted by a specific criteria:*
	+ *Para athlete*
	+ *Junior M/F Athlete (must be in U18 and less in the award season)*
	+ *Combined Events (NOTE: this award will be generated when the club have athlete/s who qualify in QA /AA & International Combined Events Championships*
* *MAJOR REWARDS:*
	+ *Athlete of the Year*
	+ ***M/F Encouragement Award***

CRITERIA:

* The best outstanding achievement of our elite members. Result can be achieved at QA, AA or International Championships. Other major events throughout the season may be considered, if required.
* All USCAC athletes 10 years and over can be considered.
* If a nomination for the athlete is NOT provide the athlete may not be considered for an award.
* State & National school results will NOT be included as the competitions are restricted to only school age athletes. This is seen as unfair for USCAC athletes who are not of school age and so ineligible to compete in school championships.
* Events not administered / officiated by QA or AA officials will NOT be considered.
* Activities sports or otherwise outside of athletics will not be considered

USCAC President Award:

Selected Presidents discretion.

* Choice can be an athlete or volunteer

USCAC Encouragement Award Winners -

Committee want to recognise and encourage our up & coming members.

As such the winner/s in each category, are chosen a little more subjectively.

Favourable consideration will be given to athletes who:

* Strive to achieve great results at QA and AA events
* Compete regularly at mini meet &/or cross country
* Give back to the club in other ways such as through volunteering or coaching.

End of Season Record Breakers:

We have many talented athlete’s at USCAC both past and present.

If an athlete believes they may have broken a record, they are REQUIRED to:

* Check the records on the USCAC website
* Email ‘president.uscac@gmail.com with the following details - athlete name; event; and record result.
* The committee member who monitors records will then cross check the record and if broken, will update the record list.