



HARNESS RACING VICTORIA

2022 Gordon Rothacker Medal Terms & Conditions

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The Gordon Rothacker Medal is organised by Harness Racing Victoria (HRV).

Who can nominate

Nominations are invited from country clubs, kindred bodies, industry participants and individuals. The selection panel will assess each nomination and base their decision on the following criteria:

- Contribution to harness racing in Victoria and positions held in the industry
- Achievements
- Length of industry involvement
- Voluntary or paid key positions within the industry
- Demonstrated excellence within a chosen field
- Significant personal achievement
- Service as a role model or mentor
- Integrity.

Who can be nominated

Anyone over the age of 18 who has contributed to the harness racing industry in some way. They do not have to be a Victorian resident but should be closely associated to harness racing in this state.

How to nominate

To nominate someone for consideration, please email their name along with a short summary addressing the above criteria, to info@hrv.com.au by COB Friday December 30. For any questions about the nomination process, email info@hrv.com.au.

How a decision is made

The selection panel is made up of HRV staff including a representative from the integrity team, a Board member, as well as key staff members who have worked at HRV for more than 10 years. It also includes industry representatives. The judges decision is final.

Winner's announcement

The date of Gordon Rothacker Medal night will be announced in the coming months. The announcement will be held in conjunction with several other awards presented annually by HRV.

The winner of the Gordon Rothacker Medal receives a physical medal to keep as a memento. They must also agree to be contacted following the announcement for an interview to feature on TheTrots.com.au.