

Tasmanian Fly Tyers Club Inc.

Johnny Walker Club Man Trophy

The trophy was conceived and first presented in 1968 by founding President Bob Peacock to Tom Sommerville, long time Honorary Secretary of the club.

As the name suggests, the trophy was to recognise the contributions of individuals to the club over the previous year/s. By convention the awarding of the Club Man Trophy is at the sole discretion of the outgoing President for the particular year.

The choice by Bob Peacock of “Johnny Walker” as the flag bearer for the award is indicative of his approach to fellowship within the club and of his liking for the odd wee dram.

I think the trophy continues to give a message about the convivial spirit in which the club operates and I would hope that this same spirit continues into the future.

The winners of the trophy over the years are listed below:

1968 Tom Sommerville	1997 Brian McCullagh
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1970 Bev Stewart	1999 Brian McCullagh
1971 Bev Stewart	2000 Ian Stokes
1972 Bob Mitchell	2001 Frank Butler
1973 Bob Mitchell	2002 John O’Halloran
1974 Ambrose Haley	2003 Ian Stokes
1975 Malcolm Crosse	2004 Bruce Barker
1976 Ian Madden	2005 Michael Excell
1977 Duncan Kerr	2006 James Mackay
1978 Ray Longden	2007 Tony Dell
1979 Jim Hastie	2008 David Young
1980 David O’Brien	2009 John Smith
1981 Ross Scrim	2010 Peter Murphy
1982 Eric Canning	2011 Tony Dell
1983 Ray Andrews	2012 Lyndon Cubbins
1984 Max Stokes	2013 Laurie Matcham
1985 Denis Abbott	2014 Tim Lewis
1986 Des Innes	2015 Doug Miller
1987 Tony Dell	2016 Noel Wilson
1988 John Jones	2017 Anna Bellette
1989 Tony Dell	2018 Ashley Artis
1990 Geoff Watson	2019 Stephen Butler
1991 Lyndon Cubbins	2020 Stephen Butler
1992 Don Hammond	2021 Tony Abel
1993 Ken Fisher	2022 Tim Lewis / Stephen Butler
1994 Tony Abel	2023 Brian West
1995 Brian McCullagh	2024 Norm Cribbin
1996 Brian McCullagh / Tony Dell	

