



## Circular 139:11:08

**To:** Club Presidents  
Club Captains  
Club Secretaries  
LSV Service Members

**Cc:** District Officers

**From:** LSV Honours and Awards Committee

**Date:** 11 November 2008

**Subject:** 2008 Graeme Long Memorial Medal – Volunteer of the Year

**Action:** Closing date for applications is Friday, 23 January, 2009

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Please be advised that the LSV Honours and Awards Committee is now seeking applications for the 2008 Graeme Long Memorial Medal.

This award was first presented in 1999 and perpetuates the memory of Graeme Long and his volunteer contributions to lifesaving. This award recognises and rewards a member of Life Saving Victoria whose contribution demonstrably enhances the development of lifesaving in Victoria.

All nominees for the Graeme Long Memorial Medal must be a financial Life Saving Victoria Service Member or Patrolling Club Member. The award is judged on the nominee's performance for the 12 months from 1 January 2008 to December 2008.

- Graeme Long Memorial Medal application form is attached.

When submitting a nomination it should be noted that as in previous years, the 2008 Graeme Long Memorial Medal winner will be Victoria's representative in the SLSA National Recognition Awards – namely the 'Volunteer of the Year Award'.

Victoria's representative will travel to the 2009 Australian Titles in Western Australia and be interviewed for final selection. Travel costs will be covered by SLSA.

The application form and supporting documentation are to be returned to:

**Mail:** Frances Evans **Direct Line:** 03: 9676 6947  
Life Saving Victoria, 200 The Boulevard, Port Melbourne 3207

**Closing** date for nominations is:  
**Friday 23 January 2009**

**Interviews** with the LSV Honours and Awards Committee will be on:

**Thursday 5 February 2009**  
**Candidates should note that electronic presentations are not allowed.**

**For additional detail on this Circular contact: Frances Evans**  
Email [frances.evans@lifesavingvictoria.com.au](mailto:frances.evans@lifesavingvictoria.com.au) or by phone: (03) 9676 6947  
Circulars are also available at [www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au](http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au)

Address: PO Box 353 South Melbourne DC 3205



## Nomination Form – 2008 Graeme Long Memorial Medal

I/Club Committee \_\_\_\_\_

wish to nominate: \_\_\_\_\_

as a candidate for the 2008 Graeme Long Memorial Medal.

**Note:** Please supply a digital photograph of the nominee on a CD to assist in award presentations should the nominee be successful.

### Nominee's Information

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone: AH \_\_\_\_\_ BH. \_\_\_\_\_ Mob \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

LSV Service/Club Membership Category \_\_\_\_\_

Current Life Saving Victoria Awards or Community Awards/Certificates held during 2008

(Please attach a listing of the Nominee's Life Saving Victoria awards and other relevant awards or certificates that will compliment this application)

A nominee may be a volunteer in any area of lifesaving including but not limited to:

- Patrolling lifesaving club activities
- Lifesaving Instruction
- Lifesaving assessment
- Lifesaving program delivery
- Lifesaving Administration
- Local area lifesaving activities
- Lifesaving training
- Lifesaving program development
- Lifesaving coaching
- Other volunteer lifesaving activities

Describe the Nominee's lifesaving volunteer contributions or achievements during 2008:

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Give details of how the Nominee accomplished the above contributions or achievements during 2008

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List the lifesaving volunteer positions (club or community level) held by the Nominee during 2008

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Other activities (club or community) undertaken by the Nominee during 2008 that would support the nomination:

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Life Saving Victoria volunteer State positions held by the Nominee during 2008

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Please list any future aims or objectives for the development of lifesaving held by the Nominee:

Community/Club level \_\_\_\_\_

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State level \_\_\_\_\_

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**IMPORTANT DATES**

- **Friday 23 January 2009** - Closing date for nominations
- **Thursday 5 February 2009** – Interviews conducted by the LSV Honours and Awards Committee

**LATE NOMINATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED**

**Note:** This form must be completed in full, and have supporting documents attached.

**Note:** Should the nomination be lodged by an affiliated Life Saving Club, the nomination form must be signed by the Club President.

**Club Endorsement**

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| Club name<br>_____ | President's name,<br>contact number and<br>signature<br>_____<br>Name<br>_____<br>Contact Number<br>_____<br>Signature | Date _____ |
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**State Endorsement**

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| State name<br>_____ | Name, position and<br>Signature of club<br>contact<br>_____<br>Name<br>_____<br>Position<br>_____<br>Signature | Date _____ |
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