Badges of Merit 2002

The JDCQ Badge of merit or 'BOM' was introduced by President Peter Tett in 2002.

The aim of this award was to recognise members who have contributed to the club in a variety of ways towards its success but might not necessarily enter competitions, organise events or accrue club points. The aim according to President Peter Tett was to encourage people to become involved, and acknowledge those who regularly assist the club. The BOM is open to everyone, even those currently serving on committees/sub-committees.

The first Badge of Merit awards were offered to eight recipients as recognition of these club members' contributions over time and to launch the new award. Subsequent BOM awards were to be limited to no more than three recipients each year so as not to devalue the award's worth.

Currently the club has several important events ahead in 2015 (40th anniversary) and 2016 (national rally in Qld) the club may need to consider those who contribute to the success of these events in terms of BOM awards. Efforts over time in building these events may need to be observed.

How the Badge of Merit works:
Nomination forms are placed in the magazine and distributed at club meetings and can now be placed on Facebook/ websites and in e-mails.

Club members nominate a person they feel deserves the award and they must provide a brief reason/description why.

Committee takes the nominations and reasons into account selecting the most outstanding.

Not all nominations received will receive an award as there is a limit to three unless it has been a 'special event' year requiring the efforts of many

A person receiving several nominations from a variety of members would certainly be awarded the BOM for that year

Usually a committee member collates and sorts the nominations with a brief description for the nomination for committee to review and badges subsequently given at the end of year Christmas parties.

year	Recipients
2002 First introduced by President Peter Tett	Peter Carlson John Butler Daryl Shaw Alan Marshman Tom and Irene Ross Dianne Fidler Peter Walsh
2003	Helen Smith Julie Brown Tony Herald
2004	Alice Duffy
2005	Peter Drew Keith & Di Fidler ✿ **(Please note that Di Fidler is the first to receive the BOM twice / once on her own and again with her husband)**
2006	Kay Challenor Bruce and Astrid Raines Kieran Lillis (1) Richard Andrews Lloyd and Lorraine Andersen Greg Alan Bob Lewis Bill McMonagle Clive Arnold Dave Wilmott Jim Lowe
2007	Tony Curtis
2008	Jim Bowden Bryan White
2009	David and Kate McKnight Debbie Duncan Ian and Vicky McKinney
2010	Kieran Lillis (2) ✿ **Please note Kieran is the 2nd person to receive two Badges of Merit)** Rob and Marilyn Hopkins
2011	Not awarded?? Richard Andrews
2012	Jim Bowden ✿ **Please note Jim is the 3rd person to receive two Badges of Merit)**
2013	Kevin Whalen (only one BOM awarded for 2013)
2014	Kate McKnight ✿ **Please note Kate is the 4th person to receive two Badges of Merit)** Peter and Lorraine Finn Alan Hannah
2015	Joy Cooper Terry and Di Cooper
2016	Robin Kup-Ferroth

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	Ian McKinney
	Vicki Mckinney
	Colin Pickering
	Bob Lewis
	Sherril Lewis
	Margaret Day
	Tony Brett
	Tony Nelson
	Clive Arnold
2017	David Wilmott
	Robin Todd
	Gary Clark
	Ray Hodges
2018	Alan Buller
	Paul and Josie Mittleheuser
	Phil Sperrin and Ruth Bodey
	June & Terry Whitehouse
	Chris Miers
	Wendy Gross
	Perry Rolton
2019	Lyn Evers
	Debbie Duncan
	Marie and Frank Smallcombe
2020	Gerry Ross
	No other recipients found
2021	Tony Nelson
	Neil Summerson
	Bruce and Janine Dascombe
	John and Marilyn Porter
	Lyn Wolzak
	Susan McAllister
	Ian and Vicki McKinney
	Paul and Josie Mittelhausen
	Barry Hancock
2022	Helen Rolton (JDCQ Man Ctte)
	Steve Williams (Cap)
	June Whitehouse (DD)
	Marie Buller (DD)
	Brian and Diana Hogan (GC)
	Warwick McAllister (Mackay)
	Tonny Wolzak (Mackay)
	Paul and Maree O'Grady (Mackay)
	John and Debbie Herbert (SC)
	Bob and Gaylene McLean (WBB)
2023	Ian and Janette Lind (Brisbane)
	Jim Bowden & Lucy Saunders (Brisbane)
	Gary and Jane Mickelson (Gold Coast)
	Susan Price (Sunshine Coast)
	Terry Whitehouse (Darling Downs)