

HMCCQ Club Champion 2018

The HMCCQ Club Champion Trophy is awarded annually, at the Club's AGM, to a member who has excelled in their contribution to the Club over the last 12 months. This year the Management Committee's chosen recipient was Doug Jolliffe from the Brisbane Area.

Doug has been an active Club member since 2003, attending rallies, building motorcycles and offering his considerable machining expertise to other Club members.

In 2017 Doug took on his first management role as Secretary of Brisbane Area. He excelled in this role, ensuring that information was disseminated at Club meetings, keeping excellent records and ensuring that meeting minutes and Journal notes were prepared and submitted on time.

In 2017 Doug also took on a key role in the Club's SIVS registration cost reduction campaign in conjunction with the Management Committee. He researched the facts that show how unfairly bikes in Queensland have been treated compared to other Queensland SIVS vehicles, and also compared to other States and countries. He lobbied politicians and kept the ball rolling generally. Hopefully we'll all be reaping the benefits of these efforts from 1 July this year.

Doug recently took on another key role in the Club – that of one of the main organisers and primary contact for the upcoming Veteran Centenary Rally, which promises to be one of the highlights on this year's Club calendar.

Doug unfortunately couldn't attend the AGM for personal reasons, so was presented the award at the Brisbane Area's March meeting. He received the perpetual Club Champion trophy, a framed certificate and a belt incorporating a specially engraved HMCCQ buckle.

Congratulations Doug.

Bill Stephens
HMCCQ Secretary