

Hamar Midgley Award Recipient 2022

Richard Wallace

Nomination Application

As Records Officer, please accept the nomination of Richard Wallace for the Hamar Midgley award.

About Richard Wallace

The North Queensland Fly Fishing Club has existed since 1999 and is focused on increasing access to fly fishing for all parties interested in learning the art of fly casting and catching fish on fly.

The club is inclusive, welcomes new members of all ability levels, and aims to cut through the complexities of fly fishing by making it both affordable and enjoyable. Club members include the young and old, male and female and members with disabilities. The club is inclusive and encourages new members by providing mentoring in the early stages.

The enjoyment and success of fly fishing are primarily determined by the ability to cast a fly rod comfortably and accurately. Having a casting instructor like Richard Wallace as a member of the NQFF club has provided many a high level of casting instruction.

Richard Wallace has been instrumental in coaching fly casting for the last decade. He has provided instruction from the Torres Straits to Brisbane to enthusiasts whether they are club members or not. Richard has continuously improved his casting prowess by focusing on achieving the Master Casting Instructor level with Fly Fishing International.

The benefits of this level of expertise are enormous. The achievements of club members are testimony to Richard's casting instruction and mentoring. Richard has mentored many novice fly fishermen in casting and flats fishing to a level that would have been unattainable without his assistance.

Richard Wallace is a certificated fly fishing casting instructor and has been providing instruction for over a decade.

Richard strives for continuous personal improvement in his fly casting and fishing techniques.

Richard gives a lot of his time to others to simplify the art of fly casting and fishing.

Richard is an ambassador for fly fishing and represents the very best of the sport.

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Best Regards, Kim Macpherson Secretary NQFF. 0427968247

