

AAI Munster Annual Star Awards System

(As and from 1st Jan. 2013 the following are the Munster Star Awards)

ALL ATHLETES MUST COMPETE IN MUNSTER CHAMPIONSHIPS TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR AN AWARD

The Awards

The following Awards shall be made annually:-

Juveniles: (Under 15 to Under 19 on 31st December in the year of Competition)

Two Awards per County; Best Boy and Best Girl (Using Points System) (Total Awards 12)

Cross Country; 1 Award per County (Using Points System) (Total Awards 6)

Junior: (Under 20 on 31st December in the year of Competition)

Best Junior Athlete 1 Male 1 Female (Using Points System) (Total Awards 2)

This Award will be decided on points from **Junior** Indoor, T/F and Cross Country C/Ships (Combined)

Under 23: (Over 20 and Under 23 on 31st December in the year of Competition)

Best U23 Athlete 1 Male 1 Female (Using Points System) (Total Awards 2)

This Award will be decided on points from **U23** Indoor, T/F and Cross Country C/Ships (Combined)

Senior: (All Athletes not Classified as Juvenile, Junior, U23, or Master)

Indoor and Track/ Field Best Male and Best Female (Using Points System) (Total Awards 2)

Cross Country and Road Best Male and Best Female (Using Points System) (Total Awards 2)

Novice & Intermediate Points will be included for these Awards

Masters:

Track/Field Best Male and Best Female (Master Points only) (Total Awards 2)

Cross Country Best Male and Best Female (Master Points only) (Total Awards 2)

International: (Non Juvenile)

This Award will be decided by the Selection Committee (Confined to Irish Based Athletes registered with Munster Clubs). Only performances in International Championships will be considered & all eligible athletes must have competed at their Munster Championships in the Award year.

Hall of Fame Award:

The Hall of Fame Award is selected by the County hosting the Awards Banquet. The recipient of this Award will be from that County & have served their County as an outstanding athlete/coach or made an enormous contribution to athletics in the County over the years. The Awards Banquet is held on a rota basis. The following rota to be adhered to - Waterford, Cork, Kerry, Tipperary, Clare and Limerick.

Patsy O' Connor Award:

The Patsy O'Connor Award is selected by the County hosting the Munster Convention. The recipient of this Award will be from that County & have served their County as an outstanding Officer/Official over the years. The Munster Convention is held on a rota basis. The following rota to be adhered to - Waterford, Cork, Kerry, Tipperary, Clare and Limerick.

Eligibility for Individual Awards;

Munster Championship performances only to be considered in all cases, except for the International Award but the recipient of the International Award must also have taken part in their Munster Championships in the Award year.

Athletes will be considered for awards in their own category only, but performances in other categories will also be considered as follows:-

Cross Country and Road Novice & Intermediate performances will be considered for Senior Awards

Selection and Selectors;

The Selection Committee to consist of Council Chairman, Council Secretary, and all Council Competition Secretaries. All Selections shall be made by Mid-December where possible.

Awards Ceremony;

All individual Awards shall be presented annually, at a banquet which will be held on a rota basis.

The following rota to be adhered to - Waterford, Cork, Kerry, Tipperary, Clare, and Limerick.

The banquet shall be held in the months of January or February.

The host County will be responsible for the arranging of the banquet, including the banquet booklet, in consultation with the Munster Council. The Munster Council will be responsible for the awards and the complimentary tickets for individual award winners and a representative from each "Best Club " award winner, along with any other guests the Council may wish to invite.

Sponsorship;

The host County may acquire sponsorship for the banquet but this must not be in conflict with any Munster Sponsorship. The ideal here would be joint sponsorship between the host County and the Munster Council.

Munster Star Awards

Indoor & Track and Field Juvenile Awards

Clare	1 Male	1 Female
Cork	1 Male	1 Female
Kerry	1 Male	1 Female
Limerick	1 Male	1 Female
Tipperary	1 Male	1 Female
Waterford	1 Male	1 Female

Indoor & Track and Field Senior Awards

Senior Men
Senior Women

Master Men
Master Women

International Award

Hall of Fame Award

Patsy O'Connor Officer Award

Club Awards

Indoor	Juvenile Junior/Senior Master
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Track & Field	Juvenile Junior/Senior Masters
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County Awards

Indoor & T/F	Juvenile
Indoor & T/F	Senior
Indoor & T/F	Masters

Munster Star Awards

Juvenile Cross Country Awards

Clare	1 Award
Cork	1 Award
Kerry	1 Award
Limerick	1 Award
Tipperary	1 Award
Waterford	1 Award

Senior Cross Country and Road Awards

Senior Men
Senior Women

Master Men
Master Women

Junior / U23 Awards Indoor Track/Field and Cross Country (combined)

Junior Men
Junior Women

Under 23 Men
Under 23 Women

Cross Country / Road Club Awards

Best Juvenile X- Country Club

Overall Senior Club X- Country & Road

Masters Club X- Country & Road

Cross Country County Awards

Best Juvenile County

Best Senior County