



JIMMY MILLARD TROPHY

1. INTRODUCTION.

The Trophy is awarded to a competitor who has made a contribution to the sport over and above their competition record. It is not bound by age, but is to recognise the sporting spirit of the individual. It has been presented in memory of Jimmy Millard who was a founder member of the MG Car Club Ireland and a competitor and official from the 1950s onward.

2. ELIGIBILITY.

The award is open to any holder of a current competition licence for any branch of the sport Except for:

2.1. Any individual who has been awarded the Sexton or Billy Coleman trophies, or has been on the top three short list for these awards in the current year or any of the previous 3 years.

2.2. Any individual who is a current member of the Motorsport Council or who was a member in the previous year.

Canvassing of affiliated clubs or any member of the selection panel will disqualify.

3. NOMINATION.

Affiliated clubs may make a nomination for any competitor who fulfils the criteria in 2 above.

The nomination must be a brief citation of the individual's achievements both as a competitor and in his other contributions to the sport. Ideally the nomination should be no more than one A4 page.

4. SELECTION PANEL.

A panel consisting of a nomination by each of the specialist commissions (not Advisory Groups) will consider the club nominations and decide the award.

4.1. The panel will decide the award on the information contained in the nomination; no interview stage is involved.

5. CONVENING THE PANEL.

The Motorsport Council will nominate one of its members to oversee the work of the Selection Panel and certify the voting of the Panel.



IVAN WEBB MEMORIAL TROPHY

1. The definition of a worthy winner of the Ivan Webb Memorial Award has been decided as: “a person, male or female, who in the opinion of the Selection Committee has contributed in a significant way to the support or promotion of Irish Motorsport during the past year or over a number of years”.
2. It is the intention that the winner generally be a resident of the whole island of Ireland or has some strong connections with the whole island; but it should still be possible, in exceptional circumstances, to present the award to someone outside this definition whom it is strongly felt deserves to be made the recipient of such an Irish award. A list of previous winners is included in Appendix 20.
3. The Selection Committee is to be made up of the Chairpersons (or their nominee, authorised in writing) of all the discipline Commissions of Motorsport Ireland and the Chair of this Selection Committee will be decided by the Committee each year. This Chairman will have the casting vote in the event of any tie. There will also be a Convenor, decided from year to year by the Motorsport Council, who will act as a facilitator for the selection process.
4. The Hon. Secretary of each affiliated Club is asked to submit the name of a candidate chosen by the Club, and this name will be added to a list which will be put to the Selection Committee; one submission only to be allowed to each Club. How each Club picks its candidate is a matter for the Club.
5. The method to be used by the Selection Committee will be that each member will vote for the candidates giving a mark from 1 up to whatever number is the total number of candidates. The marks for each candidate will be totalled and the six candidates with the lowest number of marks will be subjected to another ballot. This ballot will be held in the same manner as the first. The names of first runner-up and winner will be submitted to the President of the Motorsport Council.
6. The Ivan Webb Memorial Trophy will be awarded to the winner at Motorsport Ireland’s Champions of Irish Motorsport Awards in December each year.
7. All affiliated Clubs are encouraged to participate enthusiastically in this selection process in order that all clubs support the process of selection and that the most appropriate candidate can be selected as a winner.
8. The Ivan Webb Memorial Trophy is presented annually in memory of Ivan Webb who tragically lost his life in an aircraft accident in 1972 shortly after being elected Chairman of the Competitions Committee of the RIAC.
9. Canvassing of affiliated clubs or any member of the selection commission will disqualify.