

2017 JACK CHEETHAM & LETSEMA AWARDS NOMINATIONS NOW OPEN!

Murray & Roberts, in partnership with the South African Sports Confederation and Olympic Committee (SASCOC), is pleased to invite nominations for the 2017 Jack Cheetham & Letsema Awards.

ABOUT THE AWARDS

Jack Cheetham Memorial Award

The Jack Cheetham Memorial Award was initiated by Murray & Roberts 37 years ago in recognition of the special qualities of Jack Cheetham, a former director of the company and the inspirational captain of the South African cricket team in the 1950s.

The award recognises and rewards development projects with individuals or teams that have the potential to be champions. The Jack Cheetham Award is presented annually, to projects that the selection panel believes have contributed most to development in their sporting codes in South Africa and that represent the qualities of leadership and excellence.

Letsema Award

The Letsema Award was launched in 2009 to recognise development projects for sports people with disabilities. It is also presented annually to projects that demonstrate the qualities of leadership, excellence and commitment, for the benefit of people with disabilities.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION

To be eligible for nomination, a sports project must demonstrate a meaningful contribution to the development of sport in South Africa and must benefit previously disadvantaged individuals.

Nominations in all sporting codes are considered but preference is given to sporting codes that do not attract high levels of funding.

Factors such as sports excellence, inspirational leadership and future sustainability are important criteria.

Organizations that that have previously won the first prize in either category may only be nominated again in the year after they receive their final payment.

PRIZE

The value of the 2017 awards will be allocated as follows, for both the Jack Cheetham & Letsema Award:

Winner **R500 000** over five years

Runner-up **R150, 000** over three years

2nd Runner-up **R 75, 000** over two years



For more information about the awards visit
www.jclawards.co.za

CLOSING DATE – 19 June 2017

Visit www.jclawards.co.za or www.sascoc.co.za to download the 2017 Nomination Form. Forms can also be requested by emailing awardsinfo@murrob.com

2017 JACK CHEETHAM & LETSEMA AWARDS NOMINATION FORM

Name of nominated organisation: _____

NPO/CBO registration number: _____

Date established: _____

Sporting code or Federation e.g. hockey / cricket: _____

Which award are you being nominated for? (Please tick the appropriate box)

Jack Cheetham Award

Letsema Award

Contact person: _____

Designation/role: _____

Physical address: _____

Province: _____

Telephone number: _____

Fax number: _____

Email address: _____

Website: _____

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1. Please provide an overview of the organisation, e.g. date established, objectives etc.
2. Provide a brief description of the sports project/s being implemented by the organisation.
3. Who are the beneficiaries/ participants of the project and how are they identified or selected?
4. How many beneficiaries does the project impact, through either outreach or high performance projects?
5. How does the project benefit or impact the beneficiaries (individuals, teams or communities)? Share some examples if possible.
6. Does the organisation have a development programme and how is this implemented?
7. Is there scope for high performance athletes within the programme? What opportunities are high performance athletes exposed to?
8. Do athletes participate in any competitions (district, provincial or national)? Please provide a few examples of such competitions as well as achievements at these competitions.
9. Are there specific individuals within the project that display strong leadership qualities (administrators and athletes) and how does this assist the team to achieve its goals and objectives?
10. What are some of the challenges experienced and how does the team deal with these challenges?
11. Does the organisation / project have one or more sponsors? If yes, please provide details about the amount of funding received as well as the duration of funding.
12. Does your club have a bank account? If yes, please provide details of the administration and governance systems that are in place to ensure that funds are well managed and accounted for.
13. Please share some of the future plans or aspirations of the team.
14. Has your Club achieved/received any significant awards or recognition over the last three years?
15. How will the Jack Cheetham or Letsema Award prize money assist your project or team in the future?

Completed nominations must provide responses for all questions. Additional information, photos etc. can be attached to your nomination form.

Nomination forms must be submitted to:

E: awardsinfo@murrob.com or clifford@sascoc.co.za

F: 011 455 3511 or 086 673 5884

Telephonic queries can be directed to

011 456 6336

Shortlisted organisations will be invited to present their projects to the 2017 Selection Panel