



Disabilities in Football - Player Achievement Award (David Cantoni Medal)

Each year the *Disabilities in Football - Player Achievement Award* (David Cantoni Medal) is presented to a Western Australian player who has stood out with their performance and contribution to our sport in the last 12-months.

These are the previous winners:

2019 Winner: Emily Casella, player for Special Olympics Australia team, WA Special Olympics team and Tuart Hill JSC

2018 Winner: Alessandro La Verghetta, player for Australian Pararoos, Captain of WA Paras and Noranda City FC.

2017 Winner: Jarrod Nathan, player for Western Knights SC.

2016 Winner: Christopher Johnstone, Lynwood United FC player.

2015 Winner: Christopher Minutillo, player for Special Olympics Australia Team, WA Paralympic Football and Cockburn City Soccer Club.

2014 Winner: Christopher Cairns, player for Western Knights SC in both junior and senior Equal Footingball Division Teams.

2013 Winner: Christopher Minutillo, player for WA Paralympic Football, Special Olympics Western Australia Team, Cockburn City Soccer Club.

Note: Official / Volunteer of Year Award merged with overall sport's equivalent award from 2012

2012 David Cantoni Medal (Achievement as a Player) Winner: Michael Debenham, WA Paralympic Football Player and Australian Pararoo.

2012 Contribution as an Official or Volunteer Award : Luke Jurcevic , Western Knights SC Coach, local education support centres coach, supporter of Powerchair Football program.

2011 David Cantoni Player Achievement Award: Chris Barty, player for WA Paralympic Football and Australian Pararoos.

2011 Contribution as an Official or Volunteer Award: David Cantoni, WA Paralympic Football Coach