

PEOPLE & PLACES

2017 Penrith Valley Sports Foundation Sports Star of the Year awards

2017 AWARD WINNERS:

- Sports Administration Award: Natalie Bradbury, St Clair Hawks Cricket Club.
- All Abilities Award: Sarah Keenahan, swimming.
- Coach Award: Jaqua Heddle, netball.
- Team of the Year Award: Penrith City U19s Men's softball team.
- Volunteer Award: Ryan Knowles, hockey.
- Referee/Jumpire Award: Emma Kocbeck, soccer.
- Jim Anderson Memorial Award: Doug Hayne, PVSF
- Junior Sports Star of the Year: Hannah Darlington, cricket.
- Rising Star Award: Jack Benson, swimming.
- Senior Sports Star of the Year: Tahlia Tupaea, basketball.
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STARS RECOGNISED

More than 120 people gathered at Panthers on Friday, September 1 for the presentation of this year's Penrith Valley Sports Foundation's annual Sports Star of the Year awards. Full story, p28.



Swimmer Sarah Keenahan was presented with the All Abilities Award by Alan Bentley of Nepean Swim and Fitness and Foundation vice-president Lynn Deuis.



Swimmer Jack Benson received the Rising Star Award from Complete Recruiting Solutions compliance coordinator Britney Darcy and Foundation treasurer Steve Hardy.