

Night of Champions - 2008

29th November 2008

The 2008 Night of Champions was a great success with Champions and their supporters coming from all over our great State to participate and be celebrated. From all reports, everyone had a fantastic evening with everything going exactly to plan. All of the Champions and award winners received their prize up on the stage and were given a round of applause by their peers.

There were some fantastic prizes given away on the evening and even a Honda Z50 Monkey Bike raffled off, all done to raise money for the Westmead Children's Hospital. With a total of over \$13,000 raised.

Motorcycling NSW would like to express their many thanks to our Sponsors for the evening, without their support the night could not have possibly gone so well. Please view the Motorcycling NSW website for a list of the Sponsors and help to support those who support our sport.

Photo's of the evening will be coming up for sale very soon, have a look and purchase at your leisure.

We would like to thank those of you who wrote into the office to express your gratitude and positive thoughts for a job well done, the staff have been reading all of the e-mails, letters and cards and are grateful for your kind words. We have listed some of these below for all to see.

We would love to see all of our State Champions come and celebrate with us in 2009, now back to the drawing board and let's make next years even better!

Words of Appreciation:

I attended Saturday night's MNSW Night of Champions, and I would like to thank everyone at MNSW for a great night.

The venue, meals and entertainment were great, and I really enjoyed the opportunity to talk to people from different racing disciplines. Although we didn't have much choice given the poor attendance by the road race community. Hopefully next year more riders and family from the road race scene will attended.

Jason

Mark, Daniel and I would like to take this opportunity to thank and congratulate you and your staff for all the hard work that obviously went into organising 'The Night of Champions' presentation evening recently. We believe a great night was had by all and hope the event becomes an Annual Event for the Motorcycling NSW Calendar. What a great way to acknowledge and recognise those who have excelled in their chosen discipline. Again Well Done.

Anna

We had a wonderful night watching these young people on stage where they should be, the work that you girls put into the event was noticeable. It was truly a wonderful night. I dint recognise some people, what a difference it makes away from the tracks. The girls from the office looked wonderful. We had the pleasure of sitting with the Leeton Club, and I am glad that they won club of the year. What a lovely group of people.

Anne

Well a big congratulations to all the great staff that put together such a awesome night on Saturday. It was so fantastic to see so many people attend the Night Of Champions and what a great reward for all the recipients who try so hard all year to be recognised in front of such a huge crowd, and seeing so many of our Club members on the stage was very exciting. Again congratulations on a job well done such a successful night.

Kym

Allow me to congratulate you, the Board members, Daniel, Kerrie and all the staff for a wonderful evening at Panthers last Saturday night. It was a credit to everyone and the volume of work would have been enormous. The end result was an outstanding achievement for all involved and you certainly got the deserved outcome. It was a great promotion of our sport. Once again Beverley and I thank you for the invitation and hospitality.

Kevin and Beverley

The night seemed to go off without a hitch, you and your staff did a great job organising the run sheet and all the award winners. I hope everyone had a good time and even you could enjoy it when it was all over.

Terry

CONGRATULATIONS WHAT A GREAT NIGHT!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

It was well worth all your hard work.

Jan

Thank you for a very enjoyable evening on Saturday night. Everything appeared to go well and the entire staff did a fabulous job. Congratulations to all involved.

Graham

Congratulations on the night, for what it is worth, I think you and your team did extremely well.

Bill

Thankyou all for a wonderful evening on Saturday last. Evenings such as this will benefit Motorcycling generally in NSW. 'CONGRATULATIONS'

Ron and Wendy

I would like to say thank you very much too all involved.

Zaine

Thank you all for the enormous effort and energy which made the Night of Champions such a wonderful and most memorable night. And Thank You for your support of my nomination for the official of the year.

Tim

The MNSW night of Champions was the BEST thing ever done by MNSW or its forerunner the Auto Cycle Union of NSW. Congratulations, you and your staff ALL Champions. An outstanding night, we have an office to be proud of. I am elated. Thank you.....

John

Just a short note to say thank you and congratulations on such a great night. A lot of hard work and time have obviously gone on behind the scenes. It's just what the sport needed. Again well done and congratulations to all. A great step forward.

Craig, Sharon and Cameron.

MNSW conducted the inaugural Night of Champions awards dinner and Panthers on Saturday night, November 29. 520 Guests all enjoyed congregating in the one venue at the same time listing to the three special guests, Wayne Gardner our World Champion for 87, Shaun Giles 3 time Australian Superbike Champion and Chris Holder under 21 runner up and current NSW and Australian Speedway champion. Listening to their experiences was worth the admission price alone. The food was fantastic with the beer and wine flowing through till the 11pm cut off where our bus departed panthers and headed for home. Well done and congratulations to all the winners and recipients of the awards, special congratulations to my mate John Langfield but the credit is for Daniel Gatt and the staff of MNSW for putting on such a fantastic evening. Hope we do it again next year.

Paul