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G.O.A.T. AWARD

The Cricket Hall of Fame's G.O.A.T. – Greatest of all time award recognizes individuals who have made significant & outstaning contributions to the sport of cricket.

HISTORY:

First in the world, established in 1980 under the Sportsmen's Club, which was founded in 1963. The Organization celebrates an Induction ceremony every year on the first Saturday of October each year. The Cricket Hall of Fame and Sportsmen's club are both in Hartford, CT. USA.

Since 1981, The Cricket Hall of fame has awarded 323 heroes with 342 awards and counting. Over all 252 Inductees (73 International & 179 others), 70 Presidential awards. Many Certificate of appreciations and achievements.

Since 2011, 12 Lifetime Achievement awards.

2027 - **G.O.A.T. – Greatest of all time award will be the highest Honor (Award)**

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

While specific eligibility requirements are not publicly listed, but honorees typically exhibit one or more of the following:

- A long-standing commitment to cricket as a coach, administrator, educator, or community leader (both domestically and internationally).
- A profound impact on the development and promotion of cricket.
- A history of volunteerism, mentorship, and service to cricket organizations and youth programs.
- Induction into the Cricket Hall of Fame superseded with Lifetime Achivement award is a must. (Only Lifetime Awardees are eligible)
- G.O.A.T. – Greatest of all time typically implies a Lifetime Achievement Awardee with the minimum age 60 years.
- Must be a retired from full-time work or any professional role or activity related to Cricket.

SELECTION PROCESS:

The selection process is overseen by the Cricket Hall of Fame Committee, who review candidates' lifelong contributions to the sport. Nominees are honored at the annual induction ceremony with Cricket Hall of Fame Certificate and other citations.

HOW TO BE CONSIDERED:

Candidate must have Lifetime Achievement Award from Cricket Hall of fame. Anyone can nominate (including self nomination). Please consider reaching out to the Cricket Hall of Fame to inquire about the nomination process. You can visit the Cricket Hall of Fame's official website (www.crickethof.org or www.crickethofmuseum.org) to learn about upcoming events and nomination opportunities.

Contact: Michael Chambers at +1-860 250 2796.

NOMINATION FEES:

A $750.00 non-refundable processing fee as donation must be sent with a copy of the person's biography with CV and resume are preferred.

The committee will review the information submitted, conduct its own research, and decide on whether the candidate meets the requirements for induction. If accepted, sponsors are then sought for the inductee. **If the candidate is not selected, the $750.00 processing fee as donation will be refunded.**

SPONSORS:

Individuals or groups submitting names of nominees must be prepared to assist the nominees in completing the process up to the night of their award. Assistance may include helping the candidate with accommodation and transportation, selling advertisements for the souvenir booklet, and requesting public officials to contribute citations in honor of the nominee. Does not apply for self nomination.

PROGRAM BOOKLET:

Sponsors are required to solicit at least $1500 in advertisement for the program booklet and to secure a table at the function. Cricket Hall of Fame program booklet also known as annual Journals (Printed copies and digital format is available online). Does not apply for self nomination.

CRICKET HALL OF FAME – RING (HONOR)

The Hall of Fame ring is a must be purchased, costing approximately $?.00 (Vary due to current GOLD cost). If you candidate alreast has one – no need to purchase again.

CRICKET HALL OF FAME – BLAZER (HONOR)

The blazer costs $175, and the tie is $30. If you candidate alreast has one – no need to purchase again.

SPONSORS RESPONSIBILITIES:

Sponsors are responsible for airfare to and from the event, hotel accommodations, stipends if necessary, purchase of the ring, tie, and a full-page advertisement on behalf of the nominee in the program booklet ($1500). Additionally, sponsors are recommended to solicit (10) people from purchasing a table at the induction ($1500). Does not apply for self nomination.

REMARK:

All details are as of the 45th induction ceremony during 2026. The Cricket Hall of Fame Board and committee reserve the right to change, modify, accept, approve, or decline any terms and criteria or requirements for the G.O.A.T. – Greatest Of All Time Award *process.*