



Great Sporting Moments

Throughout our nation's history there have been many outstanding sporting moments that collectively contribute a significant thread to the Australian sporting tapestry.

The Sport Australia Hall of Fame recognises the importance of acknowledging and celebrating these sporting moments and in 2007 introduced the 'Great Sporting Moments'. In the inaugural year, three such moments were 'enshrined' after the public voted through a national News Limited (now News Corp Australia) poll.

Each year The Sport Australia Hall of Fame Selection Committee have nominated outstanding moments to be recognised in The Hall of Fame 'Spirit of Sport' exhibit at the National Sports Museum.

GREAT SPORTING MOMENTS	
Moment	Year Awarded
Kerryn McCann's 2006 Melbourne Commonwealth Games Women's Marathon win	2015
Phar Lap winning the 1930 Melbourne Cup	2014
Betty Cuthbert winning the 400m title at the 1964 Tokyo Olympic Games	2014
Dawn Fraser winning her third consecutive 100m Olympic freestyle title at the 1964 Tokyo Olympic Games	2014
Sydney 2000 Olympic Games bid announcement	2013
Stephen Bradbury's Olympic winter Games 1000m speed skating win	2013
Australia Women's Water Polo team win at the Sydney 2000 Olympic Games	2013
Australia's final leg in the 4 x 100m freestyle relay - Sydney 2000 Olympic Games	2012
Peter Norman's black power statement - 1968 Olympic Games, Mexico	2012
Cadel Evans' historic victory in the 2011 Tour de France	2011
Catherine Freeman's 400m gold medal at the 2000 Sydney Olympic Games	2011
Shane Warne's ball to dismiss Mike Gatting in 1993	2010
An act of sportsmanship - John Landy	2010
Kieren Perkins 1500m freestyle gold medal against the odds at the 1996 Atlanta Games	2009
Damian Oliver's tribute to his brother on winning the 2002 Melbourne Cup on Media Puzzle	2008
Sydney Swans win the 2005 AFL Premiership via Leo Barry's mark on the siren	2007
Australia II wins yachting's America's Cup in 1983	2007
Australia defeated Uruguay in 2005 to qualify for soccer's 2006 World Cup	2007

