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'OPERATOR' - THE PINNACLE AWARD

Based on a points system the Operator Award is bestowed on the one person who has accumulated the most points in a calendar year. Points are accumulated in several ways including attendance to club games, larger club events, competitions, working bees, tech sessions and any other activities that the club runs that has reward points for 'Operator' associated to it. This is a most prestigious award and the club is proud to have such deserving recipients representing the sport amongst its members.

'DIGNITY BE DAMNED' AWARD

The member who literally threw themselves into games and played fairly and in the spirit of the sport. They display a great collaborative and supportive spirit to new and older members both on and off the field... a great asset to the club and they truly honor the principles of the sport of airsoft. They also most likely got shot to shit in the process and did all manner of crazy shit that got noticed and likely went home thinking 'My life sucks but thanks to airsoft the special effects are awesome'. In another world this would be deemed the players player, but not here cuz we ain't so lame to call it that.

'BADASSERY' AWARD

For the member who in the course of the year, in one badass action brought about by accident or by cunning design, stood out and firmly imprinted into the minds of those around them that they are truly a dedicated skirmish guru or batshit crazy airsoft freak.

Their star will continue to shine brightly for a year until it's extinguished and replaced by an even more ingeniously executed or accidentally manufactured badassery action of another member.

'SNAFU' AWARD

For the club member who in the calendar year who in one action or over several actions managed to epically exhibit how not to play the sport. This category is wide and can encompass broad examples of actions that could easily fall within those outcomes seen in 'Fail Army' but this member exclusively owns this within in the P.A.C. club under the title of 'SNAFU - Situation Normal All Fucked Up'. It's suggested they should not under any circumstance have children and if they do they should invest in stronger condoms or just go for the money shot.

'HRC FURY' (AKA - HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON) AWARD

For the club member who in the calendar year is considered the one person you fear most on the field and who's fury, when unleashed, is fast, brutal and often unexpected.

With this person when they play, you expect that hell hath no fury quite like theirs, just the same as when Hillary is caught in another lie. You accept that when you trade rounds with them it will be a violent and ugly contact and that you will just become another number in their long and bloody body count. They are a super efficient 'hit' machine with no mercy and no moral compass.





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SNAFU: QUINTIN TOMLINSON

In a similar manoeuvre which occurred during WW2, this is when the SS Queen Mary was coming into an Irish port. A British Cruiser had popped out to escort her in, and in the course of operations zigged when it should have zagged. And at a brisk 28 knots, that's about 52kph btw, the SS Queen Mary carved the said cruiser cleanly in two.

Fun fact.. the Queen Mary always travelled without escorts across the Atlantic as she was too fast for them... and Hitler also had a bounty on her... and the cruiser was the HMS Curaçao, look it up... I digress

Similarly, Quintin managed to take himself out, when he at significant speed, zigged into not a moving tree, but a motionless unassuming tree.. funny enough unlike the cruiser Quinton does not have 6 inch armour plate and neither did the tree... but what the Queen Mary, just like the tree, had going for it was mass, size and speed which when factored into a collision doesn't end well for the smaller party regardless of the amount of armour plate. And we all know mass, size and variable speed matters don't we! It would also appear from this encounter that Quintin must be quite rapid over the ground to enable himself to do so much damage in just one high speed collision, as we all have come to believe and understand that snipers spend most of their time snaking around on their bellies and barely get into a jog. So that's that myth destroyed.

So lots of surprises and a busted up body in this encounter. One could perhaps think that this was as a result of the tree being in Quintin's blind spot.. but let's be honest... and Quintin would agree... there's no room for excuses on this, you fucked up. So well done mate... you've mended well... the entire pine forest tree is probably still quietly pissing itself, and don't screw up like that again or we may be forced to find a playing field in sand dunes.

And open your only eye properly next time before you zig



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HRC FURY: CAMERON ANTROBUS

First comments by the person that submitted this nomination were:

He's a bloody great shot. I have never won an encounter when I come up against Cameron. I guess that would be called good execution on his behalf.

Bestowed with a shit tonne of experience in airsoft this has in turn earned Cam huge amounts of respect on the field and as we know experience counts for a lot.. especially in airsoft as it enables players to be able to read and adapt to the actions and environment around them.. conversely it can make, and sorry to any newbies, easy targets of new players... so just like Hillary, picking off easy prey is a formality in Cam's MO.

He's not one to flinch from a contact and you just have to watch him on the field and realize his MO is pretty direct and surgical when he administers some retribution. Milsim games bring out Cam's objective-based, tip of the spear type style which in turn transforms him into that type of foe that you know is going to turn your day a bit of a shitter.

In skirmish games it's a lottery sometimes but Cam has some solid numbers in his favour so don't be betting against him.

In the context of this award this is akin to a bit of a hand in glove fit... although unlike the sometimes unhinged Hillary you don't ever see him having any rage explosions or meltdowns.

And the Antrobus bodycount and total kills in airsoft though is probably exponentially higher than her tally as well.



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HRC FURY: CASEY GILBERT

Have you ever been in one of games where the opposing team finds themselves talking about 2 or 3 players all getting killed quite suspiciously... accidentally team killed maybe?, but no one can connect the dots??

For each kill they're not even sure where the kill shot came from? Maybe this is just part of what we shall dub "The Gilbert Chronicles".

Casey as a nominee for HRC Fury we are framing your MO like this. Almost a selfish single minded kill mentality. Quite merciless in the execution of plays on the field.. one might even call some of those executions covert and outright sneaky. Its can be as simple as simply bloody well hiding in not very big bushes and ambushing the front line or allowing the victims enter a kill zone then dispose of them systematically.

Casey is most definitely that type of player who is quite happy biding her time in a well chosen LUP, and her size pretty much allows her to vanish into most nooks and crannies, and at a moment of choosing, unleash.

One should not underestimate your compactness, and the rage inside we think is well bottled. But when unleashed, in your mind at least, its really just another time for you to 'fuck someone's day up'.

Casey is utterly fearless but unlike Hillary, manages plays within the rules. Part of her repertoire now that she has taken quite a shine to the use of grenades... which just adds to that 'unexpected 'X' factor in her kill or be killed gaming style. Don't be trying to show me up tho...

Hillary.. you perhaps have your heir apparent in Casey.



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HRC FURY: STAN DONKIN

From the nominator:

Stan and his fucking HPA!

More often than not I seem to run into him and find myself being nailed, which in turn has the brain spinning up a Plan B idea that I should be trying to find him and get the bastard back.

That thought process is flawed though as hes fucking sneaky... doesn't move about a whole lot but can get himself into some really strategic positions from which to 'send it' with effect, and with that HPA platform of his it has the ability to reach out further than most pews, which just accentuates his lethality.

So that Plan B for retributions sake is quite futile and flawed.

Without a doubt everyone sitting here has probably muttered under their breath, while shaking their head, on the walk back to spawn 'fucking Stan'. This is actually a compliment and praise to his lethality and accuracy... he is a bang on shot!

The only thing better than being shot by him, is snorting crack off a hookers ass... and Hunter Biden would agree, but most people probably won't ever do that, so face it, getting smoked by Stan is probably the best thing that could ever happen to you.

If I had to pick an unassuming person who had the skills and who could reach out and just vanquish anyone, and who also had the tools and whereforall to do it quietly, effectively and efficiently, Stan would be the prick who could do it in PAC. Stan is that type of hitman.

Hillary would have him near the top of her 'go to' silent assassin list



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HRC FURY: MYLES MAGLASANG

Now this isn't any definition of man love.. at least I hope it isn't otherwise the person nominating should come clean and climb out of the closet now.

'Man he's awesome. I always trust him to hold his own when he's on my team and I'm always looking for him when I'm against tough players to come up against. He also thrives on those challenging skirmishes that really need that added x factor to keep that forward momentum going in a game.

And I love that about him... he's calm, agile, really smooth, sharp on tactics and pretty humble.. but also confident. Did I say hes awesome?

I'd have to suggest that in Myles, PAC has one of the most efficient and respected killing reputations going around.

Short story... you know if you've been 'Maglasand'ed' because its going to be unexpected, super quick and hes most likely going to be laughing to himself about how easy it was.

The sass and unmitigated gall of the guy puts him right up there with Hillary... throw in some brazen boldness with some brash self-confidence. There you have some sort of bad juju coming your way.

But I'd pick him over her in her heyday, anyday!! ... did I mention hes awesome?'



'DIGNITY BE DAMNED'



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DIGNITY BE DAMNED: LEITH BARNETT

Players are always aware of him in any games. Yapping away, always leading, shouting this n that hoping someones taking his wisdom on board, always helping others, cursing, giving others stick in a fun way.

Fortunately for him hes a likable bloke and a very team oriented player so he manages to get away with all of the tripe he dishes out.. but hey sometimes it works so that makes Leith a winner.

This nomination should be especially considered, as Leiths joining PAC is relatively short but his actions on and off the field (like garage chin wags) suggests he has been in the sport for much longer... hell hes definately gone nearly balls out to aquire some nice kit which makes him look like a long timer in the sport.

Evidence of his immersion into all aspects of airsoft was when he took on the leadership of Charlie Squad at OPAF.. to great effect and even when separated he led a small squad deep into enemy territory and while the enemy were milling about essentially wipes the asses of 2/3 of them.. only to have the superior weight of enemy numbers have them tactically withdraw pronto like and have a great laugh about it afterwards.

He continues this sort of leadership style into PAC games. Leith has a great attitude and is a great ambassador for airsoft that newcomers can definitely follow.

His enthusiasm is out there for all to see and is a timely reminder of the great people that you can meet playing airsoft. There are alot of Leiths' in PAC's ranks but there is only one Leith. And you'll never ever ever ever hear him giving his missus orders.. cuz it simply doesnt work that way at his place.



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DIGNITY BE DAMNED: DEAN AN

Dean is another addition to the PAC family whose relatively new to airsoft but from the get go he's been observed to always been a fair player who helps out where and when he can.

He displays astute and effective leadership and this was observed in Op New Real Estate where he front footed alot of the missions and actions. This 'picking up' of the reins from such an early point of his involvement typifies the type of person and player Dean is. Hes confident and has natural leadership quality that somehow oozes from his pores.

Hes rarely flustered.. and is your consummate 'stay frosty' and 'thinking' leader. He has become quite known for squaring up opposition in the field and letting them 'efficiently' have it with what one might be able to describe as some pretty 'educated' shot selection skills.

You can see how hes progressed in PAC with him turning up with a heavy as fuck L85... which was nice till it broke.. now its an M4. Which proves everyone has a learning curve and theres alot of learning done in airsoft, including passing on learnings which Dean does in spades... one of them is dont buy an L85!

Dean is an all round pretty friendly fella and we think his nice guy demeanor is probably really just a cloaking device for hiding a 'bring it on bitches' type attitude.



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DIGNITY BE DAMNED: TIM CHARLESWORTH

Mr Charlesworth... Tim.

One might assume he came up with the title for this award. But no, dignity is often the last thing Tim is about when flinging pew pew orbs or just milling around the scene chewing the cud with members.

Tim says it like it is on and off the field..., sometimes its an absolute scream and other times its blunt and on point. Which might be a good callsign for him... 'Blunt?'

Theres a huge amount of respect for that type of attitude though... it rolls into the committee as well... which in of itself is also a great for the governance of the club. Its also a good thing meetings aren't transcribed in any fashion!

With Tim a bit of the 'devil be damned' attitude exists on the field.. which is evidenced by his desire to take fire and fling it straight back, as well as the odd choice comment sometimes.... totally Tim.

Some days even we think even the devil sits back and admires Tims work. He is a great dude, super helpful to everyone around him, and thats undisputed. And with Tim you just know that with his military background you just know to respect his presence.

And we shit you not, no one has ever seen him happier than when he was shoe horned into a firing position fabricated on the back of a Jimny by Dog at Faction Wars.. toting a don't fuck with me 249 LMG, and people did... which was a mistake on their behalf eye Tim.

Tim loveees airsoft, the PAC family and a fag.



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DIGNITY BE DAMNED: MARK IRELAND-SPICER

From the contributor for this award:

Mark has always been seen to call his hits, he applauds great plays and generally encourages all of those around him.

He always throws himself headlong to the business end at the front of his team usually laying down fire and trying to bend the enemies defense.. which usually finds him in the middle of a huge exchange of bbs.

If hes hit.. and it happens a bit!.... it's rinse and repeat and he will be back up there doing it all over again 2 minutes later... which might be called a mistake in some peoples mind .. but with Marks philosophy, we think its... forget about the mistake, and remember the lesson. And try not to screw up the same way again.

Hes a terrific advocate and tutor of airsoft ... keen as mustard and crazy enough to pull off some quite frenetic encounters to advance his teams objectives.

Al-round Mark is a great team player whos smile and chatty cheerful personality always shines through.. even if his team has been rolled bowled n ass-holed or hes become part of the semi permanent scenery around a spawn point.



'BADASSERY'



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BADASSERY: NOAH IRELAND-SPICER

From the contributor for this award:

In an event playing at CTAs field, Noah took it on himself to 'lay into' an attacking force in his own little way by finding a nice little ambush spot that allowed him to efficiently clear up four members of the attacking team in one concentrated volley of shots.

CTA responses that it was a sneaky little encounter.. but in fairness to Noah, the location wasn't hugely invisible, in fact it was really just a pallet or two... Noah would argue it was sheer prowess, gile and cunning... and of course Badassery to the fore.

Noah's participation at nats and lethality in the quick skirmishing encounters is possibly where this example of efficient badassery blossomed.

Any team that has Noah in it can rely on his agility and ability to sustain a barrage of fire to suppress and nulify the enemy while allowing others around him to further team goals and objectives with much more freedom.



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BADASSERY: JAMES YOUNG

How to describe James's actions that has had him nominated for Badassery were summed up by the nominator like this.

Epic combat actions seem to happen when James is about and he has a unique ability to exploit them as they to unfold and materilise around him.

Now don't go assuming James just lucks it when getting into the nitty gritty on the field.. it just seems to evolve that way around him. But in so-doing.. he maximizes his cunning and efficiency to be a quite formidable opponent.

James commands a good slice of respect and thats been learnt by a few on the field both wittingly and unwittingly.

Also not a stranger to playing the long game, James isn't adverse to putting in some serious effort in taking the long way round to infiltrate the enemy lines and deal to them from an unexpected quarter, which entirely suits his purpose to rattle any opposition into making mistakes, which he can then act on..

According to the nominator thats just as strategic as his sometimes walking casually out and into engagements when everyone else is stuck behind cover... just to get things happening and from there he just adjusts and does what he does so well.

That could be called confidence.. could also be called a few other things..... but for the Badassery award.. you have to back your instincts, your platform, your ability other peoples short falls and be able to read the game.



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BADASSERY: RICHARD SIMPSON

Short n sweet folks...

From the person nominating:

Op Sidewinder, this was about half way through the game. Once it got dark we had arranged to split into two teams to do a final showdown scrap with the other team.

Richard lead Myles and Leith into a black void from the back corner of the field where their fob was, then all the way over the top of the hills, to then charge headlong into the enemy base and basically wipe them out except one dude who was bullshit hiding.

With a small amount of help the engagement as finished off. It was legit awesome to be a part of and is seared into the persons mind.

In that action we stuck Richard on point just to give him some shit, but he just ran with it handled it with aplomb!

The sheer focus and desire to secure a result really makes Richard a worthy candidate in this category.



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BADASSERY: ROB MCQUILKIN

In someone else's words.. not mine.

Some of that stealthy shit you get into and crazy close range stuff that you work into your game style always makes it tough coming up against you.

And you and your fucking grenades! or your beloved pistol kills... dude that's a style that is all yours.

Example:

TAR skirmish day: Something of a VC trail ended with the need to neutralise a stationary hardpoint which if you know TAR is a wooden Sherman Tank. Gunfire wasn't going to finish it off and it was laying down plenty of suppressing fire. Rob got to a position and rushed the target and lobbed a Thunderbee through the driver's view port. 130Db in such an enclosed space where there were 4 enemy was next level 'fuckin hell' Sheed on an LMG absolutely embraced the badassery.

OpNew Real Estate, he slinked into the enemy base just after a firefight, wasn't challenged, and set about knife killing a few of the enemy that were lurking outside of a 'revive area'.

He then entered the area and began systematically killing the enemy within that were possibly alive... there was a lot of people in that area... but hey why assume they were all dead right?... so he set about disposing of those enemy one by one... then when challenged by the enemy leader 'Josh' outside of the area who had appeared, and protested about his team being quietly 'offed' he stepped out of the area and pistol killed him for good measure as well.

Baddass