



PARLIAMENT OF NEW SOUTH WALES
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

FIRST SESSION OF THE FIFTY-SEVENTH PARLIAMENT

Community Recognition Statement

17 November 2021

JENNINGS MEDAL

Ms SONIA HORNERY (Wallsend) :

Each year, Northern NSW Football [NNSWF] proudly awards the Player of the Year the prestigious Graham Jennings Medal.

The medal is named after a born and bred Novocastrian, Graham Jennings, otherwise known as 'Flash' due to his blinding speed.

Flash played for his local club, the Adamstown Rosebuds, amassed an incredible 350 NSL appearances with a number of clubs including the Newcastle Breakers. He also went on to play 84 times for his country.

Despite another COVID-19 impacted season, NNSW recently held their annual presentation night and Edgeworth FC striker Jeremy Brockie was named the recipient of the Graham Jennings Medal for 2021.

Jeremy starred for his club, the Edgeworth FC, before the season was suspended in August due to COVID-19 restrictions.

He was outstanding for the Eagles scoring 15 goals in as many games, which also saw him take home the Golden Boot award for most goals in the season.

Congratulation Jeremy on an amazing season.

I look forward to seeing you line up again next year for the Eagles.

Thank you to Northern NSW Football Chair, Helene O'Neill, and CEO, David Eland, for all your work during another tough season impacted by the pandemic.