



THE ILDSA MARGARET SMITH AWARD

This ILDSA Award is given to the person or persons who have increased the profile of open water swimming in Ireland in that year. This goes to the administrator, organiser, volunteer, pilot, crew, etc. who did the most to advance or just keep their event committee going.

SEASON/ AWARDS YEAR	WINNER
2003	Billy Wallace
2004	Phillip & Joe Gunn
2005	Dermot Duffy
2006	Stephen Millar
2007	Jeff Wilson
2008	CLWF Guinness World Record Team Camlough
2009	Daly Family Inishbofin
2010	Nuala Moore & Ned Denison
2011	Owen O'Keefe
2012	Padraig Mallon
2013	Myrtleville Swimmers Cork
2014	

2015	Fergal Sommerville
2016	Dublin Distance Dippers
2017	Ned Denison
2018	Infinity Channel Swimming
2019	Chris Judge
2020	No Awards due to Covid 19 Pandemic
2021	Atlantic Masters Swimming Club, Galway
2022	Ger Kennedy
2023	