

**SUPER RUGBY
PLAYER OF THE YEAR**

1996	Joeli Vidiri	Blues
1997	Christian Cullen	Hurricanes
1998	Andrew Mehrtens	Crusaders
1999	Byron Kelleher	Highlanders
2000	Scott Robertson	Crusaders
2001	Deon Muir	Chiefs
2002	Chris Jack	Crusaders
2003	Carlos Spencer	Blues
2004	Dan Carter	Crusaders
2005	Rico Gear	Crusaders
2006	Dan Carter	Crusaders
2007	Jimmy Cowan	Highlanders
2008	Andrew Hore	Hurricanes
2009	Mils Muliana	Chiefs
2010	Albie Mathewson	Blues
2011	Wyatt Crockett	Crusaders
2012	Conrad Smith	Hurricanes
2013	Ben Smith	Highlanders
2014	Jerome Kaino	Blues
2015	Lima Sopoaga	Highlanders
2016	Beauden Barrett	Hurricanes
2017	Samuel Whitelock	Crusaders