



COACHES ASSOCIATION OF ONTARIO 2023 - 2024 "COACHING EXCELLENCE AWARD"

The Coaches Association of Ontario (CAO) Coaching Excellence Awards aim to recognize the outstanding achievements and significant contributions coaches have made to both their sport and athletes in Ontario. The selection of recipients (1 Male and 1 Female) is based on their unique contribution to sport through continuous development. The awards do not reflect the accomplishments of a coach in any one year; rather the award is designed to recognize the contributions a coach has made over a period of years.

OFSAA is responsible for selecting a male and a female coach in the School Sport category. This award is open to active teacher-coaches with a minimum of 5 years coaching experience. Nominated coaches must have coached 2 or more sports in a school year over 5 years. The nominated coach must have influenced the development of new coaches and shown evidence of program building and encouraging athletes to give back to sports. Furthermore, the nominated coaches' coaching style has proven to be ethical and demonstrated sportsmanship and positive game behaviour.

Nominations will only be accepted from association representatives in the identified regions. The OFSAA Coaching Committee will select one (1) male and one (1) female recipient from the nominations received.

For 2023-24 each region below is encouraged to select two (2) nominations (male or female) for submission to the selection committee.

Female nominations to be received from:

Region 1 (North): NEOAA, NOSSA, NWOSSAA

Region 2 (Central): GBSSA, LOSSA, YRAA

Region 3 (East): COSSA, EOSSAA, NCSSAA

Male nominations to be received from:

Region 4 (West): CWOSSA, SWOSSAA, WOSSAA

Region 5 (South): GHAC, ROPSSAA, SOSSA

Region 6 (Metro): CISAA, TDCAA, TDSSAA

In addition to the attached nomination form, associations may attach supporting documents (i.e., Letters of reference, news articles, etc.)

Nominations are due Wednesday, May 22, 2024.

Please feel free to use the attached nomination form or email a separate document.

Completed nominations should be scanned to:

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NAME OF COACH _____ ASSOCIATION _____
COACHES CONTACT # _____ COACHES EMAIL _____

SPORT INVOLVEMENT _____ Years: _____
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PLEASE LIST THE LEADERSHIP INVOLVEMENT THE NOMINEE HAS HAD FOR HIGH SCHOOL SPORT
(eg. committees, convening events, association executive, etc.)

HOW DOES THE NOMINEE'S COACHING STYLE REFLECT AN "EDUCATION THROUGH SCHOOL
SPORT" PHILOSOPHY? (provide examples if possible)

WHAT LEADERSHIP OR MENTORING HAS THE NOMINEE PROVIDED TO NEW OR LESS EXPERIENCED COACHES AT YOUR SCHOOL/ASSOCIATION?

PLEASE PROVIDE ANY OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION YOU WOULD LIKE TO SHARE (please attach additional pages if necessary)

OFSAA ASSOCIATION REPRESENTATIVE

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