### Ontario Coaching Excellence Awards

**SPECIAL AWARDS**

**“Everyone Matters” Coach Award**

The “Everyone Matters” Award recipient has influenced the culture of their team, their organization or community by embracing diversity and differences. Over a sustained period of time they have demonstrated the value of an inclusive approach through acceptance and accessibility. Examples in this category include success in reaching out to and actively welcoming different genders, different age groups, newcomers to a sport program or a coach who successfully integrates athletes with a disability into the program.

*One award will be given to a coach who leads with vision, resolve and courage to challenge the status quo.*

**Eligibility:**

Nominee must be an Ontario resident who has been actively coaching Ontario athletes for at least three (3) years.

Note: Coaches who are nominated for other 2014 Ontario Coaching Excellence Awards may also be considered for this award at the discretion of the Selection Committee.

**Complete Nominations Include:**

* A completed “Everyone Matters” Coach Application form.
* 1 letter of recommendation for the award e.g. from an athlete, parent or sport administrator
* 1 written testimony or media report as evidence of impact of the Coach’s breakthrough, influence or results.

**Nomination Procedures:**

Nominations must be complete. If space is not adequate on the form, please feel free to attach any relevant information on a separate piece of paper. You may attach any supporting documents (i.e. letters of reference, news articles, etc.)

You may type directly onto the nomination form, or write/type on a separate sheet to complete the questions. Completed Nomination forms must be received by

**Friday, July 25, 2014, 4:00 pm.**

All e-mailed nominations will be confirmed.

Please send completed nomination forms to Brooke Rosenfeld at:

Coaches Association of Ontario  
**Mail:** 3 Concorde Gate, Suite 108 Toronto, Ontario M3C 3N7

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#### *Thanks Coach…for making sport a better place to be….*

**“Everyone Matters” Coach Award**

**Nominee Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Nominator Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Relationship to Coach: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of the Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Consent of Nominated Coach: Please ensure the nominated coach has been consulted and agrees to allow their name to stand for nomination.

Contribution to Sport

1. What is the total number of years the nominee has been coaching?

2. Which sport(s) does the nominee coach?

3. Describe the role of the nominee with the athlete(s) or team

Leadership

4. How has the nominee changed the status quo to create an inclusive and accessible sport environment?

5. What makes this coach stand apart from other coaches? Describe any outstanding qualities or contributions that the nominator feels would be of interest to the selection committee.

Coaching Achievements

6. How has the nominee fostered a sense of community amongst his or her athletes?

7. What improvements, results or impacts has the nominee made to sport? (e.g. has the number of coach’s and/or athletes increased, or have the coach’s athletes demonstrated athletic or personal improvements, etc.)

Personal Development

8. Indicate any personal development the nominee has achieved. This could be NCCP course conducting, coaching seminars, presentations or any other contributions that the coach has made to the sport (initiation of athlete development programs, etc.)

9. Please describe how the nominated coach has transferred his/her personal developments and achievements to their athletes and/or other coaches.

10. What other awards or recognition has this coach received?

Additional Information (Optional)

**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** Check here if supporting pages are attached. (e.g. letters, news articles)

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