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PSAA COACH OF THE YEAR AWARD **CRITERIA FOR SELECTION**

A NOMINATED COACH SHOULD:

- *A COACH MUST CONSTANTLY UPHOLD THE HONOR AND DIGNITY OF THE PROFESSION IN ALL PERSONAL CONTACT WITH THE STUDENT ATHLETE, OFFICIALS, ATHLETIC DIRECTORS, SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS, PRIVATE SCHOOLS ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION, THE PUBLIC, THE COACH SHALL STRIVE TO SET AN EXAMPLE OF THE HIGHEST ETHICAL AND MORAL STANDARD.*
- *A COACH SHOULD EXEMPLIFY THE IDEALS OF SPORTSMANSHIP AND FAIR PLAY*
- *A COACH SHOULD CONDUCT HIM/HERSELF IN A PROFESSIONAL MANNER*
- *A COACH SHOULD REPRESENT HIS/ HER SCHOOL IN A POSITIVE WAY*
- *A COACH SHOULD HAVE THE RESPECT OF HIS/HER PEERS*

PROCEDURE:

1. EACH CONFERENCE COMMISSIONER WILL REQUEST NOMINATIONS FROM PARTICIPATING TEAMS IN THAT CONFERENCE/SPORT.
2. THE TOP THREE COACHES NOMINATED WILL BE PUT ON A BALLOT. EACH SCHOOL WILL SELECT IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE. THEIR FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD CHOICE. THESE VOTES WILL THEN BE COMMUNICATED VIA FAX/PHONE/MAIL TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR A FINAL TALLY.
3. IN CASE OF A TIE THE PERSON WITH THE MOST NUMBER ONE SELECTION WOULD THEN BE SELECTED. IF A TIE CONTINUES TO EXIST THEN THE MOST NUMBER TWO SELECTIONS.
4. THERE IS NO LIMIT ON THE NUMBER OF TIMES A COACH CAN RECEIVE THIS AWARD.
5. VOTING FOR THIS AWARD WILL TAKE PLACE AFTER/ BEFORE THE PLAYOFFS/ REGULAR SEASON (DEPENDING ON THE CONFERENCE BOTH METHODS ARE ACCEPTABLE).
6. EACH VARSITY CONFERENCE SHALL HAVE A SELECTION.