

# SPORT AWARDS

## NORTH LANARKSHIRE



### Award criteria

#### 1. Young Coach of the Year

This is awarded to an individual, under the age of 21. It looks for coaches who have shown dedication to develop themselves and who have had significant impact on the people they coach.

#### We are looking for evidence of how they have -

- Dedicated themselves to help and support participants / teams
- Invested time in their own coaching development

#### 2. Official of the year

This is awarded to an individual who has dedicated their time to officiate fixtures or competitions.

#### We are looking for evidence of how they have -

- Officiated within various events and fixtures for clubs and/or schools
- Undertaken training to develop in their roles as an official within their chosen sport

#### 3. Young Volunteer of the Year

This is awarded to a Young person under the age of 21 who has volunteered in sport for their school or club.

#### We are looking for evidence of how they have -

- Dedicated a substantial amount of time to volunteer in sport including any non coaching roles within their club/school
- Inspired their peers and participants

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#### 4. Community coach of the year

This is awarded to a coach who has supported the development of a sports / community club and has significantly increased the participation levels and sporting opportunities in the community

**We are looking for evidence of how they have -**

- Developed a pathway for participation within their sport
- Delivered regular and quality coaching sessions as a part of a Community Club or Community Sports Hub
- Introduced their sport to a new audience
- Invested time in their own coaching development

#### 5. School Sport Champion (Primary School Staff)

This award recognises a member school staff who has made an outstanding contribution to the provision of sport or physical activity for young people within their school.

**We are looking for evidence of how they have -**

- Developed the range of sports clubs within their school
- Ensured that all pupils are offered quality sporting opportunities
- Enabled the school to attend a variety of events

#### 6. School Sport Champion (Secondary School Staff)

This award recognizes a member of school staff who has made an outstanding contribution to the provision of sport or physical activity for young people within their school.

**We are looking for evidence of how they have -**

- Delivered a range of quality extra-curricular sport or physical activity opportunities within their school.
- Enabled a wider range of pupils to participate in sport and physical activity
- Supported other programmes such as – Young Ambassadors, Schools Sports Competition etc

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### 7. Club of the Year

The club of the year award is presented to a sports club that has made a significant impact on or contribution to the development of sport in the community.

**We are looking for evidence of how they have -**

- Achieved accreditation through local authority and/or Scottish Governing body
- Developed strong links with local schools and the community
- Examples of coach and volunteer recruitment, development and recognition
- Shown commitment to being inclusive and providing opportunities for all.

### 8. Young person's coach of the year

This is awarded to a coach who has made an outstanding contribution to sport for young people under the age of 18

**We are looking for evidence of how they have -**

- Developed the performance of the participants / teams coached by the nominee in the past 12 months
- Impacted on the young person's physical and social skills
- Invested time in their personal development

### 9. Primary Sports School of the Year

A North Lanarkshire Primary School that has created a sporting culture and enhanced the sporting provision within their school.

**We are looking for evidence of how they have -**

- Achieved Gold level in Sportscotland School Sport Award
- Provided a wide variety of curricular and extra-curricular activities
- Created strong links to local clubs and the community
- Used sport as a vehicle to develop young people e.g. targeted programmes, leadership etc.



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### 10. Secondary Sports School of the Year

A North Lanarkshire Secondary School that has created a sporting culture and enhanced the sporting provision within their school.

**We are looking for evidence of how they have -**

- Achieved Gold level in Sportscotland School Sport Award
- Provided a wide variety of curricular and extra-curricular activities
- Created strong links to local clubs and the community
- Used sport as a vehicle to develop young people e.g. targeted programmes, leadership etc.

### 11. Volunteer of the year

This is awarded to a volunteer who has made an outstanding contribution to their school or club.

**We are looking for evidence of how they have -**

- Dedicated a substantial amount of time to volunteer in sport including any non-coaching roles within their club/school
- Inspired their peers and participants

### 12. Lifetime Achievement

The Lifetime Achievement Award will be presented to an individual who has shown outstanding dedication or made an exceptional contribution through a lifetime dedicated to sport.

**We are looking for evidence of how they have -**

- Shown outstanding dedication in their sport or organisation
- Significantly improved their club / sport and without them the club would not be the same
- Gone above and beyond, what is required of them as a volunteer.