



NETBALL COACHING AWARDS

2017 Netball Coaching Awards

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Introduction

Netball New Zealand with the support of Barfoot & Thompson would like to acknowledge Coaches and Coach Developers nation-wide annually. It is an opportunity to showcase and celebrate the Coaching community and those who have stood out by continuing to champion the aspirations and dreams of players/athletes and Coaches and who have contributed significantly to fulfilling their Netball dream.

Nominations

There are 3 awards that will be presented to the Coach or Coach Developer who has been outstanding in their field:

1. Performance Coach of the Year
2. Community Coach of the Year Award
3. Coach Developer of the Year Award

The NNZ Coaching Awards cover the 2017 calendar year (1 January to 31 December) and nominations are to be made by Netball Zones, Netball Centres, Netball Clubs and Schools.

Criteria for all 3 awards are outlined in the Appendices.

Selection Panel

The Selection Panel will consist of a representative from each Zone along with the NNZ National Training Manager and the NNZ National Coach Development Manager.

Nominate a Coach/Coach Developer

Nominations open on Tuesday 10th October and close on Tuesday 14th November.

Netball Zones, Netball Centres, Netball Clubs and Schools can click on the appropriate link below to complete the nomination form, please note you will need a photo of your nominee to submit the nomination.

Performance Coach of the Year: <http://www.sporty.co.nz/viewform/55115>

Community Coach of the Year Award: <http://www.sporty.co.nz/viewform/55114>

Coach Developer of the Year Award: <http://www.sporty.co.nz/viewform/55117>

Prize

Winner will be contacted on Tuesday 5th December. Prior to this all finalists and their nominator's will be contacted to advise that their nomination has reached this stage.

Presentations to the winners of each award will take place at the Taini Jamison Series in March 2018.

For nomination queries please contact Hayley Griffith on hayleyg@netballnz.co.nz or 09 3740132.

ELIGIBILITY

The information below outlines the eligibility rules for each of the 3 awards.

GENERAL ELIGIBILITY

Only Coaching achievements within that calendar year i.e. 1 January to 31 December are eligible. Coaching achievements will only be recognised for Coaches and Coach Developers performing in one of the 5 Zones in New Zealand.

SPECIAL ELIGIBILITY

Performance Coach of the Year

The Coach must actively be engaged in the NNZ Coaching Framework. It is expected that they are engaged in a collaborative way with the Zone Emerging Talent programme.

Community Coach of the Year Award

The Coach must actively be engaged in the NNZ Coaching Framework.

Coach Developer of the Year Award

The Coach Developer must be fully accredited in the NNZ Coach Development Accreditation programme. It is expected that the Coach Developer is actively engaged in formal and informal learning to continue to provide quality experiences for Coaches in the community.

Award Criteria

Performance Coach of the Year

This award recognises the achievements of a Coach working with emerging and young performers in Netball. The players may be playing for a Premier Club, Premier Secondary School, Age group representative and/or a Zone team. Nominees for the Performance Coach of the Year will provide the following evidence :

- **Player-centred approach to Coaching**
A Coach that is holistic in their approach, nurtures talent and supports the development of performance in player/athletes with a player-centred approach.
- **Learner-centred Coach**
A Coach who actively engages in formal and informal learning, reflection, and best practice Coaching as part of the continuous improvement cycle.
- **Developmental approach in Coaching**
A Coach who incorporates a developmental approach age and stage related to their Coaching philosophy, plan, strategies and Coaching practice that meets the needs of their players/athletes.
- **Collaborative approach to Coaching**
A Coach who has demonstrated a collaborative approach by integrating and engaging with the school, club, netball centre, whanau and other community stakeholders, to maximise the Netball experience for the player/athletes.
- **Inspirational Coach**
A Coach who has inspired player/athletes, community (targeted), and youth in general to develop a love for the game and the desire to improve.
- **Innovative Coach**
A Coach who actively is looking for new innovative practices to provide an edge to their Coaching.

Please identify any of the following qualities and/or attributes this Coach may have/possess:

- Listener
- Care
- Integrity
- Emotional Intelligence
- Inter personal skills
- Intra personal skills
- Trustworthy

Award Criteria

Community Coach of the Year

This award recognises the outstanding contribution of a Coach in supporting players to grow and achieve their goals and passion in Netball. The players may be playing for a school and/or club team. Nominees for the Community Coach of the Year will provide the following evidence:

- **Player-centred approach to Coaching**
A Coach that is holistic in their approach, nurtures talent and supports the development of performance in player/athletes with a player-centred approach.
- **Learner-centred Coach**
A Coach who actively engages in formal and informal learning, reflection, and best practice Coaching as part of the continuous improvement cycle.
- **Developmental approach in Coaching**
A Coach who incorporates a developmental approach age and stage related to their Coaching philosophy, plan, strategies and Coaching practice that meets the needs of their players/athletes.
- **Collaborative approach to Coaching**
A Coach who has demonstrated a collaborative approach by integrating and engaging with the school, club, netball centre, whanau and other community stakeholders, to maximise the Netball experience for the player/athletes.
- **Inspirational Coach**
A Coach who has inspired player/athletes, community (targeted), and youth in general to develop a love for the game and the desire to improve.
- **Innovative Coach**
A Coach who actively is looking for new innovative practices to provide an edge to their Coaching.

Please identify any of the following qualities and/or attributes this Coach may have/possess:

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- Care
- Integrity
- Emotional Intelligence
- Inter personal skills
- Intra personal skills
- Trustworthy

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Coach Developer of the Year

This award recognises the outstanding contribution of a Coach Developer who supports growth and development of Coaches in their Coaching pathway. To be eligible the Coach Developer must be delivering at least 8 modules within the calendar year. Nominees for the Coach Developer of the Year will provide the following evidence:

- **Coach-centred and player-centred approach to delivery**
A Coach Developer that is holistic in their approach, nurtures Coaching talent and supports the development of Coaches.
- **Learner-centred Coach Developer**
A Coach Developer who actively engages in formal and informal learning, reflection, and best practice in Coach development.
- **Quality is always at the forefront of delivery**
A Coach Developer who actively engages in formal and informal learning, reflection, and best practice in Coach development.
- **Collaborative approach to Coach Development**
A Coach Developer who has demonstrated a collaborative approach by integrating and engaging with Coach Developers within their Zone and across the country.
- **Inspirational Coach Developer**
A Coach Developer who has inspired Coaches, leaving a legacy through the development of others.
- **Innovative Coach Developer**
A Coach Developer who actively looks for new innovative practices to provide an edge to their facilitation, assessment and mentoring roles.

Please identify any of the following qualities and/or attributes this Coach may have/possess:

- Listener
- Care
- Integrity
- Emotional Intelligence
- Inter personal skills
- Intra personal skills
- Trustworthy