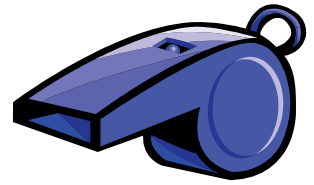


**"Coach of the Season"
Nomination Form**



Date: _____

Coach's Name: _____

Division/Age group: _____

Your Name: _____

Association with league (coach in division, parent of player, etc): _____

Characteristics and Traits for the "Coach of the Season" award.

- Places the emotional and physical well being ahead of the personal desire to win.
- Treats each player as an individual and understand the range of emotional and physical development for the same age group.
- Does best to provide a safe playing situation for all players.
- Does best to organize practices that are fun and challenging
- Leads by example in demonstrating fair play and sportsmanship.
- Provides a sports environment free of drugs, tobacco, and alcohol and refrains from their use at all youth sports events.
- Is knowledgeable of the rules for each sport that he or she coaches, and teaches these rules.
- Respects & supports officials, coaches, fans, staff & administrators.
- Uses the coaching techniques appropriate for all of the skills taught.
- Remembers that he or she is a youth sports coach, and that the game is for the kids, not adults.

Eligibility:

1. Coaches and Assistant coaches who have coached in the 2009-2010 season and have completed background checks are eligible.
2. Nominations may come from parents or other coaches.
3. One Coach from each division (4.5-k, 1st-2nd, 3rd-4th, 5th-6th) will be chosen for the "Coach of the Season" recognition.
4. Winners will also be submitted to the *Ohio Youth Sports Committee's* **Coach of the Year** program.
5. Please submit "Coach of the Season" nominations to
Tara Palm, *Recreation Coordinator*, at the Groveport Recreation Center.

1. What have been the coach's significant contributions to the Groveport Parks & Recreation Departments- Youth Sports Program ?
