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Sportsperson of the Year Award

Dear Coaches,

In a move to provide opportunities for all swimmers to be recognized for their individual contributions to the sport, the Board of Swim Manitoba is now accepting nominations for 'Sportsperson of the Year' for the upcoming 2022 Swim Banquet.

This award is not entirely performance based. We are asking you to nominate a swimmer that displays a love of swimming, have a positive attitude, commitment and time management, believes in a fair sport environment, has shown growth over the year as a result of being involved in swimming. More importantly, we are looking for the swimmer that has not only been greatly impacted by their involvement in swimming, but has also impacted others within the sport and the community because of their involvement in swimming.

Please send your nomination to Swim Manitoba, by filling and returning the page two of this document, with a detailed personal and swimming bio including statements that touch on as many of the following as possible:

- If you were asked in conversation to describe this athlete what would you say (in two sentences or less)
- Why specifically was this swimmer nominate (Max 5 sentences)
- How do you feel the swimmer has benefited from being part of the sport?
- How do you feel the swimmer has contributed to the team, the swim community and the community at large?
- List any pertinent achievements outside of swimming.
- Give a specific example of their contribution to their team.
- Describe the athlete's level of commitment (number of years swimming, perseverance, motivation, time management, and self-drive)
- What are the swimmer's goals and aspirations (swimming and outside swimming)

The award will be presented based on nominations received from individual clubs. Nominations will be accepted by Swim Manitoba until **September 23, 2022**. At that time, depending on the number of nominations received, the potential award pool will be reduced to a short list of potential award recipients. Each of these potential award recipients will be invited to the SMB Awards reception.

The board of Swim Manitoba will then be selecting a winner which will be announced at the Awards Banquet.

Sincerely,

Andrea Tétrault

Advancement Committee

Swim Manitoba

Nominations to be emailed to: swim@sportmanitoba.ca Subject line: AWARDS 2022





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Application Form

NAME: _____

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6. Give a specific example of their contribution to their team.

7. Describe the athlete's level of commitment (number of years swimming, perseverance, motivation, time management, and self-drive)

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