



COMMUNITY LEAGUE AWARDS NOMINATIONS & SELECTION PROCESS

1. PURPOSE:

This policy outlines the standardized process for nominating and selecting Community Flag Season and Community Tackle Season awards at both the Club and League levels. Only those divisions with a minimum of three community teams will be considered for awards, and the lowest Age Division in each discipline will be exempt.

2. CLUB-LEVEL NOMINATIONS:

Following the conclusion of each; the Community Flag Season; and the Community Tackle Season, each Club shall complete and submit the official Awards Nomination Form to the Football PEI office. Clubs are asked to nominate those from within their own club only for; Athlete(s) of the Year for each division they had teams participating in; and, a single Coach of the Year for the discipline/season (flag or tackle) during the corresponding season.

- (Age Division) (Flag or Tackle) Offensive Athlete of the Year – Select ONE, regardless of multiple teams
- (Age Division) (Flag or Tackle) Defensive Athlete of the Year – Select ONE, regardless of multiple teams
- (Flag or Tackle) Coach of the Year – Select ONE, regardless of Age Division
- (Flag or Tackle) Official of the Year – Nominated by the PEIFOA *

3. LEAGUE-LEVEL RANKING PROCESS:

Upon receipt of all Club nomination forms in the given season, Football PEI shall circulate a consolidated list of all Club-level Nominees, along with three (3) PEIFOA nominees, to all Clubs. Each Club shall then rank their selections for the Athletes of the Year, Coach of the Year, and Official of the Year using a first-through-third ranking system (point allocation below). Coaches and Officials will be ranked by all Clubs. Athletes will be ranked by the Clubs that had team(s) in those Age Divisions – ie. If a Club did not have any U16 teams, they will not rank the U16 Athletes.

4. POINTS ALLOCATION AND TABULATION:

Rankings shall be assigned points as follows:

- First Place: 4 points
- Second Place: 2 points
- Third Place: 1 point

Football PEI will tabulate all points received across the League in the given season. The nominee with the highest total points shall be declared the League award recipient. In the event of a two-way tie, the League award shall be shared by co-winners. In the event of a three-way tie, the Football PEI Board will select one winner.

5. ADL AWARDS AND RECOGNITION:

Football PEI will create an ADL Award for each winner based on this process. These ADL Awards shall replace all previous award formats (including previous ADL award categories and Tackle All-Stars) and shall apply strictly at the Community levels in the given seasons. No provincial team or stand-alone tournament participation or performance shall be considered for these awards. Additionally, all Club-Level Nominations will be recognized publicly by Football PEI.

6. PEIFOA (FLAG OR TACKLE) OFFICIAL OF THE YEAR:

* Following the conclusion of each season (Flag or Tackle), the PEIFOA shall complete and submit the official awards nomination form to the Football PEI office. A total of three (3) nominations for the PEIFOA (Flag or Tackle) Official of the Year shall be forwarded to the Clubs for their selection. Football PEI shall create an ADL Award for the official selected by the Clubs during each season (Flag or Tackle).