

Leadership Service Award

COMMISSION: To recognize an outstanding individual who has demonstrated dedication and commitment to the USA Volleyball Junior Olympic Volleyball program for a minimum of three (3) years.

CRITERIA:

- A. Is registered with a USAV Regional Volleyball Association.
- B. Has given unselfishly of his/her time to the promotion of Junior Olympic Volleyball for a minimum of three years.
- C. Has served in a capacity such as the development, promotion and production of a USA Junior Olympic Volleyball championships program, including regional tournament and/or USAV National Qualifier tournaments.
- D. Does not qualify for any of the other JOV awards.
- E. Demonstrates leadership to act as, or direct support staff, in major inter-regional or national tournaments.

Outstanding Program Director

COMMISSION: To recognize RVA Junior Olympic Volleyball Program Directors whose local Junior Olympic Volleyball development and competitive programs successfully meet established criteria.

CRITERIA:

- A. Be registered with a USA Volleyball Regional Volleyball Association in a Junior Olympic Volleyball category or with an Education-Based Multi-Sport, National Volleyball, Multi-Sport or Affiliated Sports Member Organization whose Junior Volleyball program has been recognized by the Corporation.
- B. All staff coaches shall possess no less than CAP Entry Level Certification.
- C. The program shall have clearly defined goals and objectives and a work plan outlined in a governance document manual for that organization.
- D. Utilization of program manuals for coaches, players, and (parent) volunteers.
- E. Balanced excellence with both growth and scope of a program defined by a documented coaching education and development program which meets needs of all participants and maintains a ratio of at least 1:12 coaches per participants.
- F. Established rapport with the local community as demonstrated by positive liaisons with local government, school systems, business groups, service clubs, booster groups and parents.
- G. Development of players and leadership (paid and volunteer) of high integrity and strong sportsmanship values.
- H. Host a minimum of one (1) tournament within the local territory annually.
- I. Team participation in at least one United States Junior Olympic Volleyball Championship and/or regular participant in a USA Volleyball-sanctioned Zonal Qualification Tournament. More weight will be given commensurate to the number of divisions serviced.

Outstanding Clinician

COMMISSION: To recognize outstanding Junior Olympic Volleyball clinicians based on accomplishments and contributions within the immediate past five (5) seasons. Nominees remain on eligibility list for three years after nomination.

CRITERIA:

- A. Be registered with a USA Volleyball Regional Volleyball Association as a JOV Coach and/or serve as a coach at the high school, college or national team level.
- B. Currently possess certification as an Entry-Level CAP Clinician.
- C. Currently possess certification as a CAP Level I Coach.
- D. Teaches/instructs volleyball for Junior Olympic Volleyball players/coaches.
- E. Publishes and/or reproduces and distributes instructional information for JOV coaches and players.

Outstanding Coach

COMMISSION: To recognize outstanding coaches in both a male and female category who are currently active with a USA Volleyball Junior Olympic Volleyball program.

CRITERIA:

- A. Demonstrate compliance with the USAV/CAP Code of Ethics.
- B. Currently possess the minimum certification of CAP Entry Level as a coach.
- C. Demonstrate that he/she is actively seeking CAP Level I certification if, in fact, the nominee is not certified at that level at the time of nomination.
- D. Currently registered with a USAV Regional Volleyball Association and active as a coach in the USAV/JOV program at the Regional level.
- E. Have the endorsement of the Regional Volleyball Association record, as well as that of the RVA JOV Coordinator.
- F. Show record of attendance at a coaching clinic at least once a year for the immediate past two years, to include the current season.
- G. Should have developed a written personal coaching philosophy and long-range development plan.
- H. Demonstrate proficiency through quantity and quality results as witnessed by participation in the National Tournament, either in a USAV National Qualifier or USA JOV Championship Event.

Outstanding Parent Service

COMMISSION: To recognize outstanding and distinguished service to a local Junior Olympic Volleyball development program by (a) parent(s) of a Junior Olympic Volleyball player currently registered with USA Volleyball.

CRITERIA:

- A. Be registered with a USAV Regional Volleyball Association in a Junior Volleyball category or with an Education-Based Multi-Sport, National Volleyball, Multi-Sport or Affiliate Organization whose Junior Volleyball program has been recognized by the Corporation.
- B. Has given unselfishly of his/her time and efforts to a local RVA Junior Olympic Volleyball development program for a minimum of two years.
- C. Served in one or more of the following capacities, or in a recognized capacity not necessarily listed herein: program guide development, club promotion, public relations and publicity, solicitation of community support, community projects, leadership development, officiating involvement and development.
- D. Provides opportunities for players to earn money to help defray the cost of their participation and/or assist in the organization arrangement of club projects, fund raisers, etc.
- E. Demonstrates leadership qualities to encourage players and (other) parents to develop playing, leadership, administrative and officiating qualities.