2016 Excellence Awards

Nomination Form

**NOMINEE NAME:**

Address:

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Email:

(HOME)

**CATEGORY:**

(See attached list of award categories)

**NOMINATED BY:**

Address:

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Email:

(HOME)

Member Club:

Signature:

In order to help the Selection Committee understand the how the nominee has demonstrated excellence in his or her contribution to growing tennis in BC, please include the following:

* Letters of reference from relevant members of the community (maximum 2 letters)
* Background on candidate - Information on how he or she has contributed to the growth and inspiration of tennis in BC or excelled in his or her career path in tennis
* Supporting material that may help (newspaper clippings, tournament results, etc.). **Maximum 2 pieces of supporting documentation; maximum 1 page for each supporting document.**

Please scan and submit completed form (this page only) **no later than August 27** by email to khristina@tennisbc.org or by mail to:

Tennis BC

#204–210 West Broadway

Vancouver, BC V5Y 3W2

For general enquiries, please call (604) 737-3086.

**Excellence Awards**

Tennis BC Excellence Awards are presented at the Annual General Meeting held in September. The awards acknowledge the incredible contributions made by communities, coaches, clubs, officials, volunteers and players in helping to grow the game. An open nomination process is used to garner input from our Members for these awards. All candidates will be considered by Tennis BC’s Recognition Committee and approved by the Board of Directors. The nomination form can be found on the Tennis BC website, and the deadline for nominations is 30 days prior to the AGM.

**Contribution to Community Tennis**

Recognizing that tennis begins with “community,” this award is given to an individual or organization that promotes the introduction, delivery, or continuity of tennis programs which may be specific or general in its target audience.

**Community Coach of the Year**

This award is presented to a certified coach who contributes his/her own time and energy in helping to promote tennis in the community.

**Contribution to Seniors Tennis**

This award recognizes the efforts of a club, organization, or person(s) who promotes and supports tennis for players over the age of 35.

**Volunteer Appreciation**

This award recognizes volunteers who work within our tennis community in the promotion and delivery of league play and club, open, amateur, professional, local, regional, national and international events.

**Achievement in Officiating**

This award recognizes a new official (fewer than three years of experience) who has embraced the challenge to learn and perform under pressure, and shows strong future potential.

**Excellence in Officiating**

This award recognizes an official who has made an outstanding contribution to officiating, through his/her excellent performance, leadership and teamwork.

**High Performance Coach of the Year**

Working with high performance athletes, this certified coach inspires high performance athletes to attain their greatest potential through his/her technical expertise, leadership, communication skills, and example.

**Female Player of the Year**

This award is presented to a player competing in open events who has exhibited excellent results in national and/or international competition. This could also apply to a player competing in senior events.

**Male Player of the Year**

This award is presented to a player competing in open events who has exhibited excellent results in national and/or international competition. This could also apply to a player competing in senior events.

**Junior Female Player of the Year**

This award is presented to a player competing in junior events who has exhibited excellent results in national and/or international competition.

**Junior Male Player of the Year**

This award is presented to a player competing in junior events who has exhibited excellent results in national and/or international competition.