

### **BRBHA Coach of the Year Award Criteria Background:**

The BRBHA Coach of the Year award is to honour a coach who has demonstrated an ability to develop and improve individual and team performance throughout the year through promoting fun, fairness, participation, respect and upholding the rules, values and goals of the BRBHA.

Criteria for the BRBHA Coach of the Year (Coaches do not need to satisfy all criteria):

1. Embraces fair play while maintaining a competitive spirit.
2. Promotes good sportsmanship, citizenship and team spirit. This was demonstrated by the team's actions in games and by involving the team in the community. The coach provided a good culture for the players of the team to develop their hockey skills/abilities while developing their character in a positive manner.
3. Demonstrates a respect for the game of hockey. Shows and teaches respect for the game, officials, fellow coaches, parents and players.
4. Demonstrates a commitment to improving the game of hockey within BRBHA
5. Demonstrates a commitment to improving their skill set through the coaching programs offered by BRBHA
6. Shows and shares their passion for hockey while demonstrating leadership to their players. Able to teach, instruct and motivate players in a positive manner.
7. Players are excited and wanting to come back to take part in hockey for the following season.

