



RINGETTE ONTARIO

HALL OF FAME & AWARDS

RECOGNITION PROGRAM

The Ringette Ontario Hall of Fame and Awards Recognition Program is designed to recognize outstanding performance and contribution by both volunteers and athletes in various disciplines within Ringette in Ontario.

The program is divided into several categories each having a particular impact on the specific area of interest.

Volunteers are vital to the vision of Ringette Ontario. Whether as a dedicated volunteer assisting with an event or fundraising activity, or a volunteer Coach; every hour of volunteer support makes our association and our sport a stronger, more vibrant, and effective organization. Our awards look to recognize outstanding volunteers who have contributed to the sport and their community.

PROVINCIAL LEVEL AWARD CATEGORIES (A/AA):

- Coach of the Year
- Player of the Year
- Goalie of the Year
- Official of the Year
- Association of the Year
- Volunteer of the Year
- Hall of Fame:
 - Community Builder
 - Provincial Builder

REGIONAL LEVEL AWARD CATEGORIES (B/C & ADULT) *

*This award is for the Ringette Ontario Regional Award – not an internal regional award. Represents all Regions.

- Coach of the Year
- Player of the Year
- Goalie of the Year
- Regional Official of the Year
- Association of the Year
- Volunteer of the Year

SERVICE AWARDS:

Retiring Ringette Ontario Board of Directors Retiring

Ringette Ontario Working Committee Chair Association

Year Service Awards:

Bronze Award:	10 Years	(Bronze Medal shadow box)
Silver Award	25 Years	(Silver Medal shadow box)
<i>Pearl Award</i>	<i>30 Years</i>	<i>(Crystal Award)</i>
<i>Red Award</i>	<i>40 Years</i>	<i>(Crystal Award)</i>
Gold Award	50 Years	(Gold Medal shadow box)

NOMINATION PROCEDURES:

1. All registered members of Ringette Ontario are eligible to nominate someone as long as they are not a family member.
2. All Nominations are to be submitted via email, with the name of the award the individual is being nominated for along with a detailed resume, and reference letters (if applicable) to clubdevelopment@ringetteontario.com.
3. All nominations are due on **May 15th**.
All nominations will be reviewed, and awards will be chosen by the Ringette Ontario Hall of Fame & Awards Committee. The Committee will be appointed by Ringette Ontario staff and will have representation from each Region, with the Committee members appointing a Chair. The RO Office will work with the Committee to ensure that sufficient information has been obtained for each nominee.

AWARD DESCRIPTIONS AND GUIDELINES:

PROVINCIAL LEVEL AWARD CATEGORIES

Category	Description	Number of Recipients
Coach of the Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Involved in a Provincial Level (A/AA) team for a minimum of three (3) years in any Bench Staff capacity Must display an excellent rapport with athletes, parents, officials and embody the 5 Values of Ringette Ontario: Community, Collaboration, Character, Challenge & Competition Shall be a current participant of a Provincial Level (A/AA) team and have the minimum certification requirements for their bench position 	1
Player of the Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nominees shall have been involved as a player for a minimum of three (3) years Nominees shall have demonstrated exceptional abilities at an individual and team level Nominees shall exhibit high standards of performance and sportsmanship 	1
Goalie of the Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nominees shall have been involved as a player for a minimum of three (3) years Nominees shall have demonstrated exceptional abilities at an individual and team level <p>Nominees shall exhibit high standards of performance and sportsmanship</p>	1
Official of the Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must have been involved in officiating for a minimum of five (5) years Nominees must be registered participants in good standing with Officiating, having taken all the required clinics Nominees must be actively involved in officiating at the Community, Regional and Provincial levels and must possess an excellent rapport with athletes, coaches and fellow officials 	1
Association of the Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nominees must be in good standing with RO and their Region Nominees will have displayed above average performance in areas including, but not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Publicity & Promotions Volunteer/Participant Recruitment Athlete Development 	1

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Outreach Assistance ○ Competition Hosting ○ Coach Development • Nominations may be put forth by another member association • The Region & RO must support the nomination based on the Nominee's adherence to fees, deadlines, rules, and regulations of Ringette Ontario 	
Volunteer of the Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nominees must have been involved in Ringette for a minimum of three (3) years • Shall have made an outstanding contribution to their Association and Ringette Ontario in areas including but not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Marketing/Publicity ○ Committees/Boards ○ Administration ○ Recruitment/Retention ○ Programming • Must have the support of the Region 	1
HOF: Provincial Builder	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Involved at the Provincial Level for at least five (5) years • Shall have made an outstanding contribution to Ringette Ontario in one or more of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Growth & Development ○ Publicity ○ Administration ○ Technical Programs • Shall have made a significant contribution at the Community level • Nominee's Region must support the nomination 	2

REGIONAL LEVEL AWARD CATEGORIES

Category	Description	Number of Recipients
Coach of the Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Involved in a Regional Level (B/C/Adult) team for a minimum of three (3) years in any Bench Staff capacity Must display an excellent rapport with athletes, parents, officials and embody the 5 Values of Ringette Ontario: Community, Collaboration, Character, Challenge & Competition Shall be a current participant of a Regional Level (B/C/Adult) team and have the minimum certification requirements for their bench position 	1
Player of the Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nominees must be a current registered athlete Nominees shall have been involved as a player a minimum of two (2) years Nominees shall have demonstrated exceptional abilities at an individual and team level Nominees shall exhibit high standards of performance and sportsmanship 	1
Goalie of the Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nominees must be a current registered athlete. Nominees shall have been involved as a player for a minimum of three (3) years Nominees shall have demonstrated exceptional abilities at an individual and team level Nominees shall exhibit high standards of performance and sportsmanship 	1
Regional Official of the Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must have been involved in officiating for a minimum of two (2) years Nominees must be registered participants in good standing with Officiating, having taken all the required clinics Must be a Level 2 official Nominees must be actively involved in officiating at the Community and Regional levels and must possess an excellent rapport with athletes, coaches, and fellow officials 	1
Regional Association of the Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nominees must be in good standing with RO and their Region Nominees will have displayed above average performance in areas including, but not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Publicity & Promotions Volunteer/Participant Recruitment Athlete Development Outreach Assistance Competition Hosting 	1

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Coach Development • Nominations may be put forth by another member association • The Region & RO must support the nomination based on the Nominee's adherence to fees, deadlines, rules, and regulations of Ringette Ontario 	
Regional Volunteer of the Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nominees must have been involved in Ringette for a minimum of three (3) years • Shall have made an outstanding contribution to their Association and Ringette Ontario in areas including but not limited to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Marketing/Publicity ○ Committees/Boards ○ Administration ○ Recruitment/Retention ○ Programming ○ Must have the support of the Region 	1