

Pete Beach Award

The Pete Beach Award is named in honour of Mr. N. A. Pete Beach, a former Executive Director of OFSAA, who died in 1984. Mr. Beach recognized, early in his career, that school sport possessed a substantial and verifiable trait of the capacity to contribute beyond sport to a young person's future career and life. For the next fifty years, he devoted his energy to the organizational development of school sport and thus to the service of young people. In view of the complexity of the developmental process, it is a rare educator indeed who has the capacity to utilize the medium of school sport in such a way as to positively and sufficiently influence students in the remainder of their lives. That educator is one who consistently provides an impression of stability and optimism, one who enjoys the company, and the respect, of young people; one who embodies, and initiates by example, the highest traditions of the sportsperson; one who best typifies the true function of the teacher-coach - a source of discipline, a mentor and a friend.

Previous NEOAA Pete Beach Award Winners

2015- Craig Beda	
2014-Frank Boulanger	
2013-Wendy Legassie	
2012-Susan Curry	
2011- James Johnson	
Doug Basso	Brian Hamilton
Darrell Sokolowski	Gilbert Bucher
Hugh Meyer	Val Dunn
Brother Roland Saumur	Brenda Gray
Chris Hall	Lynn Scott
Tom Sinclair	Jo-Anne Plaunt
Anne MacDonald	Tom Buck
Gerry Labelle	Vital Shank
Robert Ing	Barry Mutrie
Bill Johnston	Wayne Heasman
	Don Wilson
	Colleen Zubyck
	Norm Lessard

During his / her career the nominee should be /have been:

Active as a teacher coach

Active in the association activities i.e. convenor, committees, etc.

Influential in the development of their student-athletes as a source of discipline, as a mentor and as a friend

NOMINEE _____ **SCHOOL:** _____

RATIONAL/ COMMENTS/ ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

THANK YOU! Please forward to Anita Anderson at anita.anderson@dsb1.ca or fax 705-544-8577**