

**SWIM NOVA SCOTIA
MAKING A DIFFERENCE
OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD**

The "Making A Difference Outstanding Community Service Award" is developed to honour registered Swim Clubs who are making significant contributions to their community through their time, actions, talents, and dedication over the last twelve months.

The award recognizes the actions, commitment, leadership, service, and community spirit that have made a difference in the lives of those in the community outside of the pool. It recognizes leadership in promoting awareness of accessibility in the community, outstanding contributions towards advancing sustainability initiatives, or a genuine commitment to providing a better future for your local community.

Eligibility

Any member swim club may be nominated.

Nominees must have made their outstanding contribution within the past 12 months and must not have won this award in the past three years.

Criteria

Clubs being nominated for this award will have consistently demonstrated qualities of compassion, and service to either one organization or a variety of volunteer activities in one year. The charitable activities / events or service listed on the application cannot receive any monetary or personal benefits from their involvement.

Club Name: _____

Club Contact: _____

Summary of List of Achievements:

Name of Two References: _____

Please attach supporting documentation that outlines the following:

Please detail the achievements of your club from the previous year which makes your club a strong contender to be this year's recipient?

What steps has your club taken to improve the lives of those living in your community?

What evidence do you have from your community to highlight the difference you've made? Please provide at least two written references (i.e. municipal councillor, not-for-profit organizations support letter, etc), photos and/or copies of social media posts

Deadline to apply to [Swim Nova Scotia](#) is June 30

The successful candidate(s) will be announced and recognized in July at our Provincial Championships.