TO: Principals and Athletic Directors
FROM: Jack DuBois/ Assistant Director
DATE: September 1, 2014
RE: NJSIAA Awards Program

The NJSIAA Awards Committee will accept nominations for the following awards up to October 1, 2014:

(1) **Award of Honor**
Nominee must have exerted a positive, wide-reaching influence on the total athletic programs of the State Association for a sustained period.

Nominee must have demonstrated outstanding leadership through a league/conference, or NJSIAA service.

National recognition through the nominee’s efforts should be noted.

(2) **Sports Award**
Nominee must have made an outstanding contribution to interscholastic athletics, e.g., career record; league/conference, NJSIAA championship at the varsity level. Award only given to those individuals who have made a credible impact upon the sport.

(3) **Service Award**
Nominee must have made an outstanding contribution to NJSIAA/High School Athletics in New Jersey. All categories other than coaches, officials, sportswriters.

(4) **Officiating Award**
Nominee must have made an outstanding contribution as a varsity official; e.g., career service and championship game(s) officiated.

(5) **Sportswriters Award**
Nominee must have made an outstanding contribution to interscholastic athletics in the area of journalism.

Please refer to the enclosed application form and review carefully the guidelines established for these awards.

Thank you for your support of this Association's awards program. Return form to:
Jack DuBois /NJSIAA
PO Box 487
Robbinsville, NJ 08691

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General Criteria
All Awards

Applications must be submitted by October 1, 2014 on appropriate enclosed forms.

A member school may nominate only one candidate for any of the award categories, i.e., for a sport award the school may not nominate anyone in any other category.

An outstanding coaching record, while important, does not in itself merit consideration for an Award of Honor nomination.

Local awards, or "Coach of the Year" awards more properly contribute towards an award in a particular sport rather than the Award of Honor.

The Selection Committee may select one recipient statewide in each category.

The nominee will remain on active file for two years. The year of nomination and the year following.

All applications other than the Award of Honor require a letter of recommendation from the principal of a member school and the submitting party if applicable.

Award of Honor nominees require the endorsement of a present Executive Committee member as well as the signature of the Principal of a member school.
Nomination for NJSIAA Awards Program

Please check the appropriate category of this nomination:

___ Award of Honor
___ Sport Award for ____________
___ Service Award
___ Officiating Award
___ Sportswriters Award

Nominee:
Name ____________________________________________________________
Address _______________________________________________________

Education

Present Position

Awards/Accomplishments. List activities which provided a positive influence on the athletic programs of the State Association for a sustained period. Note: this individual must have been active with the NJSIAA organization. Please use space below and reverse side only in listing nominee’s contributions/accomplishments.

Letter(s) of recommendation from the Principal of a member school and the submitting party if applicable, must accompany this application.

Signature of current NJSIAA Executive Committee member.
(for Award of Honor nominations only)

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Submitted by: ___________________________ Date:

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