



LEGACY AWARDS:

John Joubert Memorial Award – Provided to a Second Year PeeWee Player (1 Award):

John Joubert was a long-time coach who passed away after a battle with cancer. His wife, Michelle, felt that the following four attributes best described John's approach to coaching: team spirit, sportsmanship, leadership and coachability.

Selection Committee - Michelle Joubert

Peewee coaches are to nominate one **second year player** from their team for the award which will be presented at the annual banner ceremony. If you could write a short description on your nominated player, highlighting the four focus areas that Michelle Joubert has highlighted below, and send to awards@knightshc.

1) Team Spirit:

- Is strongly engaged in team practices, games, and events
- Supports the team positively through wins/losses
- Contributes toward building team spirit by encouraging teammates and contributing to a fun and exciting team atmosphere

2) Sportsmanship:

- Demonstrates a healthy respect for teammates, opponents, volunteers, and officials
- Is accountable for words and actions on and off the ice

3) Leadership:

- Leads the team by strong positive example
- Is a positive influence on the team during practices and games regardless of the score

4) Coachability:

- Demonstrates a great effort to improve throughout the whole season
- Eager to apply new knowledge and skills gained during practices and games
- Shows consistent respect to coaching staff



Grant Patterson Memorial Award – (1 Award) Available to all volunteer roles such as board members, team managers and coaches

Selection Committee – Victoria Yuzik (wife) and Tyra Patterson (daughter).

Grant Patterson was an avid athlete who played football at a high level, basketball and competed in Bobsled for team Alberta. He was extremely dedicated to his family and always involved in his children's activities in whatever capacity he could contribute. He coached his daughter's basketball team and when his son chose the sport of hockey, he became involved by running dryland for the team as well as becoming a board member. He passed away from brain cancer in 2015, but not before letting his family know that "you must go on and do great things." His wife, Victoria, felt the following three attributes best described Grant's approach to supporting the hockey association: Leadership, Passion for helping with an athlete's development and Giving back to your community.

Teams can nominate an individual who has made a difference for their team/association for the award which will be presented at the annual banner ceremony. If you could write a short description on your nominated person, highlighting the three focus areas Victoria Yuzik has highlighted below, and send to awards@knightshc.ca

1) Leadership:

- gets involved working alongside of the athletes;
- being a positive role model and influence on the team and KHC;
- treats athletes and all involved in the KHC with respect;

2) Passion for Helping Athletes Development:

- Providing opportunities to motivate and challenge the athletes;
- Consistently attending all required meetings, practices, games, etc;
- Contributes to KHC spirit by encouraging the players mentally and physically;

3) Give Back to Your Community:

- Helping out in the community through charity work and volunteering when possible;
- Encouraging young people to give back to their communities;
- Someone who goes above and beyond to give back to the hockey KHC and the community.



STANDARD KNIGHTS HC AWARDS:

Association Volunteer of the Year Award (1 Award):

Selection Committee -KHC Administrator, KHC Ice Allocator, Director of Member Relations and Director of Team Admin, VP Off Ice.

- Each association Board of Directors will select the recipient for their respective association and will notify Hockey Calgary
- This award will acknowledge individuals who have made outstanding contributions to their hockey association
- The association is required to provide a brief description outlining the individual's efforts and contributions made throughout their involvement in the game of hockey

Coach of the year award (1 Award per Age Group):

Selection Committee – KHC Administrator, KHC Ice Allocator, Director of Coach Development and Director of Hockey Development, VP On Ice.

- Presented annually to a coach who has made an outstanding contribution to community hockey during the current season.
- The recipient has provided a fun and safe learning environment for the players, and made an outstanding contribution to the community through the team.
- Presented to the team coach who best demonstrates dedication, respect and fair play at the minor hockey level.

President's Award (1 Award):

Selection Committee – President's choice.

- This award is presented to a Knights HC member who has shown dedication to our club through countless hours of volunteer work.
- This person has a positive impact on our community has shown effective communication and promotes genuine respect for players, coaches, officials, opponents and parents.
- This person represents a positive public image for KHC.

Knights of Distinction (1 Bursary): In place for 2020/2021 season to graduating U18 player

Selection Committee – VP Off Ice, VP Finance, KHC Ice Allocator, KHC Administrator.

Beyond graduation a range of opportunities and experiences await you but gaining access to these opportunities requires more than your marks. The Knights of Distinction recognizes students' academic accomplishments as well as their community involvement beyond the classroom. Application must be completed (provided by KHC).