



2026 BCLA BOX LACROSSE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

For any questions, please contact debheard@bclacrosse.com

For Minor Associations that do not currently have a process for player selection they are encouraged to use the following suggested process to help with the selection of a candidate for this scholarship:

- President or designate to inform all U17 age-appropriate Box Lacrosse players, coaches and managers about scholarship, providing timeline and follow-up as necessary
- Box Lacrosse Players/Parents or Associations to complete necessary application to the local association (use this form)
- Executive to elect committee (3 people minimum) to choose candidate from applications
- Committee to send association's successful applicant into BCLA office
- Will be presented at U17 Provincials. If not attending, then the Zone Director will contact the Zone winner to discuss the opportunity to present the award.

SELECTION CRITERIA

- To be chosen on a zonal basis.
- Each Association may nominate one Box Lacrosse player meeting the necessary requirements. **Please submit this nomination to the BCLA Office**, via email to debheard@bclacrosse.com
- The nominations will be forwarded to each Zone Director, with the Zone winner's nomination to be brought to the June 2024 Minor Directorate Meeting by the Zone Directors.
- All **Zone Winners** will receive a **\$500** scholarship (to be held in trust for any post-Secondary education including university, college, night or trade school) and a gift (selected each year) as their award for being a Zone winner.
- The **overall Box Lacrosse Player of the Year Winner** will receive a gift and a **\$1,000.00** (\$500 for Zone Winner, \$500 additional) Scholarship to be held in trust for any post-Secondary education including university, college, night or trade school.
- This application may also be used for other recognition.

Requirements for the Box Lacrosse Player of the Year are as follows:

1. Must be a Registered Minor Box Lacrosse player born in 2010.
2. Should be an above-average Box Lacrosse player within his/her association.
3. Should give extra back to Box Lacrosse such as Coaching, Officiating, Scorekeeping, and other box lacrosse volunteer activities, please list on form provided.
4. Must be a team leader, on and off the floor.
5. Should have a consistent academic standard.

To receive consideration, ONLY the following information should be emailed:

- Attached Form outlining the Box Lacrosse player's accomplishments and involvement in box lacrosse.
- A letter from the Association recommending the candidate, including comments from the Head Coach and Head Official.
- A copy of the current school transcript
- A photograph of the nominee must accompany the nomination (jpg or pdf is preferred).

DEADLINE FOR RECEIVING NOMINATIONS IS FRIDAY, MAY 29 at 4:00 PM.



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BOX LACROSSE PLAYER ACCOMPLISHMENTS FORM

Name of Person Submitting this form: _____

Player Nominee's Name: _____ **Association:** _____

Parent/Guardian: E-Mail Address: _____ **Phone:** _____

Please expand on the following sections and use additional space/paper if necessary.

BOX LACROSSE PLAYING HISTORY:

HISTORY OF BOX LACROSSE LEADERSHIP AND MENTORING ACTIVITIES:

COACHING HISTORY AND AWARDS:

REFEREEING, SCOREKEEPING, AND TIMEKEEPING HISTORY:

HISTORY OF OTHER BOX LACROSSE VOLUNTEERING ACTIVITIES, AWARDS:

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