

Coach Bowls 'Coach of the Year' Annual Awards

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Coach Bowls are delighted to announce the launch of the new Coach Bowls Coaching Awards.

Coaches must be a current member of Coach Bowls to be nominated. We welcome nominations from clubs, other coaches, bowlers and counties. Awards will be presented in the following categories:

Female Coach of the Year

This will be based on nominations from any coach, club, county or individual bowler in England. Coaches nominated must be a Coach Bowls member, be actively coaching (at least once per month) within their club or county and have their nomination accompanied by a maximum of 3 paragraphs on why they have been nominated. The nominations will be shortlisted by a panel and the final 3 coaches will go forward to a 'public vote' open to all Coach Bowls Members.

Male Coach of the Year

This will be based on nominations from any coach, club, county or individual bowler in England. Coaches nominated must be a Coach Bowls member, be actively coaching (at least once per month) within their club or county and have their nomination accompanied by a maximum of 3 paragraphs on why they have been nominated. The nominations will be shortlisted by a panel and the final 3 coaches will go forward to a 'public vote' open to all Coach Bowls Members.

Young Coach of the Year

This coach must be aged between 16 and 35 (as of 1st January 2018) It will be based on nominations from any coach, club, county or individual bowler in England. Coaches nominated must be a Coach Bowls member, be actively coaching (at least once per month) within their club or county and have their nomination accompanied by a maximum of 3 paragraphs on why they have been nominated. The nominations will be shortlisted by a panel and the final 3 coaches will go forward to a 'public vote' open to all Coach Bowls Members.

New Coach of the Year

This award will be based on nominations from any coach, club, county or individual bowler in England. Coaches nominated must be a Coach Bowls member, be actively coaching (at least once per month) within their club or county and have their nomination accompanied by a maximum of 3 paragraphs on why they have been nominated.

Coach Educator of the Year

This will be presented to the Coach Educator who has demonstrated consistency, improvement and commitment to the Coach Bowls Scheme in the previous 12 months and will be based on the qualitative feedback received from course evaluation forms, and the feedback received from Workforce Support visits.

Coaching County of the Year

Ratified by a panel this will be based on the County (Using Bowls England boundaries) with:

- The greatest percentage increase in coaches in the previous 12 months
- The number of active Coach Bowls Tutors
- New innovations to support coaches at County Level

Inclusive Coach of the Year

This will be based on nominations from any coach, club, county or individual bowler in England. Coaches nominated must be a Coach Bowls member, be actively coaching (at least once per month) within their club or county and have their nomination accompanied by a maximum of 3 paragraphs on why they have been nominated. The award will be agreed by a panel which will include Disability Bowls England

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Nomination Form

Name of Coach: _____ County: _____

Award Category (1 form per nomination): _____

Coach Bowls Membership Number:	Number of years in Coaching:
Current Qualification / Accreditation Level:	Name of Club(s):
Approximate number of people coached since March 2017:	Coaching breakdown (if known): Male: <input type="text"/> Female: <input type="text"/> Disabled: <input type="text"/>
Reasons for nominating (continue on a separate sheet if needed):	
Any additional points you wish to raise about this coach related to this nomination:	

Name of person nominating: _____

Position in Club / County (if any): _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Once completed, please return to Coach Bowls Awards, BDA, Pera Business Park, Nottingham Road, Melton Mowbray, Leicestershire, LE13 0PB or email: office@playbowls.org.

Nominations received after the closing date (31st December 2017) will not be considered.